

Definition: Awareness Ribbons

Awareness ribbons are short pieces of colored ribbon folded into a loop, or representations of such, which are used in the United States, Canada, Australia, UK and other parts of the world as a way for wearers of the ribbon(s) to make a statement of support for a cause or issue. Due to their ubiquitous nature, have come to symbolize various concerns depending on the colors or the patterns used. Ribbons are now considered as a universal symbol for social or disease awareness, and a formidable path to a cure.

Color Chart

Color	Meaning
Amber	Appendix Cancer
Black	Melanoma
Blue	Prostate Cancer
Burgundy	Multiple Myeloma
Burgundy & Ivory	Head & Neck Cancer
Lavender	All Cancers
Gold	Childhood Cancer & Osteosarcoma
Green	Liver Cancer & Adrenal Cancer
Grey	Brain Cancer
Lime	Lymphoma
Marigold, Blue & Purple	Bladder Cancer
Navy	Colon Cancer
Orange	Leukemia & Kidney Cancer
Orchid	Testicular Cancer
Peach	Uterine Cancer
Pearl	Lung Cancer
Periwinkle	Esophageal Cancer & Stomach Cancer
Pink	Breast Cancer
Purple	Pancreatic Cancer & Leiomyosarcoma
Rainbow	Adrenocortical carcinoma
Teal	Ovarian Cancer
Teal/Pink/Blue	Thyroid Cancer
Teal & White	Cervical Cancer
Yellow	Sarcoma/Bone Cancer & Bladder Cancer
Zebra Print	Carcinoid Cancer & Endocrine Cancer

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