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'The Sky's The Limit'

Create a design for a 'Hot Air Balloon' installation in TUH



The Sky's The Limit art project invites Patients, Staff and members of the Tallaght Community to get involved in a collaborative art project due for installation in the Hospital Atrium above the Volunteer Coffee Shop in 2019. We are looking for 25-30 bright, bold and beautiful hot air balloon designs to create a spectacular art installation everyone can enjoy. The competition officially launches on 2nd August, is open to all ages and we cannot wait to see your designs! The art project is supported by Tallaght University Hospital (TUH), kindly funded by the Meath Foundation, facilitated by lead Artist Lucia Barnes, co-ordinated through the National Centre for Arts and Health (NCAH), partnered by local organisations.

Stage 1: Colouring Competition

TUH invites **YOU** to create your own colourful 'hot air balloon' design. Choose from any of the four colouring templates or use a blank template to create your own unique design. Ensure your design stands out by using vibrant colours with markers, pencils, paint or pastels. Competition closes 5pm on the 14th Sept 2018. Winning entries will be notified via email or phone before 21st Sept 2018.

Stage 2: Creating the Artworks

While **YOU** are busy colouring your designs the Arts Team will be creating hot air balloons from 60-90cms high in preparation for the balloon painting workshops. To celebrate **Culture Night, 21st Sept 2018** the Arts Team will facilitate a demonstration of how to transform a balloon from its base white coat into a stunning array of colours during a workshop **in the Volunteer Coffee Shop from 4.30pm to 7.30pm**. Winning entries from the colouring competition will also be on display and details of how to sign up for a balloon painting workshop will be available at the workshop and advertised on the TUH website from this date. The Arts Team will work with Hospital inpatients through the Hospital Arts Programme, run workshops in TUH for Hospital staff and run Community workshops in RUA RED Art Centre for all other participants between Sept – Dec 2018.

Stage 3: Installation of the Artwork

The project will be installed in the Hospital Atrium, in Spring 2019 with an official opening celebration in the Volunteer Coffee Shop. All stages of the project will be documented through photography and video culminating in a video documentary featuring interviews with the project lead, arts team and most importantly the participants; highlighting the benefits and experience of what it is to take part in a participative and collaborative arts project supported by a healthcare setting.

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Terms and Conditions

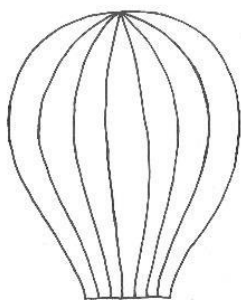
- Entry forms are available to collect from 02/08/2018 to 14/09/2018 from the Volunteer Coffee Shop or Main Atrium Reception Desk in Tallaght University Hospital or by download from the TUH Website by clicking the link below:
<http://tuh.ie/Departments/Arts-Department-%E2%80%93-National-Centre-for-Arts-and-Health/>
(Photocopies may be made of the entry form – only original artworks will be accepted as entries)
- Designs must not include letters, text, numbers, logos or branding advertisement.
- **Remember to complete your FULL NAME and CONTACT DETAILS in BLOCK CAPITALS** – making it easier for us to contact you.
- Return completed entries to the Main Atrium Reception Desk at TUH or
Post to: The Sky's The Limit, NCAH, Tallaght University Hospital, Tallaght, Dublin, D24 NR0A 24.
Staff members / Patients: may use internal post.
- **Close of entry is 5pm sharp on 14th September 2018 - No late entries will be accepted.**
- All entries become property of Tallaght University Hospital and unfortunately cannot be returned. *Please note your contact details will only be held for the term of the project and will not be shared.
- Designs will be chosen on artistic merit and creativity.
- Judges decision is final.
- Winning entries will be contacted via phone/email before the 21st September 2018. All winning entries will have their design replicated in **The Sky's The Limit** art installation in the Hospital Atrium. Winners will also be awarded the opportunity to partake in a workshop/s to paint their own balloon design alongside other participants and the Arts Team. Note: If winners are unavailable the Arts Team will arrange to complete the winners design on their behalf.
- This competition is open to all Hospital Patients, all members of Staff and all members of the local Community – no age restrictions apply.



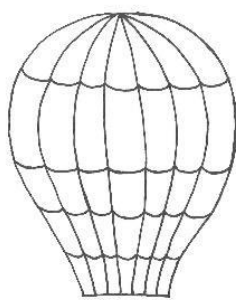
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Wishes all entrants the best of luck with your designs.

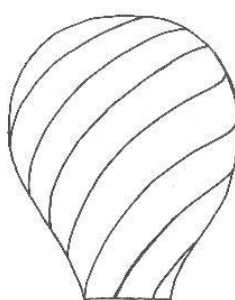
Balloon Templates



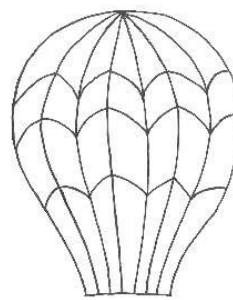
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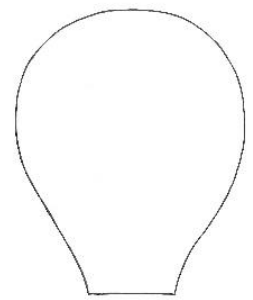
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Convex



Create your own



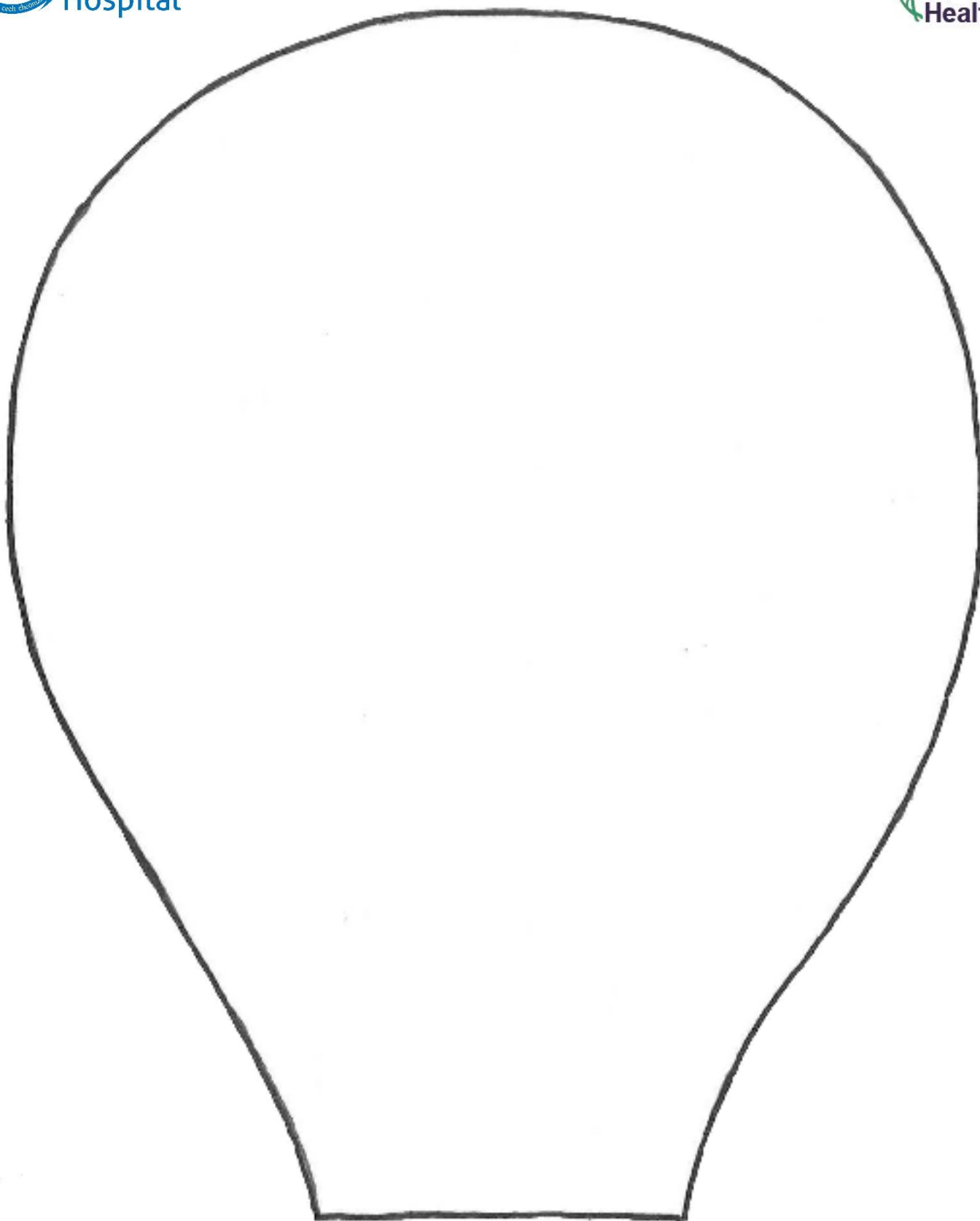
Example Balloon Designs



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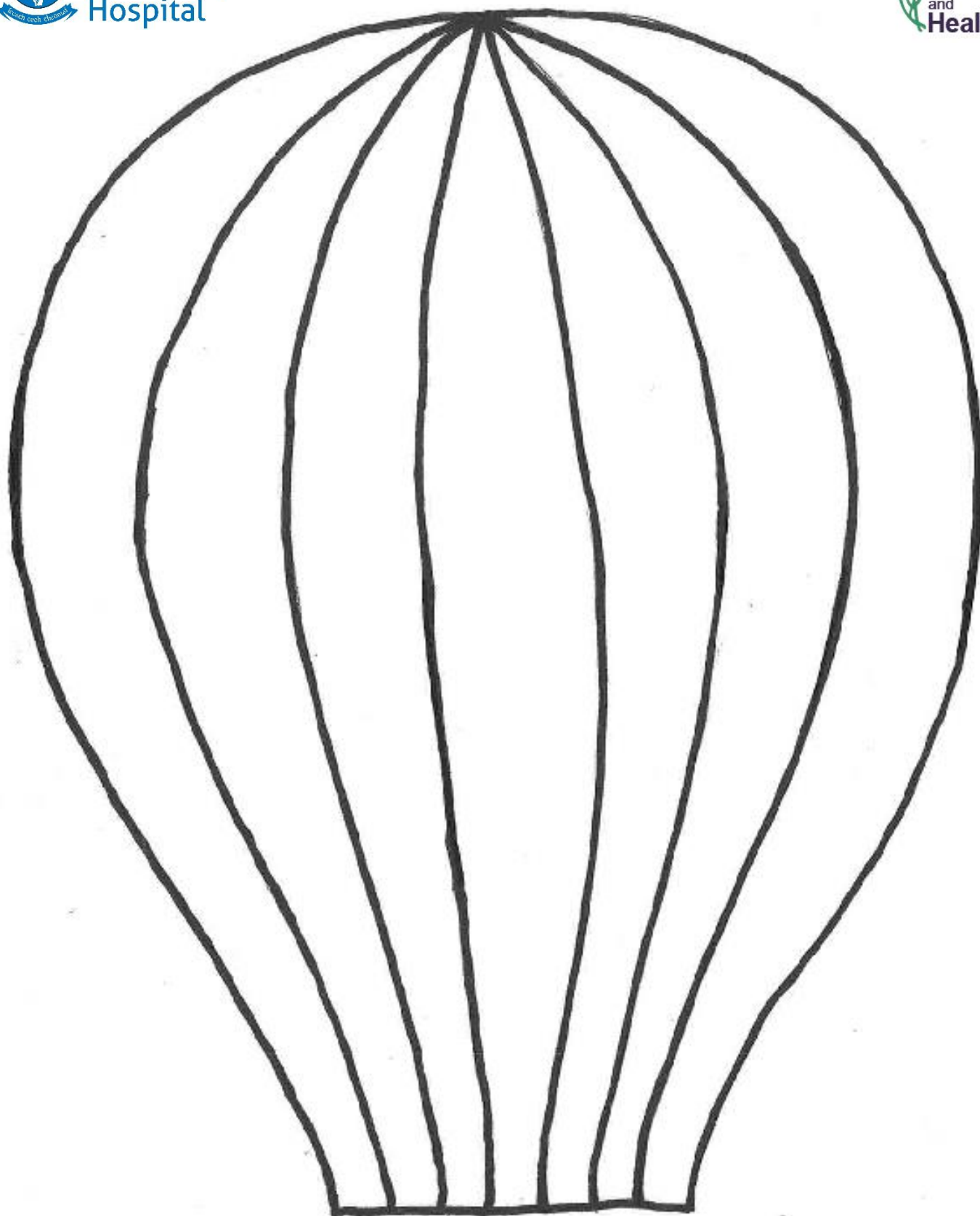
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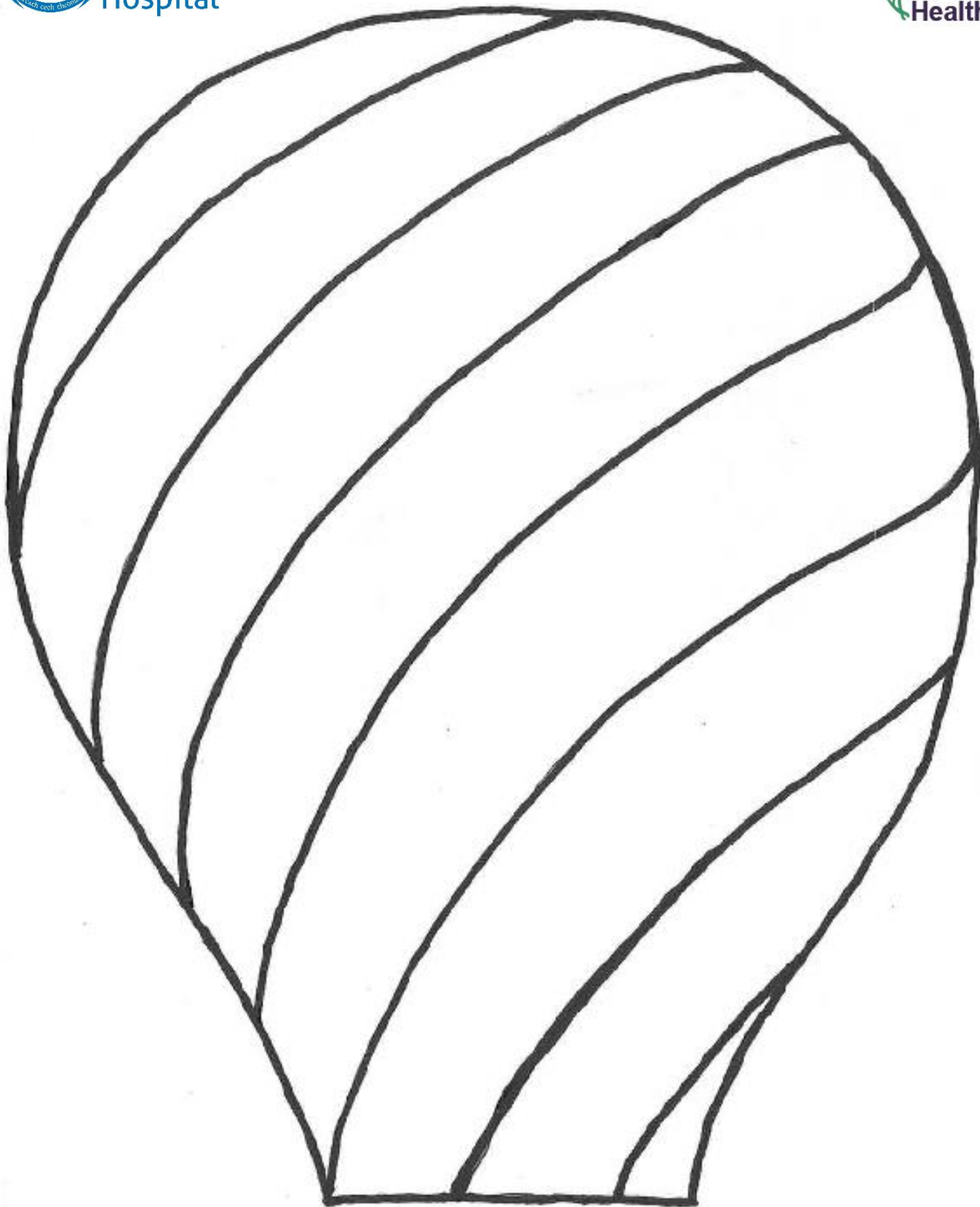
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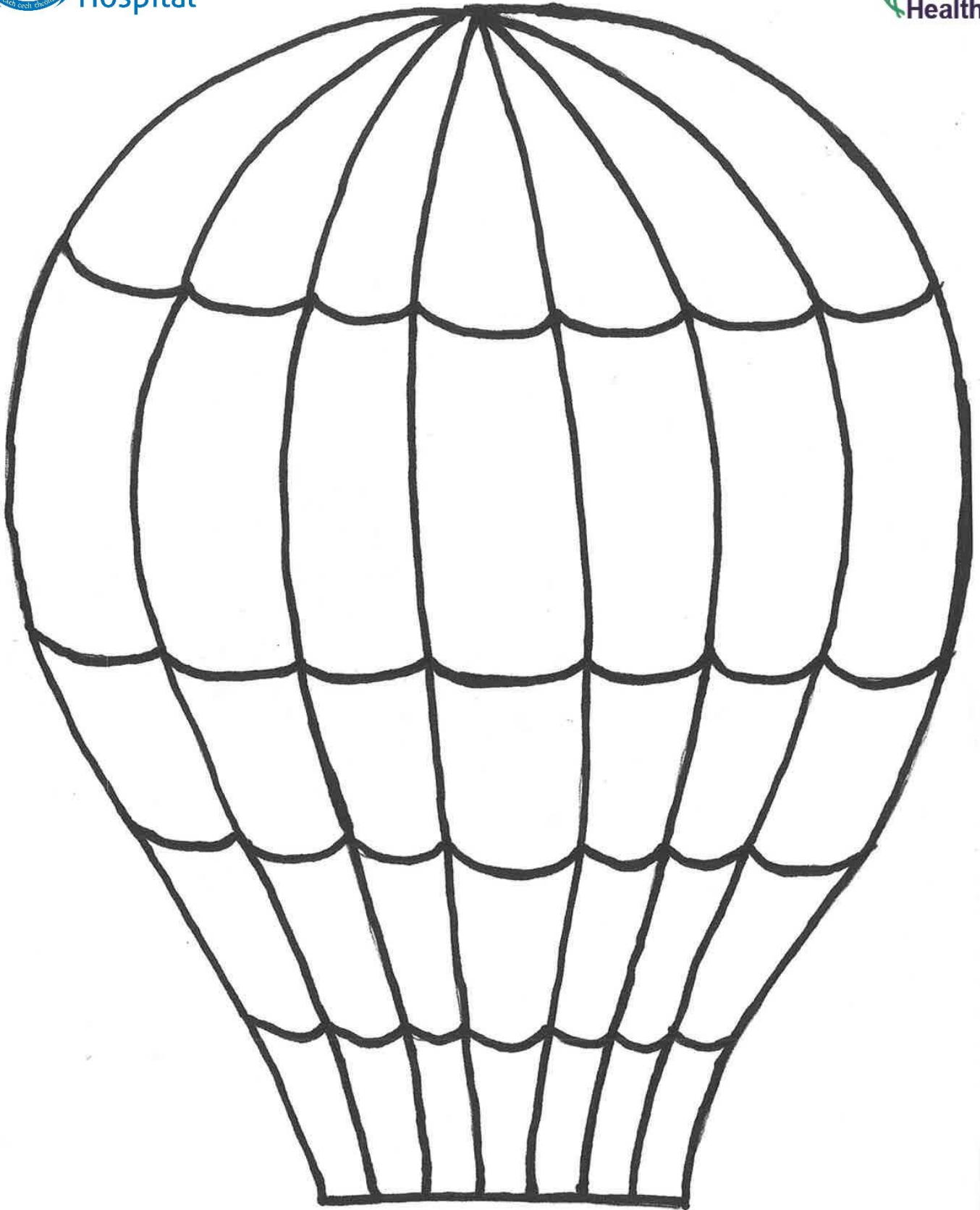
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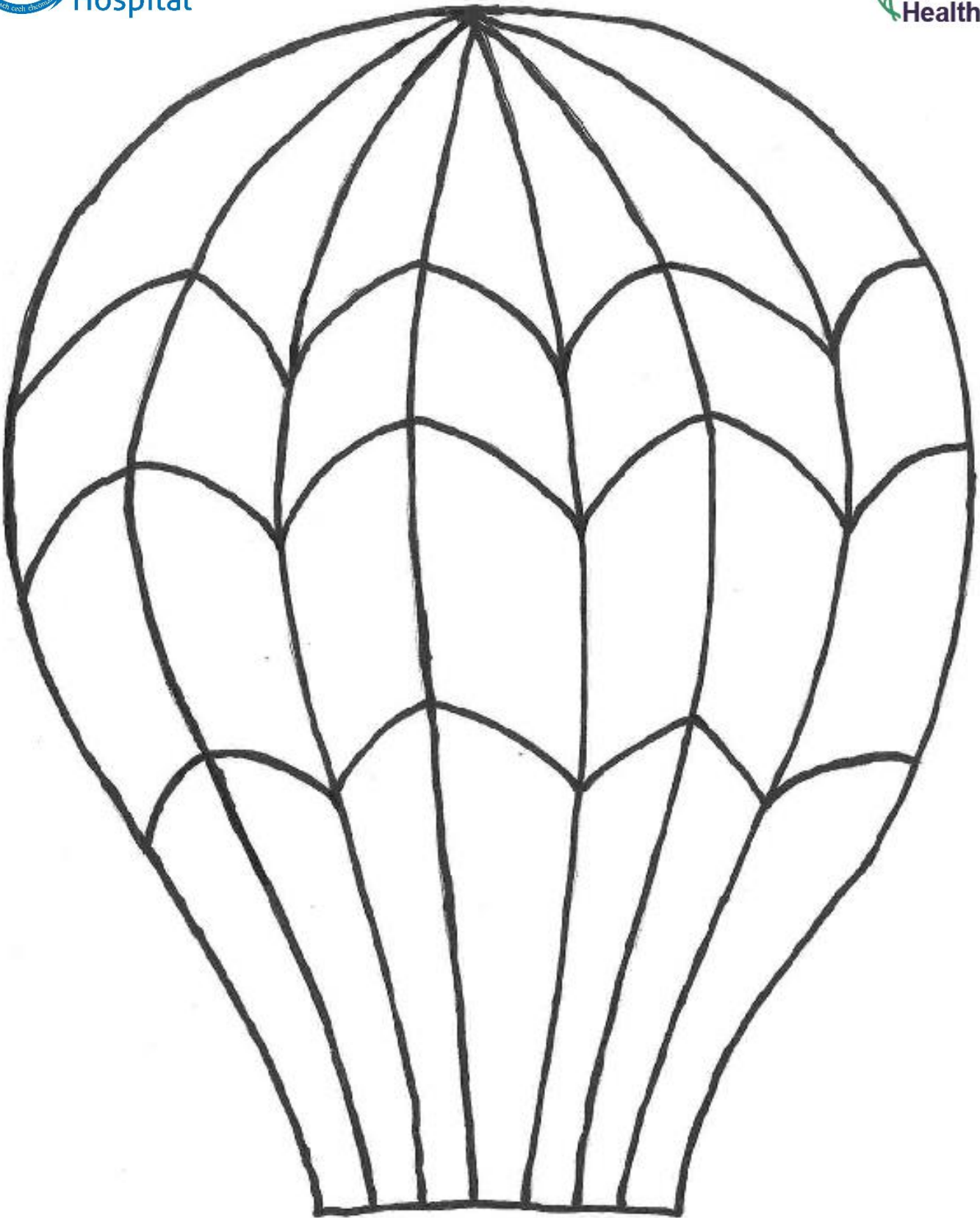
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