



# A SOCIAL NARRATIVE



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## GETTING TO THE NORTH AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL AUTO SHOW



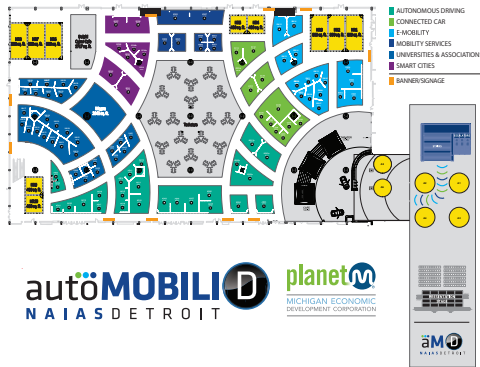
The North American International Auto Show is an exciting event! People travel from all over to see current cars and trucks, and concept cars in development!

The North American International Auto Show is held at Cobo Hall in Detroit. Cobo Hall is a big venue that will be filled with lots of people, loud sounds, bright lights, and cars of course! If loud noises bother me, I may want to bring earplugs or noise cancelling headphones. If bright lights bother me, I may want to bring a hat or sunglasses.

I may get to the North American International Auto Show by shuttle, ride share, taxi, or by driving and walking. It will be very busy, and I will need to be patient while I wait in traffic or long lines.



## NAVIGATING THE NORTH AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL AUTO SHOW



I may want to use a map to decide what areas I would like to see first. There are so many fun exhibits!

There will be a lot of people at the Auto Show. It may get crowded, with people close or touching me. There will be loud noises and bright lights. I will let the people I came with know if I need to take a break. I may wear earplugs, noise cancelling headphones, sunglasses, or a hat if it helps me.

I will stay close to the adults I came with. I will want to have their cell phone number with me in case I get separated in the crowds. I can ask a security guard if I need help. Security guards are wearing red jackets.

## EXHIBITS AT THE NORTH AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL AUTO SHOW



Some exhibits will let me get near the vehicles and even sit inside the cars! I may have to wait in a long line to get up close, take a picture with the car, or to get inside.

Some exhibits will not allow me to touch the vehicles. I may not touch or go near cars that are surrounded by barriers. I will follow directions from the Auto Show workers.

There will be Virtual Reality exhibits at the Auto Show. These exhibits each have their own rules. I may need not be able to participate based on my age or height. I will need to sign a waiver before I start my Virtual Reality experience. Virtual Reality exhibits will require that I wear goggles, glasses, or helmets, and a seatbelt. I may feel dizzy while on these rides.







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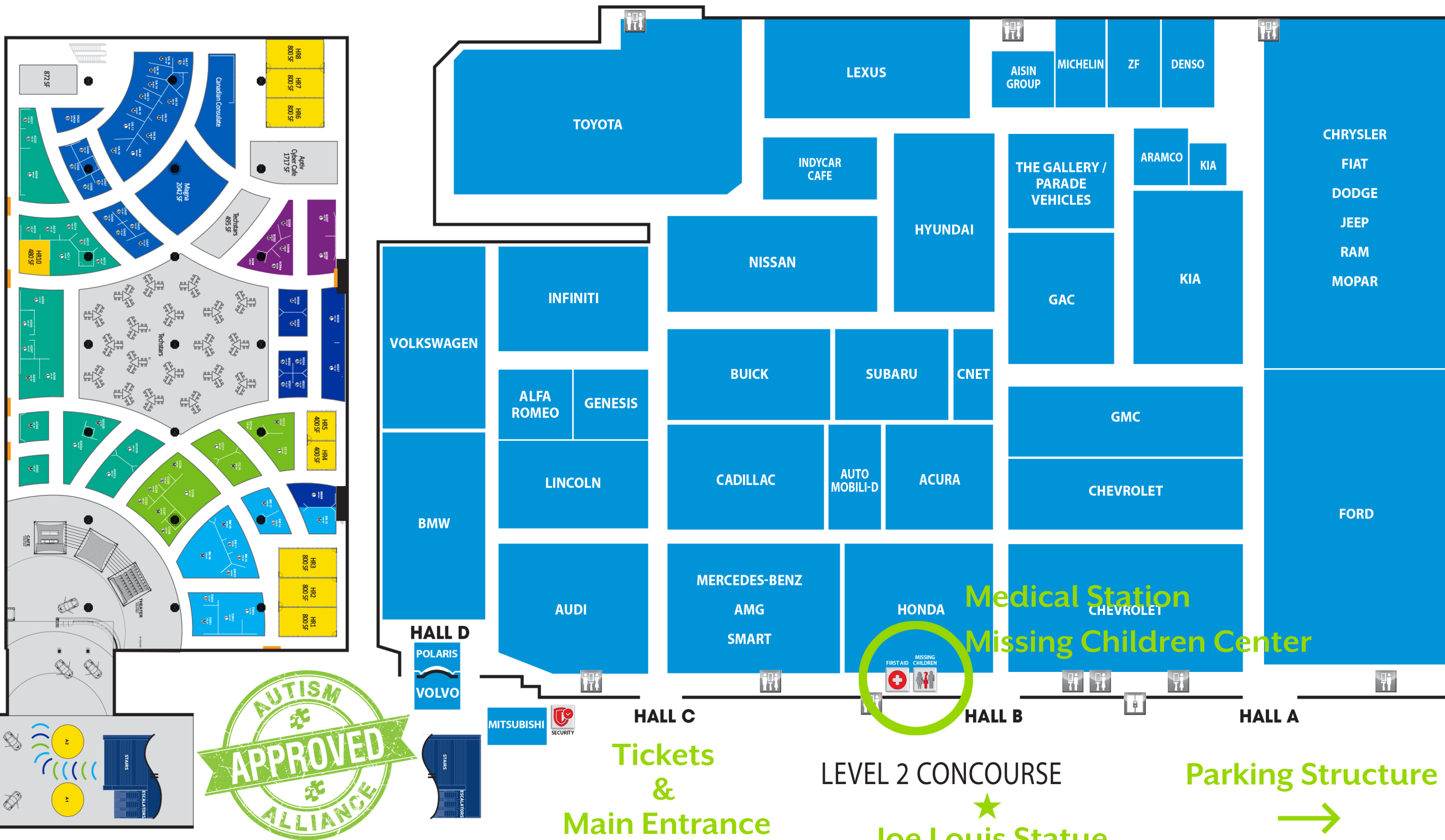
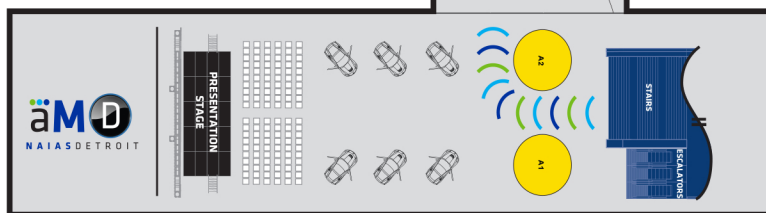
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AUTOMOBILI-D: Saturday, January 20 – Sunday, January 21

PUBLIC SHOW: Saturday, January 20 – Sunday, January 28