



**Domestic Violence Awareness Month at DOCCS
November 20, 2014**



Governor Andrew M. Cuomo [proclaimed October](#) as Domestic Violence Awareness Month in New York State, which coincides with a national month-long observance. Albion Correctional Facility and Livingston Correctional Facility both participated in Domestic Violence Awareness Month to help their local community.

Livingston hosted a bake sale raising \$211.00 dollars were donated to a local shelter called Chances for Changes.

Albion turned the lights purple on their historic cupola on top of the Administration Building to "Shine the Light on Domestic Violence." Albion houses female inmates and treatment and counseling for inmates who have experienced domestic violence is a key component of ones successful re-entry.

Albion has also illuminated the cupola pink in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness.

