

Healing Arts ↔ Singapore



Application Form – Offline Version

Healing Arts Singapore Pilot Projects Producer:



Healing Arts Singapore Founding Partners:

Healing Arts Singapore Pilot Projects - Open Call

A national call for arts and mental health innovation

The Jameel Arts & Health Lab, Community Foundation of Singapore, and Temasek Foundation are launching this open call for pilot projects to strengthen mental wellbeing through the arts, tackle health inequalities, and inform culture and health policy in Singapore and across the Western Pacific region. The pilots are part of Healing Arts Singapore, Asia's first national-level arts and health initiative.

Running from 18 May to 18 July 2026, the open call aims to identify pilot projects with the potential to deliver scalable, long-term impact for communities and individuals in most need of mental health support. At a time of rising interest in the health benefits of the arts both in Singapore and across the world, these pilot projects will aim to identify innovative approaches while addressing gaps in evidence for arts-based mental health interventions. They will inform strategy for future scalability of arts and mental health interventions and position creativity as a catalyst for healthcare and public health system transformation.

Up to three pilot projects will be selected and accompanied by best practice evaluations guided by The THRivE Toolkit: Tools for Health Research and Evaluation in arts and heritage. Each project evaluation will be overseen by a committee represented by the Jameel Arts & Health Lab, the World Health Organization, Community Foundation Singapore, Temasek Foundation, Singapore's Institute of Mental Health, Community Jameel, the Yong Siew Toh Conservatory of Music at the National University of Singapore, and the Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts at the University of the Arts Singapore. It is hoped that evidence generated through the evaluations will help inform national, regional, and global arts and health policy.

Key Dates:

- Call Opens: 18 May 2026
- Call Closes: 18 July 2026
- Pilot Projects Announced: August 2026

Open Call Process:

All applications must be submitted via the official portal on healingartssingapore.org and will be assessed by an expert committee utilising the criteria outlined in this document.

Overview

Healing Arts Singapore Pilot Projects support innovative, cross-sector initiatives at the intersection of arts, culture, and mental health. This form is designed to assess the quality, feasibility, and potential impact of proposed projects.

Stage 1: Application Submission: May-June 2026

Organisations can submit a full application via the Healing Arts Singapore website. An offline form can be found with full application questions at healingartssingapore.org

Stage 2: Application Assessment: June-August 2026

- Applications will be scored against the selection criteria in this document
- Shortlisted candidates will meet with the Healing Arts Singapore Pilot Projects Steering Committee for further assessment

Stage 3: Notification, Contracting & Announcement: August/September 2026

- Successful applicants will be notified and contracts signed
- Pilot Projects will be announced

Funding range: \$50,000 to \$100,000 Singapore Dollars

Project duration: May 2026 to May 2028

Eligibility: Singapore-registered entities or partnerships

Application: Applicants should download the **Project Brief** before starting. In addition, we encourage applicants to complete the **Offline Form** prior to proceeding.

Please keep to the word limit, anything submitted over the word count will not be scored.

This form includes sections on governance, delivery, evaluation, and budgeting. Please prepare relevant documents in advance.

Applications will be reviewed by a dedicated Steering Committee. Due to the anticipated volume of applications:

- Only shortlisted applicants may be contacted if they are successful
- Outcomes are expected by August 2026 (subject to confirmation)

For queries, contact:
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Section 1: Organisation Details

This section helps us understand your organisation's governance, operational capacity, and experience delivering programmes at the intersection of arts, health and community wellbeing.

Healing Arts Singapore Pilot Projects involve multi-year delivery, cross-sector collaboration and structured evaluation. We therefore require clear information about your organisational readiness and accountability.

Question: Organisation/group name (Applicant) (Full legal name as registered) *

{INSERT}

Question: Registered/official address*

{INSERT}

Question: Correspondence address, including postcode (if different to above)

{INSERT}

Question: Organisation telephone number*

{INSERT}

Question: Organisational Email*

{INSERT}

Question: Website, blog or social media page etc, if you have one

{INSERT}

Question: Please provide a brief overview of your organization (200 words max) *

- Include core business/mission
- Target populations
- Key activities and programmes

{INSERT}

Question: Main contact for this application*

- Name
- Position in organisation
- Phone number
- Email address

{INSERT}

Question: Additional contact for the application

- Name
- Position in organisation
- Phone number
- Email address

{INSERT}

Question: Project Team (200 words max)*

- Principal Investigator/ Project Lead
- Co-investigator(s) (if applicable)
- Key delivery staff/ artists/ practitioners
- Evaluation partner (s) (if applicable)
- Optional upload:
 - CVs for key team members (max 3 pages each, pdf format only)

{INSERT}

Question: Track Record

- Please outline relevant track record (300 words max)*
 - Including previous projects/programmes, research studies, publications or output and/or any relevant pilot data or prior findings

{INSERT}

Section 2: Governance Structure

We are particularly interested in understanding how strategic oversight, financial accountability, and safeguarding are managed. This section may not apply to individual artists or academic applicants. Please complete as relevant.

Question: Does your organisation have a formal governance structure?*

Yes (If yes, please complete the following questions below)

No (If no, please briefly explain your accountability arrangements below)

{INSERT}

Question: Please include:

- Legal status (e.g., charity, CLG, society, etc.)
- Board or governing body structure
- Number of board members
- Frequency of governance meetings
- Relevant expertise represented (e.g., health, finance, legal, arts practice)

{INSERT}

Question: You may also describe:

- Internal management structure
- Reporting lines for this project
- Who holds final accountability for financial and programme delivery
- Optional:
 - Upload governance structure chart or organogram

{INSERT}

Question: Please confirm:

We confirm that the lead applicant is legally constituted in Singapore.

We confirm that the organisation has appropriate financial management systems in place.

We confirm that safeguarding policies are in place where relevant.

Section 3: Application Form Questions

This section should outline the core concept, intended activities, and the communities or populations you plan to engage. We are looking for proposals that demonstrate clarity of purpose, relevance to mental wellbeing, and a strong understanding of context.

This summary may be used for internal review and external communications if your project is selected.

Project Title:

Question: Please state the title of your project (50 words Max)

{INSERT}

Aims: Please outline the specific aims your project will achieve.

Question: Please outline the main project aims, the activities and who you will engage. Please note this wording may be used for promotional purposes. (250 words Max)

{INSERT}

Objectives: Please outline the specific objectives your project will achieve.

Question: Please outline your projects main objectives (250 words Max)

{INSERT}

Methodology: Please describe how your project will be delivered and how its impact will be evaluated.

Question: Please describe the methods that you intend to use in delivering the project? (200 words max)

{INSERT}

Question: Please describe your proposal for evaluating the impact of the project, including any evaluation partners already in place. (200 words max)

{INSERT}

Question: Are there any key ethical considerations for your project? If yes, please detail below. (50 words max)

{INSERT}

Question: What data will you look to collect and what personal data protection considerations will you implement? (50 words max)

{INSERT}

Impact: *Please describe the difference this project will make. We are seeking proposals that articulate:*

Question: Which individuals and/or communities will this project support? (200 words Max)

{INSERT}

Question: Describe how the project will impact its target audience (150 words Max)

{INSERT}

Question: How many people will this project reach? (50 words Max)

{INSERT}

Sustainability: *Please outline how the project could continue or scale beyond the initial funding period.*

Question: Can this project continue beyond the grant? (100 words max)

{INSERT}

Question: How might this project scale? (100 words max)

{INSERT}

Question: Does your project currently include any confirmed or potential funding sources? (100 words max)

{INSERT}

Budget: *Please provide a detailed and transparent breakdown of projected costs.*

Question: Personnel costs (including salary for the artist(s), coordinator(s), consultant(s), etc.) (300 words max)

{INSERT}

Question: Activity costs (including venue hire, transport, materials, etc.) (250 words max)

{INSERT}

Question: Other (please explain) (50 words max)

{INSERT}

Question: Please explain how your budget aligns with your delivery plan (including justification for any major costs, value for money, allocation for evaluation and any co-funding or in-kind support). (200 words max)

{INSERT}

Supplementary material: *Please upload relevant materials that strengthen your application. Supporting documents should complement your written responses and demonstrate capacity, credibility, and track record.*

- Artist Portfolio (Upload max 10 images and/or 2 videos)
- Previous evaluation material (if available)
- Visual material (max 2 pages)
- CV (maximum 3 pages)