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# **News Release**

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### Manulife Pinktober-ed for a good cause!



**Kuala Lumpur** – In conjunction with Breast Cancer Awareness Month, the Global Women's Alliance (GWA) of Manulife Malaysia organised a Breast Cancer Awareness Day on 9 October 2019.

In the run up to the day, Manulife set up an online donation portal that raised RM10,662. To top it off, Manulife employees donated an additional RM1,385 on the day. All funds went to the Breast Cancer Welfare Association Malaysia (BCWA), a tax-exempted organisation providing peer support for women with breast cancer. Besides the fundraising, the company arranged free breast examination and talks about breast health.

"Breast Cancer Awareness Day was held to increase awareness on Breast Cancer as it is still the most common cancer among women, and to educate staff on breast health and early prevention. We are immensely proud of all our staff who contributed to the sum donated to BCWA." said GWA chairman, Rosalynn Lai.

Photo caption: Manulife Malaysia Senior Management team handing a mock cheque of proceeds collected from Manulife employees to Breast Cancer Welfare Association Malaysia (BCWA) President, Ranjit Kaur (4th from left).



Photo caption: Manulife Malaysia Senior Management team preparing healthy snacks on Breast Cancer Awareness Day, 9 October 2019, held by the Malaysian Chapter of Global Women's Alliance (GWA) Manulife, in conjunction with Breast Cancer Awareness Month.



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#### About Manulife Global Women's Alliance (GWA)

Manulife's GWA was established to support its female workforce to reach their full potential and aims at elevating the profile of women across the organisation, inspiring and enabling each one to reach their full potential by offering resources for success but also to provide a network in which women can mentor each other, share their experiences and help each other design fulfilling career paths. The Malaysian Chapter of GWA was established on 10 September 2015, and since then, Manulife has carried out many activities towards achieving its objectives.

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