

# Call for Artists!

Art and Mental Wellness Exhibit 2025



The Heyde Center for the Arts is collaborating with NAMI Chippewa Valley for their upcoming exhibit, "Art and Mental Wellness." The exhibit aims to explore the profound connection between creativity and mental health, highlighting how art can be a powerful tool for expression, healing, and raising awareness about mental wellness.

## Submission Guidelines

- **Theme:** Art and Mental Wellness
- **Mediums:** All visual art forms are welcome, including painting, sculpture, photography, digital art, mixed media, and installations.
- **Eligibility:** Open to artists of all backgrounds and experience levels. Each artist can submit up to three pieces of artwork.
- **Submission Deadline:** Friday, April 11th at 4pm
- **Submission Requirements:**
  - Up to 5 high-resolution images of your artwork
  - Title, medium, dimensions, and year of creation for each piece
  - Artist statement (max 300 words) explaining how your work relates to the theme
  - Artist bio (max 200 words)
  - Contact information (name, email, phone number)

## Exhibit Details

- **Exhibit Dates:** May 14 to June 18, 2025
- **Art Load In and Load Out Dates:**
  - Drop off Monday and Tuesday, May 12 and 13 from 10am to 5pm
  - Pick up Thursday and Friday, June 19 and 20 from 10am to 4pm
- **Location:** Heyde Center for the Arts, 3 S High St, Chippewa Falls, WI 54729
- **Opening Reception:** Thursday, May 15 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm
- **Contact:** For any inquiries, please contact Debra Johnson at 715-726-9000 or [djohnson@cvca.net](mailto:djohnson@cvca.net)

**How to Submit:** Please send your submissions to [djohnson@cvca.net](mailto:djohnson@cvca.net) with the subject line "Art and Mental Wellness Exhibit Submission."

**We look forward to seeing your creative interpretations and contributions to this important conversation about mental health. Let's use the power of art to inspire, connect, and heal.**