

# February 2015 - NeuroCalendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><b>1</b> Granville Stanley Hall, founder of the American Psychological Association (APA), was born in 1844.</p>	<p><b>2</b> In 1859, the world's first mental hospital for criminals opened in New York.</p>	<p><b>3</b> The first woman in the US to earn an MD, Elizabeth Blackwell, was born in 1821.</p>	<p><b>4</b></p>	<p><b>5</b> Nobel laureate Alan L. Hodgkin was born in 1914.</p>	<p><b>6</b> In 1838, Eduard Hitzig was born. He examined the electrical excitability of the brain.</p>	<p><b>7</b> Psychologist Alfred Adler was born in 1870.  Nobel laureate Ulf von Euler was born in 1905.</p>
<p><b>8</b> In 1892, Selig Hecht was born. His research is the foundation of modern vision theory.</p>	<p><b>9</b> Elizabeth Munsterberg Koppitz was born in 1919. She was an expert in learning disabilities.</p>	<p><b>10</b> In 1923, German physicist Konrad Roentgen died. He discovered X-rays and won the first Nobel prize in physics.</p>	<p><b>11</b> The journal <i>Behavioral Neuroscience</i> was first published in 1983.</p>	<p><b>12</b> Charles Darwin, who developed the theory on evolution by natural selection, was born in 1809.</p>	<p><b>13</b> In 1882, Jean-Martin Charcot presented the first paper about hypnotism to the French Academy of Sciences.</p>	<p><b>14</b></p>
<p><b>15</b> Hans Henning, an early researcher on the senses of smell and taste, was born in 1885.</p>	<p><b>16</b></p>	<p><b>17</b></p>	<p><b>18</b> In 1790, Marshall Hall was born. He pioneered the study of reflex physiology.</p>	<p><b>19</b> Ophthalmologist Hermann Snellen was born in 1834. He developed the Snellen eye test.</p>	<p><b>20</b> The <i>Journal of Psychology</i> was first published in 1936.</p>	<p><b>21</b> Nobel laureate James Watson built the first accurate model of DNA in 1953.</p>
<p><b>22</b> Adolphe Qutelet was born in 1796. He was the first to use the word "statistics."</p>	<p><b>23</b> Allan M. Cormack, who won the Nobel prize for his work with computer-assisted tomography, was born in 1924.</p>	<p><b>24</b> The first mental hospital, inspired by a priest's sermon, was founded in Spain in 1409.</p>	<p><b>25</b> The antipsychotic drug Loxitane was approved by the FDA in 1975.</p>	<p><b>26</b></p>	<p><b>27</b> David H. Hubel, who won the Nobel prize for his work on the visual system, was born in 1926.  Ethologist and Nobel prize winner Konrad Z. Lorenz died in 1989.</p>	<p><b>28</b> James D. Watson and Francis H.C. Crick announce the structure of DNA in 1953.</p>
<p>Age-Related Macular Degeneration / Low Vision Awareness Month / Wise Mental Health Consumer Month</p>						