

Where Imagination Meets Insight: The Art of Epilepsy
Purple Day Celebration
The ART of Epilepsy 2026
Artist Participation Process

We are calling All Artists for the upcoming **Purple Day East meets West, 2026**, where **Science merges with Art**, and **Stories come to life!** A partnership with the **Anita Kaufmann Foundation**, **Hidden Truths Project**, and the **Epilepsy Foundation of Northern California**.

Proceeds from ***The ART of Epilepsy*** will support epilepsy advocacy programs for individuals living with epilepsy in our efforts to demystify epilepsy through education, improve individual well-being, foster understanding and acceptance with the public, and make epilepsy speakable! The application package for submitting your artwork should include **the application, your artist statement, and high-resolution images for juried review**. **Please be sure to submit your application by the following date.**

DUE DATE
January 15, 2026

1. Complete and sign the attached entry form.
2. Provide a brief background, including a statement about what inspires your creative edge. Please also include how epilepsy has influenced your art or well-being.
3. Email or mail the completed entry form, brief statement, and **high-resolution images** of the art you would like juried to the following:

Dr. Julie Thompson-Dobkin
hiddentruthsproject@gmail.com

Mailing Address

Heidi Meireles
13621 Hammer Avenue
Chino, CA 91710

We will email a confirmation if your artwork is selected for display, at which point we will provide shipping instructions.

Hidden Truths Project *The ART of Epilepsy* 2026
Entry Form

Please complete the following. If the applicant is a minor, a parental signature is required.

I, _____, certify that each piece of art submitted is my original work and not a reproduction or copy. *By completing this entry form*, I hereby grant permission to the Anita Kaufmann Foundation and its partners, including the Hidden Truths Project and event venues, to display artwork during the Purple Day® event and related activities. By signing this, I release the Anita Kaufmann Foundation and its partners from any claims, liabilities, damages, theft, or loss that may arise from my participation in this event.

I, _____, understand should my art be accepted, *I grant full permission for the art to be used in promotional materials including but not limited to social media, websites, newsletters, press releases, and printed or digital publications.* **Parent:** _____

I, _____, understand this is a fundraising event in support of epilepsy advocacy programs and agree that **25% of the proceeds from sale of my work be donated to support these programs.** **Parent:** _____

I, _____, understand **it is my responsibility to arrange the shipping of my art to the designated venue for the exhibits.** **NO EXCEPTIONS.**

Parent: _____

Once you receive confirmation that your art has been accepted for exhibition, you will receive shipping instructions.

Artist Full Name

Date Signed

Please state whether your artwork is framed or unframed. If framed, include the framed size.

ALL ARTWORK MUST BE READY TO BE GALLERY HUNG; professionally finished, appropriately framed, matted, or gallery wrapped for sales for the exhibition or on the online gallery.

Please list the contact information you would like to include in the online gallery.

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ ST: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Artwork Categories

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| a) Ceramics, glass, and 3-D | e) Photography and digital |
| b) Mixed media | f) Sculpture: no larger than 2' x 3' and 150 lbs or less. |
| c) Oil and acrylic | g) Watercolor |
| d) Pastel and graphics (include pen, pencil, ink, charcoal, and monoprints) | h) Writing |

1) Title of Submission: _____

Media: _____

Category: _____

Size: _____

Suggested Price: _____

2) Title of Submission: _____

Media: _____

Category: _____

Size: _____

Suggested Price: _____

3) Title of Submission: _____

Media: _____

Category: _____

Size: _____

Suggested Price: _____

