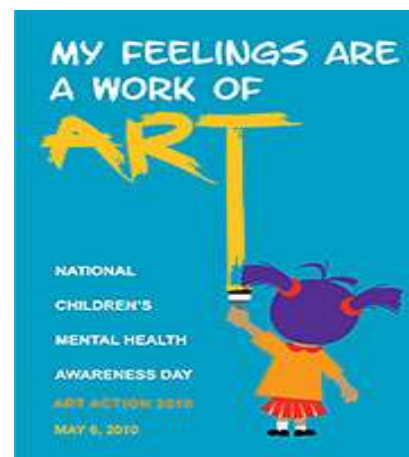


PARTNERING ON ART ACTION ACTIVITIES
National Children's Mental Health Awareness Day
MAY 6, 2010

Across the United States there are federally-funded community and tribal programs called **systems of care** that focus on comprehensive mental health services for children and their families.

To help celebrate National Mental Health Awareness Day on May 6, 2010, we urge Chapters to contact the systems of care projects in their states to explore collaborating on **Art Action 2010** activities.

Below is a list of the Chapters that have systems of care in their states and contact information.



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