

## GUIDELINESS FOR SUBMISSION

Please review the following items and submit the required information to be considered for the exhibition:

- All participants must be a resident of New Jersey
- Entries must be based on the **theme** of opioid or heroin and prescription pill abuse, addiction, and/or recovery
- The following work will be accepted: *Drawing, Painting, Illustration, Oil Paintings, Lithograph, Photography, Collages & Charcoal Sketches*
- The participating artist **must** work independently
- Only **one submission** per artist will be accepted
- **No** copyrighted characters, images or celebrities may be used or inferred.
- Submit a **50 to 200 word artist's statement** describing the meaning of the artwork. The purpose is to enhance the audience's understanding of the artwork. **Statement must be submitted separately in a Word Document, Times New Roman, font 12**
  - a. **All artist statements will be taken verbatim and will not be altered.**
- **SUBMIT A DIGITAL image** of your work as a high resolution jpeg (300 dpi) or pdf.
  - a. Digital image and entry forms must be uploaded on [www.drugfreenj.org/HeroinArtExhibit](http://www.drugfreenj.org/HeroinArtExhibit)

**INCOMPLETE ENTRIES WILL BE DISQUALIFIED!**

## JUDGING CRITERIA

- A panel of judges will select the top three finalists!
  - Each finalist is invited to attend the Heroin Addiction Art Exhibition. *The event will take place on August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2018 at 6pm at Gateway Project Spaces, in the Gateway building in Newark, New Jersey.*
  - Finalists are responsible for their own transportation to this event and minors must be accompanied by a chaperone 21 or older.
  - Artwork will be judged on the following:
    - a. **Message:**

- i. Is the theme opioid or heroin
- ii. Does it highlight opioid or heroin abuse, addiction, or recovery
- iii. Is the message clear

**b. Originality:**

- i. Does the art work inform about the dangers of opioid or heroin abuse, addiction, or recovery?

**GRAND PRIZE:** First Place: \$200

Second Place: \$150

Third Place: \$150

Honorable Mention: Gift Card

After reviewing submission guidelines, complete the information below. Be sure to include a **typed** 50-200 word description of artwork's meaning. Deadline for receipt of all materials is **July 20th, 2018 at 5 p.m.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

NJ County: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Medium Used: \_\_\_\_\_

**CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION:**

I release the hosting organizations from any liability during the Heroin Addiction 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 the hosting organizations for press promotions as well as in newsletters or on websites. I also give my permission for my artwork to be showcased at different locations throughout New Jersey.

All **original art** will be featured at the art exhibit for **three days**. Artist must arrange to retrieve their art within one week after the event has ended! **Art that is not retrieved within one week after the end of the program will be discarded!**

*If under the age of 18, all forms must be signed by parent or legal guardian.*

**Print Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_