



## Imagine Disability Short Film Festival 2018: Call for Films

Imagine Supported Living Services is hosting its 7th annual short film festival on Friday October 12, 2018. This year, Imagine's Short Film Festival will be held at the Colligan Theater in the Tannery Arts Center in Santa Cruz, CA. This will be our third consecutive year working alongside this community and sharing their art space and theater, home to dozens of plays and productions each year.

We are now accepting short films to consider for this festival. We will consider all films that are directed by, about, starring or connected to individuals with developmental disabilities.

### ABOUT THE FILM FESTIVAL

The purpose of this short film festival is to EMPOWER – INSPIRE – ENGAGE – and celebrate our amazing community of individuals with developmental disabilities, their families, friends, coworkers, support staff and allies! We believe these short films are the perfect vehicle for people to express their strengths and abilities and share them with the greater Santa Cruz community!

### ABOUT IMAGINE

Imagine is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that has been supporting adults with developmental disabilities living in Santa Cruz County since 2002. Imagine exists to empower individuals with disabilities through service and advocacy. Learn more about Imagine at [www.imaginesls.org](http://www.imaginesls.org).

### SUBMISSION CRITERIA

1. Films must be directed by, about, starring or connected to individuals with developmental disabilities.
2. Films must be under 10 minutes in length.
3. In order to have your film considered, please fill out our informational form at <http://imaginesls.org/assume-short-film-festival/>
4. A DVD with your Film must be submitted to Imagine by August 31, 2018. Please mail or drop off your film at 9065 Soquel Drive, Aptos, CA 95003.
5. Selection for screening in the festival will be determined in September. Filmmakers will be notified of their status by mail/email whether their film was accepted into the festival or not.
6. All commercial/private property including, but not limited to, all trademarked and/or copyrighted materials shown or recorded within the film is the sole responsibility of the filmmaker. The Imagine Short Film Festival does not take responsibility for any legal claims of trademark or copyright infringement against the film, the film's producers, or for publicly

exhibiting the film. The filmmaker assumes all responsibility for any and all legal claims arising from exhibition of the film at The Imagine Short Film Festival.

7. Participants agree that their film or clips from it and all other material related to their project may be used and/or published in the event program, Imagine website, and for any promotional purposes that Imagine Short Film Festival deems appropriate.
8. By submitting your film to Imagine you attest that you have read and understand these guidelines and rules hold all necessary rights to screen the entered film publicly and are authorized to grant and does hereby grant said rights to Imagine Short Film Festival.

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