

SHINE THE LIGHT ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE!

Why is everything **PURPLE**?

- October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month.
- Purple is the color of domestic violence awareness.
- “Shine the Light” is a campaign in New York State to shine purple lights on buildings, wear purple or hold purple events during the month of October.

GO PURPLE...AND TALK ABOUT IT!

Awareness is the first step toward real change.

**Statewide
Wear PURPLE Day:
Thursday, October 20**



Monroe Community College
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