# EPILEPSY WITHOUT WORDS

## **Photography Competition**

### FAQs: Frequently Asked Questions

#### What file size must the photo be?

A photo taken with a camera should be between 1Mb and 3Mb (1200x900 pixels to 2048x1536 pixels). Photos should not exceed 3Mb.

*Can I submit a photo taken with my mobile phone. iPhone, Blackberry, etc?* Yes, there is a separate category for photos taken with a mobile phone device. There is no size restriction on photos taken using a mobile/cell phone.

#### Can I use black and white and/or special effects?

We are looking for creativity, so feel free to express your individuality in your photo.

#### Who can enter the competition?

The competition is open to everyone, both professional and amateur photographers. There is no lower age limit, although those under the age of 16 years will need the permission of a parent/guardian

#### Should my photo have a title?

Yes, all entries must have a title and the title must be in English. The location where the photograph was taken must also be included. You may also wish to provide a description of the photo, but this is optional.

*Can I submit my entry by regular postal mail?* No, all entries must be submitted by email.

#### Do I have to complete an entry form?

Yes, all entries must be accompanied by a completed entry form. Each photo entered must be accompanied by a separate completed entry form.

#### Where do I find an entry form?

Full information on the competition, including the entry form, can be found on the IBE website <u>www.ibe-epilepsy.org</u>

#### Can I enter more than once?

Yes, of course. You can submit more than one entry for each and every category. However, in order to avoid any confusion in entries, a separate entry form must be completed for each photo submitted.

*Can I use a photo that I have entered in a previous photography competition?* There is no exclusion on photos have been entered in other similar competitions.

#### Is there a lower age limit for participants?

No, but if you are under 16 years of age you must have your parent or guardian's permission.

*What is the closing date for entries?* Entries must be received by the close of business on 1<sup>st</sup> May 2011.

When will the winners be announced?

Winners will be announced during the 29<sup>th</sup> International Epilepsy Congress in Rome in late August 2011.

#### *Where will my photo(s) be displayed?*

All entries will be available to view on the IBE website from 1<sup>st</sup> June 2011. Winning photos will be published in the International Epilepsy News, the quarterly magazine of IBE. An exhibition of photos entered for the competition is planned for the 29<sup>th</sup> International Epilepsy Congress.

#### *Will my photo(s) be used for promotional or commercial purposes?*

By submitting your photo(s) you agree to grant IBE, free of charge, the right to publish the photo(s) online and in all IBE media as required. The photo(s) will not be used for any commercial gain.



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