

NEURO-DIVE!



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Synopsis of Neuro-DIVE!

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From the award-winning creator of *The ADHD Project* comes a new fantastical adventure inside a neurodiverse brain. **Neuro-DIVE!** is an interactive theatrical experience for children and their families. Blending clown, storytelling and shadow puppetry, **Neuro-DIVE!** explores the wild inner workings of a brain that doesn't quite follow the "rule book". A brain that is overflowing with ideas, emotions, and surprises!

At the heart of the story is our charmingly chaotic guide: Dina the Dopamine Receptor. Using shadow puppetry, she parachutes onto the scene and leads the audience on a tour through the "Brain Base" located in the Frontal Lobe. Dina is having a hard time keeping up with the daily demands of an overflowing mailroom, a skeleton control panel on the fritz and "feelies" getting out of control. When Dina unknowingly sets off a mysterious alarm, she and the audience need to work together as they set off to explore the rest of the brain for the very first time in a quest to find the elusive "Reset Button". Think Alice in Wonderland meets Inside Out!

You won't want to miss this re-imagined world of a brain, as creator Carlyn Rhamey opens a door into the process of learning to love and accept the brain you have, rather than battle against it. This story shares that everyone should be proud of their own unique brain, and much like a snowflake, no two are exactly alike!