## Call for Artist to assist the Akron Children's Museum Sensory Mural Creation Request for Qualifications

The Akron Children's Museum is seeking a local artist to assist us with the expansion of our Sensory Mural wall leading into our museum. We currently have a tree and some green bushes made of a felt material in our entry area. We would like to provide our guests with an even more engaging entrance into our space to spark their creativity that includes play with a variety of textures. In the process, we would also love to showcase local artistic talent from the greater Akron area.

Interested artists should submit qualifications and either a jpg or pdf of a sketch of your suggestion for the space in the museum's entry. Below is a picture of what the museum has to start. We would love to see multiple sensory mediums for our guests to enjoy and explore on this wall. Please take your creative liberties and expand the idea to what you feel would be appropriate. Please note our primary demographic tend to be 6 months - 10 years but we do have some older children along with caretakers that bring our kids in.

Commission for this project will be based on experience, ability to complete the project on schedule, and quality of completed project. Qualifications are requested to be turned in by December 22, 2023

Interested individuals should submit their JPG or PDF to Traci Buckner, Executive Director at <u>traci@akronkids.org</u> and copy Emily Carpenter, Administrative Assistant to the Director at <u>emily@akronkids.org</u>

Akron Children's Museum Traci Buckner, Executive Director

