



# NIH Office of Disease Prevention Art Challenge: How Prevention Can Create Better Health for Everyone Entry Form

The Office of Disease Prevention (ODP) within the Office of the Director at the National Institutes of Health (NIH) is holding the How Prevention Can Create Better Health for Everyone art challenge. The goal of this nationwide contest is to encourage teens and young adults ages 13–22 to share their ideas—through original art—about how prevention can help achieve health equity by improving the health of people in the United States, no matter who they are or where they live.

Please complete the entry form below. All forms and artwork must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m. ET on January 31, 2024.

**To complete this form, save it on your computer, open it directly in Acrobat or Acrobat Reader, or print a hard copy.**

## Important Points

- Artwork and a completed and signed entry form must be emailed to [ODP-YouthArtChallenge@nih.gov](mailto:ODP-YouthArtChallenge@nih.gov) between October 16, 2023 and January 31, 2024 at 11:59 p.m. ET.
  - Email subject line: “ODP Art Challenge: [Title of Artwork – a shortened version is acceptable], [Age Category: Teen or Young Adult] – [FirstInitial LastName].”
    - *Example:* ODP Art Challenge: Picturing Better Health for All, Teen Category – WAddams
  - Save this entry form using the file name: “[Title of Artwork – a shortened version is acceptable]\_[FirstInitialLastName]\_Entry Form.” If you printed and filled it out by hand instead of completing it electronically, you can either scan or take a picture of the final signed document.
    - *Example:* Picturing Better Health for All\_WAddams\_Entry Form
- There are two age categories for artists:
  - Teen (13–17 years of age at the time of submission)
  - Young Adult (18–22 years of age at the time of submission)
- **If you are submitting artwork to the Teen category (13–17 years old at the time of submission):**
  - Your parent or legal guardian **MUST** sign and date this entry form to confirm that they understand and accept the Challenge rules and regulations.
  - If you are an emancipated youth, the requirement for parent/legal guardian consent is waived, but you **MUST** self-certify your emancipated status on the entry form. If your artwork is selected as a winner, you will need to submit PDF documentation of your emancipated status before the award can be made.
- Only one entry per person is allowed.
- All artwork must be original in concept, design, and execution.
- Read How To Enter and the Rules and Requirements for complete instructions. This information is also available on [Challenge.gov](https://Challenge.gov).



## Section 1: Contact Information

*Provide Participant Contact Information*

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (with area code) \_\_\_\_\_ Home  Cell

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

Home Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Postal (Zip) Code \_\_\_\_\_

If the participant is younger than 18 at the time of submission, please provide parent/guardian information below.

*Parent/Guardian Contact Information*

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (with area code) \_\_\_\_\_ Home  Cell  Work

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

Home Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Postal (Zip) Code \_\_\_\_\_

## Section 2: Submission and Artwork Information

*Select One Age Category*

Teen category (participant is 13–17 years old at the time of submission)

Young Adult category (participant is 18–22 years old at the time of submission)

*Provide Artwork Information*

Artwork Title (no more than 50 characters)

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Artwork Caption (describe how it shows how prevention can improve health for everyone; no more than 500 characters)

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## Section 3: Signature

By signing below, the participant certifies that:

- The information herein is accurate, complete, and honest.
- The participant has read and understands How to Enter and the Rules and Requirements.
- The participant is the sole author or owner of, or has the right to use, any copyrightable works that the submission comprises, that the works are wholly original (or are an improved version of an existing work that the participant has sufficient rights to use and improve), and that the submission does not infringe any copyright or any other rights of any third party of which the participant is aware.
- By participating in this challenge, the participant grants to NIH an irrevocable, paid-up, royalty-free nonexclusive worldwide license to reproduce, publish, post, link to, share, and display publicly the submission on the web or elsewhere, and a nonexclusive, nontransferable, irrevocable, paid-up license to practice, or have practiced for or on its behalf, the solution throughout the world. The participant will retain all other intellectual property rights in their submission, as applicable. There are no legal obstacles to providing the above-referenced nonexclusive licenses of the participant’s rights to the federal government. To receive an award, the participant will not be required to transfer their intellectual property rights to NIH, but the participant must grant to the federal government the nonexclusive licenses recited herein.

**Please check ONE of the following statements and sign and date below:**

I am younger than 18 at the time of submission. My parent/guardian has signed below, authorizing me to participate in this Challenge.

I self-certify that I am an emancipated youth younger than 18 at the time of submission. If I am selected as a winner, I will provide documentation of my emancipated status before an award is made.

I am 18 years or older at the time of submission.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Participant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Participant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Parent/Guardian Consent** (required for participants who are younger than 18 at the time of submission)

I hereby grant full permission for my child to participate in this Challenge.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date