



# CONDOMONIUM

2019

## CALL FOR DESIGNERS

CONDOMONIUM 2019 ♦ March 30 7 - 9 pm ♦ The Columns



**CHOICES** is seeking designers to create fashions out of condoms for this year's **CONDOMONIUM**. **CONDOMONIUM** is part party, part public awareness event, and *the* signature fundraiser for **CHOICES**. This year's **CONDOMONIUM** is going to be bigger and better than ever! New venue (The Columns), new layout (think lots of tables), new schedule of events, new online voting, and lots more! The theme this year is "**Roaring into the '20s: The Future is Fierce**," playing into the wonderful art deco vibe of The Columns. Join us!

**CHOICES Memphis Center for Reproductive Health** is a small (but mighty) non-profit organization providing reproductive health care, education, and policy advocacy around reproductive health and reproductive rights. Funds raised from **CONDOMONIUM** will be used to support **CHOICES'** programs and services.

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## PRIZES AND PERKS

Your design talents will support CHOICES' unique services to the community.

Each participating designer will each receive **one year of free reproductive wellness care** from CHOICES (up to \$500 value). This benefit can be used by the designer or gifted to someone else.

Each designer will receive **free admission to CONDOMONIUM for themselves and their model, plus two additional guest tickets** (up to \$200 value).

Professional hair and make-up services for models provided for final event.

## DESIGN GUIDELINES

CHOICES will provide apparel designers with equal allotments of raw (unlubricated) condoms (approximately 200-300).

- › It is expected that all condoms provided will be used in the apparel designs.
- › The choice to implement condom wrappers or additional condoms at designer's expense in final designs is optional.
- › CHOICES will reimburse each designer up to \$50 for additional fabric and notions. Please keep and submit all receipts.
- › Designers must provide their own models for both the Preview Party and the main event.
- › Designs must be wearable with a sustainable base; it is expected that sturdy, appropriate closures are utilized—please refrain from using hot glue, tape, or hand-stitching to secure your “look” on your model for the event.
- › Some, but not all, components of final designs are required to be original construction (e.g., you may purchase a blouse to go with a skirt you design and build, or purchase a belt to go with a dress you design and build.)
- › Finished designs will become the property of CHOICES to be used for promotional purposes including being displayed by CHOICES, event sponsors, and local partners

## DESIGNER SCHEDULE AND DEADLINES

November 18, 2018	Designer brunch and condom pick-up
January 7, 2019	Designers' initial sketches due by 5 pm
February 1, 2019	In-process photo model name/contact/bio info due by 5 pm
March 14, 2019	VIP Design Preview Party, modeled designs (final or in progress)
March 30, 2019	CONDOMONIUM! 7 – 10 pm, The Columns, downtown

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