

Mentoring Artists for Women's Art Space Policy

MAWA's Executive Director will oversee the supervision and maintenance of all MAWA spaces.

Primary Space

MAWA's primary space (2000 sq. ft. main level, including access to washroom in building next door, does not include offices and resource area) is a multi-use space for MAWA's scheduled programs and events. This includes: lectures, workshops, fundraising events, meetings, and MAWA exhibitions. In the case of a formal partnership (approved by the programming committee and the board) between MAWA and another arts organization, the space may be provided as part of MAWA's contribution to the project.

If a MAWA committee or program uses the space for an exhibition, that committee or program is responsible to restore the space and walls to the original condition. No permanent installations or modifications to the space by individual artists or groups of artists will be allowed.

MAWA's primary space is available for limited use to outside organizations based on approval by the MAWA staff. A rental fee and damage deposit is applicable to these programs.

The three office spaces and resource area are not available for any long-term use. Exceptions for one-day events may be made with prior approval of the programming committee and the board.

MAWA Apartment

Rental fees shall be reviewed annually and will include a damage deposit for long-term rentals or studio use for rentals not affiliated with MAWA.

In the event of a scheduling conflict, preference will be given to MAWA affiliated rentals.

The use of the apartment as a studio must be approved by the MAWA ED. Ventilation concerns, mediums and equipment being used and noise emissions shall be considered.

A procedure for distribution of keys, changing security codes and updating board/staff contacts shall be established and kept current.