



**PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT ART PROJECT**

# Celebrating Nurses and Caregivers

Participation window closes Monday May 4, 2020.

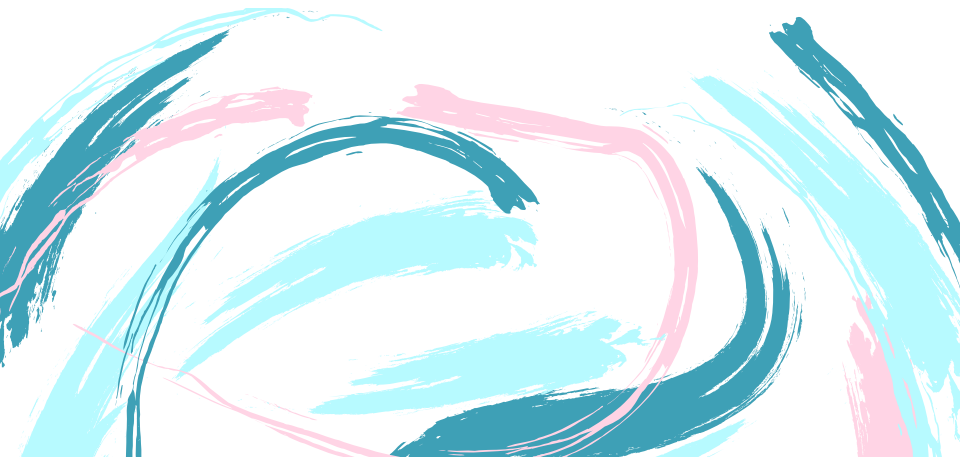
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This special project is all about celebrating nurses and all caregivers by inviting members of the public to submit their stories, feelings and moments. Tell us about the lives of nurses and caregivers you know. Help us celebrate them!

Nurses and caregivers play an important part in all our lives both directly and indirectly and come from people in many different roles; a professional, a friend, a partner, or a family member.

These stories will be collected and turned into portraits by local artist Dani Crosby. She will visually honour, represent, and acknowledge the qualities and experiences of your nurses and caregivers. We will be uploading the portraits onto the RMG website for you to download for free. You will be able to find your voices and experiences in the artworks!

All stories will be shared anonymously without the name of the author or any names from within the story. Don't worry about editing names out, we will do it for you!



# We appreciate your participation!

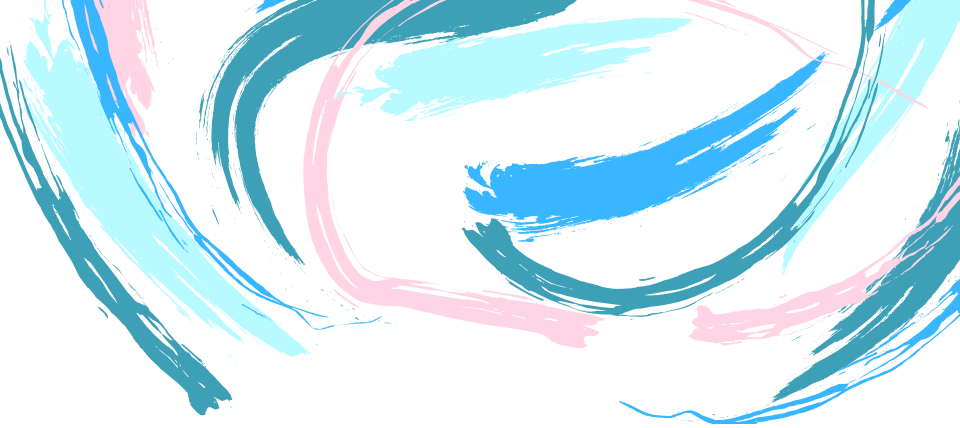
Along with the completed portraits, full stories as well as portions from stories submitted will be shared throughout May and June on the RMG website and on RMG's social media channels.

This project is designed to cultivate compassion and empathy for the nurses and all caregivers in this community and beyond. Please contribute to these unique visual illustrations of the often-unseen challenges and joys experienced daily by our nurses and caregivers.

**If you wish to submit a story, a line, or a thought for this project, please email it to Dani.**

**[danicrosbyillustration@gmail.com](mailto:danicrosbyillustration@gmail.com)**





## Optional prompts to get you started writing about nurses or caregivers. Please tell us...

how a nurse or other caregiver has helped you or someone you know.

about the personality of a nurse or caregiver you know.

about some of the things a nurse or caregiver you know enjoys.

some of the greatest challenges faced by a nurse or caregiver you know.

some of the greatest joys experienced by a nurse or caregiver you know.

Optional prompts to get you started writing from the perspective of a nurse or caregiver. Please tell us...

what kind of caregiver you are.

some of the greatest joys you have known as a nurse or caregiver.

some of the greatest challenges you have faced as a nurse or caregiver.

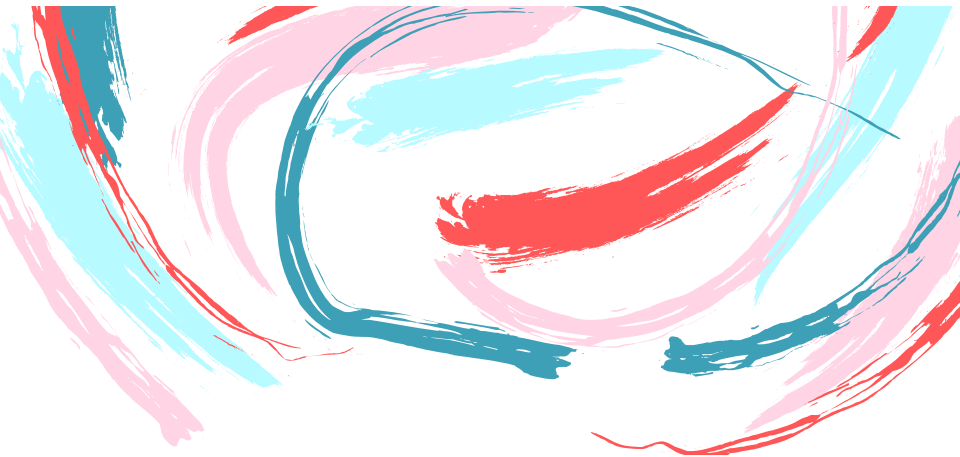
about some of your favourite things you enjoy outside of nursing or being a caregiver.

what society could do to make your job as a nurse or caregiver easier.

what words of support you wish you could hear from others.

Thank you for participating!





To see examples of symbolic portraits based on collected stories previously created by Dani Crosby please visit this link:

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