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Laura-Lee Fisher is the director of the Health Education and Chronic Disease Division at the Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan, Inc. A member of the Sault Tribe of Chippewa Indians, Laura has an M.S.A. degree in healthcare administration from Central Michigan University and has dedicated over 20 years of service to tribal health systems in many different capacities. Laura leads a team of dedicated staff who have a broad spectrum of expertise and backgrounds that create successful relationships with the Tribal Nations in which ITCM serves. Laura oversees all funding sources and programs within the Health Education and Chronic Disease Division of ITCM, covering over ten different projects. All projects serve topics such as colorectal cancer, breast cancer navigation, smoke-free homes, menthol and flavored tobacco products, and racial and ethnic approaches to community health. Laura is a member of the Sault Sainte Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians and is dedicated to the integration of traditional practices throughout the tribal healthcare delivery system. Laura's knowledge came from the Tribal Health Service perspective, and she spent years managing Tribal Health Programs such as Traditional Medicine and Behavioral Health, focusing on accreditation and implementation of programs serving tribal members.