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## **PBCC in Palm Beach Gardens to host candlelight vigil to honor victims and survivors of domestic violence**

(Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. - Oct. 18, 2007) Palm Beach Community College at Palm Beach Gardens is hosting a candlelight vigil Oct. 23 to honor victims and survivors of domestic violence.

The event, being held in recognition of Domestic Violence Awareness Month, will be held from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. between the BB classroom building and the library at the campus located at 3160 PGA Blvd. It will include several guest speakers, a children's art exhibit and a special presentation by the Florida Resource Center for Women and Children, which is sponsoring the candlelight vigil with PBCC's Student Activities office.

The speakers will include Clifton Smith, victim advocate for the city of Riviera Beach, Sandy Reynolds of Victims Services of Palm Beach County and Shandra Dawkins, executive director of the Florida Resource Center for Women and Children, and others.

The event is free and open to the public. For more information, call (561) 207-5356.

**About Palm Beach Community College:** Serving more than 45,000 students annually, Palm Beach Community College is the largest institution of higher education in Palm Beach County, providing associate degrees, professional certificates, career and customized training and lifelong learning. Florida's first public community college, PBCC offers more than 100 programs of study at locations in Lake Worth, Boca Raton, Palm Beach Gardens and Belle Glade.

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