



Psoriasis Canada

Child and Youth Art Contest

Authorization, Release and Waiver of Liability

**Authorization to Participate in Contest.** I hereby attest that I am the parent or guardian having legal custody of \_\_\_\_\_, my child or legal minor ("**my child**"), and I give my consent for his or her participation in the Psoriasis Canada Child and Youth Art Contest ("**Contest**"), to be held on or about \_\_\_\_\_ by Psoriasis Canada. If my child is 14 years of age or older, my child has also reviewed and agrees to the terms of this Authorization, Release and Waiver of Liability, as confirmed by his or her signature below.

**Rules and Regulations.** I acknowledge that I have reviewed a copy of the Contest Rules ("**Contest Rules**"), which are hereby incorporated as part of this agreement. In the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the Contest Rules and this Authorization, Release and Waiver of Liability, the terms of this Authorization, Release and Waiver of Liability shall prevail. I understand that Psoriasis Canada reserves the right to limit participation or remove from the Contest entirely any entry whose presence or message disrupts the Contest or endangers the health or safety of others. I further acknowledge that, if my child does not follow the Contest Rules as stated, Psoriasis Canada has the discretion to terminate my child's participation in the Contest before the Contest's end date.

**Collection, Use and Disclosure of Personal Information.** I understand and agree that Psoriasis Canada may collect, use, retain and disclose personal information relating to my child and me for the purposes of administering the Contest, verifying eligibility, communicating with participants and parents/guardians, publication of results, social media promotion, awareness activities, selecting and announcing finalists and winners, responding to inquiries, maintaining contest records, producing merchandise or other promotional products featuring winning or selected submissions, and carrying out related educational, awareness and promotional activities. Personal information collected may include the participant's name, age, age category, grade level, artwork submission, information contained within the submission, and parent or guardian contact information. I consent to the collection, use and disclosure of this information for the purposes described in this Consent and Release and in accordance with Psoriasis Canada's privacy practices. I acknowledge that additional information regarding Psoriasis Canada's privacy practices is available in its Privacy Policy, which can be found at <https://psoriasiscanada.ca/~documents/route%3A/download/16/>

**Publication of Participant Information.** I consent to Psoriasis Canada publishing, displaying or otherwise disclosing my child's first name, age category, grade level, finalist status, winner status and other limited identifying information reasonably necessary for the administration and promotion of the Contest, the announcement of Contest results and any related merchandise, products or promotional materials. I understand that such information may appear online, on social media, at events, on merchandise and in contest-related communications.

**Public Display of Submissions.** I understand and agree that artwork submitted as part of the Contest may be displayed publicly and reproduced in connection with the administration and promotion of the Contest, including on Psoriasis Canada's website, social media channels, digital platforms, educational events, awareness events, merchandise, printed products and other communications materials.

**Public Voting Acknowledgement.** I understand and acknowledge that eligible submissions may be made available to members of the public for viewing and voting as part of the Contest selection process. I consent to my child's artwork

being displayed for public voting purposes and understand that members of the public may access, view and engage with the submission through online or in-person voting mechanisms established by Psoriasis Canada.

**Health-Related Content.** I acknowledge that the Contest encourages participants to express their experiences, perspectives and connections relating to psoriasis and psoriatic disease. I understand that my child's submission may reveal information relating to health experiences, medical conditions, family circumstances or other personal matters. I understand and agree that, if selected for voting, exhibition, publication or promotion, the submission may be viewed by members of the public and that information communicated through the artwork may become publicly available. I voluntarily consent to such uses and disclosures as part of my child's participation in the Contest.

**Retention and Continued Availability.** I understand that Psoriasis Canada may retain Contest submissions and related records for administrative, legal, record-keeping and historical purposes, in accordance with its applicable retention practices and policies. I further understand that materials previously published or distributed in connection with the Contest may continue to be available after the Contest has concluded, including on websites, social media platforms, archived materials and other communications that may not be within Psoriasis Canada's control.

**Withdrawal of Consent.** Subject to applicable legal limitations, I understand that I may withdraw my consent for future collection, use or disclosure of my child's personal information by providing written notice to Psoriasis Canada. I further understand that I have the right to access the personal information that Psoriasis Canada holds about my child and me, and to request its correction, by contacting Psoriasis Canada in writing. I acknowledge that withdrawal of consent may affect my child's eligibility to participate in the Contest and that Psoriasis Canada may be unable to retrieve or remove materials that have already been published, distributed or shared prior to receiving such notice.

**Release, Waiver and Indemnification.** In consideration of the opportunity for my child to participate in the Contest, I hereby agree to release, discharge, indemnify and hold harmless Psoriasis Canada and its officers, directors, subsidiaries, members, agents, employees, volunteer staff, successors, and assigns from any and all liability, claims, demands, costs, expenses (including reasonable legal fees) and damages that may arise directly or indirectly, now or in the future, by reason of any injury, damage, loss, or expense incurred in connection with the operation of the Contest and/or my child's participation in any aspect of the Contest. I waive any and all claims or causes of action which I or my child may now or hereafter have against Psoriasis Canada that may arise as a result of my child's participation in the Contest, including any claims relating to the collection, use, disclosure or publication of my child's personal information, artwork, image or intellectual property as contemplated by this Waiver.

**Photographic, Video & Intellectual Property Release.** I hereby authorize, without limitation, Psoriasis Canada to use the illustration, art, film, photographs and written materials submitted by my child. On my child's behalf, I irrevocably assign to Psoriasis Canada all copyright and other intellectual property rights in and to my child's artwork submission, and, to the extent any such assignment is found to be unenforceable, I hereby grant and confirm my child's grant to Psoriasis Canada of an irrevocable, perpetual, worldwide, royalty-free, sublicensable licence to reproduce, adapt, alter, publish, display, distribute, communicate and otherwise use the submission, in whole or in part, in any medium and for any purpose relating to the Contest and to Psoriasis Canada's educational, awareness, fundraising, merchandising, commercial product and promotional activities, together with the right to any royalties, proceeds or other benefits derived from such use. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I waive, and confirm my child's waiver of, all moral rights in and to the submission, including the rights of attribution, integrity and association. I hereby waive any right that my child or I may have to inspect or approve the media or any materials that may be used in connection with it, or the use to which it may be applied. I acknowledge that this assignment and waiver are irrevocable and, notwithstanding any withdrawal of consent under the Withdrawal of Consent section above, will continue in full force and effect with respect to the submission.

I hereby acknowledge, represent and warrant that I have authority to provide the consents, permissions and acknowledgements set out in this Waiver on my child's behalf. I state further that I have read and understood this Waiver, including the nature, purposes and consequences of the collection, use, disclosure and publication of my child's personal information and artwork submission, the assignment of intellectual property rights, the waiver of moral rights and the release and waiver of liability set out herein.

I understand that participation in the Contest is voluntary and that I have had the opportunity to ask questions regarding the use of my child's information and artwork submission before signing this document.

Child's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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