

#CREATIVITYCONNECTS

Have you noticed how the arts and creativity have a unique power to speak to the human condition?

NAMI Maryland and MPRC believe that art is an excellent catalyst to spark important conversations about the causes and stigmatizing myths surrounding mental health conditions. Thousands of creators throughout history have also used their art as a fun, creative catalyst to share their personal lived experience. MPRC is holding their third annual Art Exhibit and Auction with proceeds benefiting NAMI Maryland.

Would you like to share with us how creativity helps *you* connect?

Remember, creativity isn't just about music and visual arts.

It can be anything that gets your creative energy flowing cooking, gardening, arts & crafts, or even re-organizing your garage!

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

I would like to (please circle one): **SHOWCASE MY ART ONLY** **DONATE ONLY** **BOTH**

Check here if you would like to provide a performance piece (video/audio/both) to be displayed/played during the exhibit:

Check here if you prefer to keep your artistic/creative contribution confidential:

Title (provide a title for your piece):

Description (briefly describe your piece i.e., the type of art and materials used to make it, dimensions, etc; if you are giving a live performance, please provide the amount of time you will need and any equipment you may require):

Please briefly share how your art/creativity intersects with mental health in your life:

If you are donating your piece for the auction, please provide a picture or image of your contribution along with this form.

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If donating an artistic creation for silent auction, ***please provide a starting bid for you piece:*** \$ _____

If you would like the chance for NAMI/MPRC to spotlight your creative business or organization, please provide the following:

Name of Business/Organization _____

Website (or social media page) _____

Phone _____

E-Mail _____

Insert or Attach Branding/Logo as desired or send to mglassman@som.umaryland.edu.

Note: The MPRC Art exhibition will be held on May 18, 2024. The online auction will be held separately following the exhibition. All funds raised from the auction are donated to the National Alliance on Mental Illness Maryland Chapter. Deadline for form submission is Friday May 10th