

Addiction and Art

Call to Artists

Organization's Name

Location of Show

Dates of Exhibition

Deadline for Submissions

_____ (Name of Sponsor) is pleased to issue a Call to Artists to appear in an exhibition highlighting substance abuse, addiction and recovery.

Substance abuse is currently our world's biggest disease – responsible for cancers, strokes, accidents, suicides, murders and violence. The purpose of this exhibit is to contribute to the concept that creativity and artistic expression can play a significant role both in recovery and in raising awareness of the personal and community tolls caused by substance abuse and addiction. Artworks can give insights into the human experience of addiction, can spark dialogs, can teach, and can change perceptions.

Artists are invited to submit original artworks on the theme of drug addiction and recovery (drugs include alcohol, tobacco, illegal or prescription drugs). The juror(s) for the exhibition will be _____ (Name of juror(s), title, and affiliations).

Guidelines for Submissions

Eligibility:

Artists must live or work within _____ (Distance) of _____ (Show Location).

Works in all media will be accepted. They may be any size and completed in any year.

Entry:

Artists may submit up to 3 artworks by e-mail, CD or slide format.

For Both E-Mailing and CD: Images should be jpeg format, resolution 300 dpi, file size should not exceed 1.5 MB in size. Label each image with your name and the title of the work. E-mail images to _____ (Organization's E-Mail). Mail CD to _____ (Organization's Mailing Address).

For Slides: Label each slide with your name, title of work on the front of the slide and indicate the “top” of the slide. Place slides in a slide sheet holder and write your name on the holder.

***Artists must submit a 100-200 word artist’s statement which describes the meaning of the artwork to enhance the audience’s understanding of it. Electronic copies of this statement should also accompany mailed images.**

Artists must complete and submit the enclosed *Submission Form*.

Send submissions to: _____ **(Contact person and Address)**

Exhibition Calendar:

Date and/or Time

- _____ Entry Deadline (Postmark Date)
- _____ Notification of Acceptance
- _____ Hand Delivery of Artworks **(Location)**
- _____ Due Date for Shipped Artworks
- _____ Opening Reception **(Location)**
- _____ Show Opens
- _____ Show Closes
- _____ Pick Up Hand Delivered Artworks **(Location)**
- _____ Shipped Artworks Returned

Submission Form

After reviewing submission guidelines, complete the information below. Be sure to include a 100-200 word description of artwork's meaning (electronic copy). Deadline for receipt of all materials is _____. (Post Deadline).

Name: _____

Address: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

#1 Title
Media
Dimensions
Price

#2 Title
Media
Dimensions
Price

#3 Title
Media
Dimensions
Price

Conditions of Participation:

I release _____ (Organization's Name) from any liability during the Addiction and Art Exhibition. I personally assume all risk of damage or loss of the artwork. Also, I give my permission for accepted artwork to be photographed and used by _____ (Organization's Name) for press promotions as well as in newsletters or on websites.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Artists Under 18:

If artist is under the age of 18 a parent or guardian signature is required. I hereby give my permission for artwork and accompanying artist's statement created by _____ (Minor's Name) to appear in the Addiction Art Exhibition at _____ (Organization's Name, Location and Dates of Show), and to be photographed by _____ (Organization's Name) or the press for media-related purposes.

Parent / Guardian – Print Name: _____

Parent / Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____