

Health & Human Services Directory

Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe | Inter-Departmental Leadership & Provider Roster

Inter-Departmental Directory: Prepared for cross-functional communication and care coordination across Health Administration, Health Business Office, Nimkee Medical Clinic, Nimkee Public Health & Fitness, Nimkee Pharmacy, Andahwod Continuing Care, Behavioral Health (BH), and Anishnaabeg Child & Family Services (ACFS).

HEALTH ADMINISTRATION & QUALITY LEADERSHIP

Betsey Alonzo, MSA

ASSISTANT HEALTH DIRECTOR

Betsey Alonzo serves as the Assistant Health Director for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe. She holds a Master of Science in Administration (MSA) from Central Michigan University. In her leadership role, she oversees administrative operations and strategic initiatives across health services to ensure seamless care delivery and operational excellence.

EDUCATION	Master of Science in Administration (MSA), Central Michigan University
FOCUS AREA	Health Administration, Operational Leadership, Strategic Planning
LOCATION	Health Administration Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Nikki Hunt, MSA

ACCREDITATION & QUALITY ASSURANCE SPECIALIST

Nikki Hunt serves as the Accreditation and Quality Assurance Specialist for Health Administration with the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe. She holds a Master of Science in Administration (MSA) from Central Michigan University. She leads organizational compliance, accreditation standards, and continuous quality improvement initiatives to support high standards of patient care across health services.

EDUCATION	Master of Science in Administration (MSA), Central Michigan University
FOCUS AREA	Quality Assurance, Healthcare Accreditation, Process Improvement
LOCATION	Health Administration Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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HEALTH BUSINESS OFFICE

Kassandra Bageris

PATIENT REGISTRATION SPECIALIST

Kassandra serves as a Patient Registration Specialist for the Health Business Office. She specializes in collecting accurate patient information, ensuring patients are following IHS guidelines, insurance coordination, and streamlined patient registration. She is dedicated to providing a friendly, welcoming experience while ensuring efficient, accurate, and compassionate support for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribal community.

EDUCATION & TRAINING	Epic Credentialed Trainer (In Progress)
CORE FOCUS	Patient Registration, Insurance Verification, IHS Guidelines Compliance
LOCATION	Health Business Office Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Margaret Grewe

MEDICAL/DENTAL INSURANCE BILLER

Margaret Grewe serves as a Medical/Dental Insurance Biller for the Nimkee Memorial Wellness Center Business Department. She ensures accurate billing, payment posting, third-party payment processing, and rejection management for dental patient ledgers in Dentrix as well as patient account payment posting and claim resolution in Epic.

COURSES & TRAINING	AAPC Billing
CORE FOCUS	Accounts Receivable, Third-Party Billing & Payments, Rejected & Denial Claim Resolution, Insurance Verification, Dentrix & Epic Systems Billing
LOCATION	Nimkee Memorial Wellness Center Business Department Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CLINIC

Myele Williamson, MSN, PMHNP-BC

PSYCHIATRIC MENTAL HEALTH NURSE PRACTITIONER

Myele Williamson is a Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner, serving the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe community in the Behavioral Health Clinic. She completed her Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner Degree at Saginaw Valley State University in 2022. Mrs. Williamson provides comprehensive psychiatric care, diagnosing and treating mental health conditions across the lifespan through evidence-based, compassionate care.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN, 2013); Family Nurse Practitioner Degree (MSN, 2019); Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner Degree (2022, Saginaw Valley State University); Board-Certified Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP-BC)
CLINICAL FOCUS	Psychiatry
LOCATION	Behavioral Health Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Lauren Herline, Psy.D., LP

LICENSED PSYCHOLOGIST

Dr. Lauren Herline is a Licensed Psychologist, serving the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe community in the Behavioral Health Clinic in addition to serving Midland County residents in private practice. She completed her Doctoral Degree in Clinical Psychology at the Michigan School of Psychology in 2023. Dr. Herline provides comprehensive psychological evaluations, assessing and diagnosing mental health conditions across the lifespan with the most up-to-date standardized psychometric assessment tools.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Doctorate of Clinical Psychology (Psy.D., Michigan School of Psychology, 2023); Master's in Clinical Psychology (2017); Bachelor of Psychology (2013); Licensed Psychologist (LP)
CLINICAL FOCUS	Psychological Assessment
LOCATION	Behavioral Health Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
CONTACT	Phone: 989-775-4850

ANISHNAABEG CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES (ACFS)

Angela M. Gonzalez, LMSW

DIRECTOR OF ANISHNAABEG CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES

Angela M. Gonzalez serves as the Director of Anishnaabeg Child and Family Services (ACFS) for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe. She earned her Master of Social Work (MSW) from the University of Oklahoma, a Bachelor's in Criminal Justice with a Minor in Youth Services from Saginaw Valley State University, and an Associate's Degree in General Studies from Saginaw Chippewa Tribal College. Bringing extensive experience across ACFS—including roles as ICWC Representative/Foster Care Specialist, Social Services Caseworker, Social Services Supervisor, and Interim Director—Angela is deeply committed to child welfare, family preservation, youth advocacy, and holistic community support.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Licensed Master Social Worker (LMSW); MSW (University of Oklahoma, 2024); BS in Criminal Justice & Youth Services Minor (SVSU, 2012); AA in General Studies (Saginaw Chippewa Tribal College, 2005)
LEADERSHIP & FOCUS	Child & Family Welfare Administration, Social Services Advocacy, ICWC & Foster Care Leadership, Youth Task Force Committee Leadership
LOCATION	Anishnaabeg Child and Family Services (ACFS) Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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ANDAHWOD CONTINUING CARE & ELDER SERVICES

Sheligh Jackson

INTERIM DIRECTOR

Sheligh Jackson serves as the Interim Director of Andahwod Continuing Care Community & Elder Services for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe. She holds a Master of Science in Health Services from Central Michigan University. Sheligh is committed to serving Tribal Elders through compassionate leadership, high-quality care, and continuous organizational improvement.

EDUCATION	Master of Science – Health Services, Central Michigan University
FOCUS AREA	Elder Care Services, Assisted Living Management, Leadership
LOCATION	Andahwod Continuing Care Community & Elder Services Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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NIMKEE PUBLIC HEALTH & FITNESS

Christyna Barton

FAMILY LIAISON / FAMILY SPIRIT HOME VISITOR

Christyna Barton serves as Family Liaison/Family Spirit Home Visitor supporting the Family First Prevention Services Act (FFPSA) as part of the Maternal and Child Health program. She graduated from Central Michigan University with a B.S. in Psychology and a B.A. in Education with an Elementary Teaching Certificate (grades PK–8). She focuses on preventing CPS involvement, offering parent education and home visiting support for families navigating foster care or reunification, and promoting family wellness across the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	B.S. in Psychology / B.A. in Education (grades PK–8), Central Michigan University Elementary Education Teaching Certificate
PROGRAM / GRANT FOCUS	Maternal & Child Health – Family First Prevention Services Act (FFPSA)
CORE SERVICES	Home Visiting (Family Spirit Curriculum), Community Resource Referrals, Appointment Transportation, Family Events, Strengthening Individual & Family Unit Wellness
LOCATION	Nimkee Public Health Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Jasmine Gonzalez-Pelcher

FAMILY HEALTH EDUCATOR

Jasmine Gonzalez-Pelcher serves as the Family Health Educator for Nimkee Public Health, supporting the Tribal Home Visiting Grant along with the Johns Hopkins Family Spirit's Syphilis Pilot. She focuses on home visits, family support, and community events, dedicated to empowering community health, prevention, and wellness across the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe.

PROGRAM / GRANT FOCUS	Tribal Home Visiting Grant; Johns Hopkins Family Spirit's Syphilis Pilot
CORE SERVICES	Home Visits, Family Support, Community Events
LOCATION	Nimkee Public Health Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Jamie Recker, RMA

PATIENT NAVIGATOR / EPIC CREDENTIALLED TRAINER

Jamie Recker serves as the Patient Navigator/Epic Credentialed Trainer for Nimkee Public Health. She earned her Associate Degree from Mid-Michigan Community College and holds certification as a Registered Medical Assistant and Epic Credentialed Trainer for Cadence, Referrals, HIM, and Identity. She focuses on continued staff training and education as well as assisting in community events, dedicated to empowering community health, prevention, and wellness across the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Registered Medical Assistant (RMA); Epic Credentialed Trainer (Cadence, Referrals, HIM, Identity) Associate Degree (Mid-Michigan Community College)
CORE SERVICES	Continuous Staff Training & Education on Epic, Assisting in Community Events
LOCATION	Nimkee Public Health Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Jarek Chamberlain

FITNESS ATTENDANT

Jarek Chamberlain serves as Fitness Attendant for Nimkee Public Health, supporting the Nimkee Fitness Center. They earned their Associate Degree from Mid-Michigan College and hold certification in CPR while completing a major in Political Science and minor in Public Law at Central Michigan University. He focuses on maintaining a clean facility and assisting guests, dedicated to empowering community health, prevention, and wellness across the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Associate Degree (Mid-Michigan College); CPR Certification Currently pursuing Major in Political Science & Minor in Public Law (Central Michigan University)
CORE SERVICES	Facility Maintenance & Sanitation, Guest Assistance, Fitness Center Support
LOCATION	Nimkee Public Health / Nimkee Fitness Center Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Leah Carmody, LPN

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE, DIABETES GRANT COORDINATOR

Leah Carmody serves as Public Health Nurse and Diabetes Grant Coordinator for Nimkee Public Health. A graduate of Davenport University and a Licensed Practical Nurse, Leah focuses on the Special Diabetes Program for Indians (SDPI), dedicated to empowering community health, prevention, and wellness across the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) Davenport University
PROGRAM / GRANT FOCUS	Special Diabetes Program for Indians (SDPI)
CORE SERVICES	Competitive grant writing to obtain funds for continued diabetes treatment and prevention services
LOCATION	Nimkee Public Health Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Melissa (Mel) Bailey, RN

MATERNAL CHILD HEALTH NURSE

Melissa (Mel) Bailey serves as a Maternal Child Health Nurse for Nimkee Public Health, nurturing families by combining traditional ways with current health information to build a strong community. She delivers non-judgmental support, education, and empowerment tailored to each family's unique needs across maternal, infant, and childhood health programs.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Registered Nurse (RN); Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN, Valparaiso University); Associate of Arts in Midwifery (AAM, National College of Midwifery)
PROGRAM / GRANT FOCUS	Maternal & Child Health (Healthy Start Program, Tribal Home Visiting Program, Perinatal SOR4, IHS Funding)
CORE SERVICES	Home visits for families from pregnancy through 18 months postpartum (Healthy Start), home visits until child enrolls in school (Tribal Home Visiting), specialized support for families at risk for SUD (Perinatal SOR4), and non-medical consultations for children up to 18 years old (IHS)
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Rachel Shomin (Phillips), Diabetes-CHR, CNA

DIABETES COMMUNITY HEALTH REPRESENTATIVE

Rachel Shomin serves as Diabetes Community Health Representative for the last 9 years at Nimkee Public Health, supporting the Diabetes Prevention Program and Special Diabetes Program for Indians (SDPI). She earned her Certified Nurse's Assistant certification while in Mt. Pleasant High School and CHR/JVN Imaging program certifications in 2017. She focuses on Diabetic Education and Diabetes Care dedicated to empowering community health, prevention, and wellness across the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe.

CREDENTIALS & CERTIFICATIONS	CNA, Diabetes-CHR, IHS-JVN Imager, EPIC-Credentialed Trainer, BLS/CPR, AADE-DPP Lifestyle Coach Program
PROGRAM / GRANT FOCUS	Diabetes Prevention Program, Special Diabetes Program for Indians (SDPI)
CORE SERVICES	Diabetic Foot Exams, JVN Imaging, Office Visits, Home Visits, Transportation/Medication Deliveries, EPIC Trainings for Ambulatory Clinicians/Diabetes Education/Care Manager, Disease Surveillance, Annual Diabetes Examinations, Front Desk Coverage, Scheduling & Referral Authorizations
LOCATION	Nimkee Public Health Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Susan Sowmick, RN, BSN

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Susan Sowmick has served as a Public Health Nurse for Nimkee Public Health for 31 years, supporting Community Health. She earned her ADN from Lansing Community College and her BSN from Michigan State University. She focuses on empowering community health, prevention, and wellness for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe and the surrounding community across elders, infection prevention, employee health, and safety.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Registered Nurse (RN) BSN (Michigan State University), ADN (Lansing Community College)
SPECIALTY AREAS	Elders, Infection Prevention, Safety, Employee Health
CORE SERVICES	Home Visits, Medication Assistance, Immunization Clinics, Health & Safety Education, Wellness Screenings, Community Outreach & Events
LOCATION	Nimkee Public Health Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Tamara House, RN, CDCES, WCC

DIABETES COORDINATOR

Tamara House serves as Diabetes Coordinator/Educator for Nimkee Public Health, supporting the Special Diabetes Program for Indians (SDPI). She earned her Registered Nursing degree from Mercy Central School of Nursing in Grand Rapids, MI, and holds certifications as a Certified Diabetes Care and Education Specialist (CDCES) and Wound Care Consultant (WCC). She focuses on evidence-based practices and contributes to quality improvement initiatives to advocate for quality care and effective communication across the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Registered Nurse (RN), Certified Diabetes Care and Education Specialist (CDCES), Wound Care Consultant (WCC) Mercy Central School of Nursing
PROGRAM / GRANT FOCUS	Diabetes Program, Special Diabetes Program for Indians (SDPI)
CORE SERVICES	Person-Centered Care & Counseling, Individual Outpatient Clinic Visits, Group Education, Case Management, Home Visits
LOCATION	Nimkee Public Health Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Toni Smith, B.S., CWPM

COMMUNITY HEALTH EDUCATOR

Toni Smith serves as Community Health Educator for Nimkee Public Health, supporting the REACH Journey to Wellness Grant and the Nimkee Food Farmacy program. She earned her Bachelor of Science in Health Fitness in Prevention & Rehabilitation from Central Michigan University and holds certification as a Certified Wellness Program Manager (CWPM) through the Chapman Institute. She focuses on the Nimkee Food Farmacy, promoting walking paths, and advancing physical activity and community wellness across the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	BS in Health Fitness in Prevention & Rehabilitation (Central Michigan University); Certified Wellness Program Manager (CWPM - Chapman Institute)
PROGRAM / GRANT FOCUS	REACH Journey to Wellness / Food Farmacy Grant
CORE SERVICES	Food Farmacy Program (A1C management, health education classes, \$40/wk produce support for 12 wks through Sept 2027), Health Education & Campaigns, Walking Path Promotion, Physical Activity Initiatives
LOCATION	Nimkee Public Health Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Tracy Pigeon

PUBLIC HEALTH ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II

Tracy Pigeon serves as Public Health Administrative Assistant II at Nimkee Public Health. She brings over 20 years of experience across Diabetes, Emergency Preparedness, Maternal Child, Healthy Start, REACH, and Women's and Men's health grants, managing purchasing across 28 distinct budgets. She is dedicated to supporting a unified approach to healthcare for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribal community.

PROGRAM / GRANT FOCUS	Optical and Transportation Grants (Over 20 years experience with Diabetes, Emergency Preparedness, Maternal Child, Healthy Start, REACH, and Women's & Men's Health Grants)
CORE SERVICES	Public Health Front Desk, Purchasing & Budgeting (28 budgets), Grant Purchases, Travel & Training Coordination, Optical Services, Transportation Services
LOCATION	Nimkee Public Health Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Seth Pifer, NSCA-CPT

FITNESS COORDINATOR

Seth Pifer serves as the Fitness Coordinator for Nimkee Public Health, supporting Nimkee Fitness. He earned his Bachelor's in Exercise Science, Health Fitness from Central Michigan University and holds certification as a Certified Personal Trainer (NSCA-CPT). He focuses on providing strength and conditioning and coaching sessions dedicated to empowering community health, prevention, and wellness across the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	BS in Exercise Science, Health Fitness (Central Michigan University); NSCA-CPT; American Red Cross CPR/AED
CORE FOCUS	Personal Training, Small-Group Personal Training, Elder Mobility & Fall Prevention, Sport/Athlete Strength and Conditioning, Exercise Prescription, Facility Management
LOCATION	Tribal/Nimkee Fitness Center Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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NIMKEE CLINIC PHARMACY

Andy Baumann, PharmD

PHARMACY MANAGER

Andy Baumann serves as Pharmacy Manager at the Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy. He earned his Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) from Ferris State University and specializes in Medication Therapy Management (MTM), Chronic Disease State Management, Patient Consultation, anticoagulation dosing, and smoking cessation therapy. He is dedicated to providing safe, comprehensive pharmaceutical care, patient education, and medication management for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe community.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD); Immunization Certification Ferris State University
CLINICAL FOCUS	Medication Therapy Management (MTM), Chronic Disease State Management, Patient Consultation, Anticoagulation Dosing, Smoking Cessation Therapy
LOCATION	Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Steve Eggerd, RPh

STAFF PHARMACIST

Steve Eggerd serves as a staff pharmacist at the Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy. He earned his RPh degree from Ferris State University and specializes in Medication Therapy Management (MTM), Chronic Disease State Management, Patient Consultation, anticoagulation dosing, and smoking cessation therapy. He is dedicated to providing safe, comprehensive pharmaceutical care, patient education, and medication management for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe community.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Registered Pharmacist (RPh); Immunization Certification Ferris State University
CLINICAL FOCUS	Medication Therapy Management (MTM), Chronic Disease State Management, Patient Consultation, Anticoagulation Dosing, Smoking Cessation Therapy
LOCATION	Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Jenna O'Meara, PharmD

STAFF PHARMACIST

Jenna O'Meara serves as a staff pharmacist at the Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy. She earned her Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) from Ferris State University and specializes in Medication Therapy Management (MTM), Chronic Disease State Management, Patient Consultation, anticoagulation dosing, and smoking cessation therapy. She is dedicated to providing safe, comprehensive pharmaceutical care, patient education, and medication management for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe community.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD); Immunization Certification Ferris State University
CLINICAL FOCUS	Medication Therapy Management (MTM), Chronic Disease State Management, Patient Consultation, Anticoagulation Dosing, Smoking Cessation Therapy
LOCATION	Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Lola Langlois

PHARMACY TECHNICIAN

Lola Langlois serves as a Pharmacy Technician at the Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy. She specializes in medication billing, dispensing, and patient care. She is dedicated to providing safe pharmaceutical care for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe community.

CREDENTIALS & LICENSURE	Pharmacy Technician Licensed in the State of Michigan
CLINICAL FOCUS	Medication Billing/Dispensing, Patient Care
LOCATION	Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Teresa Olson

PHARMACY TECHNICIAN

Teresa Olson serves as a Pharmacy Technician at the Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy. She specializes in medication billing, dispensing, patient care, and inventory management. She is dedicated to providing safe pharmaceutical care for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe community.

CREDENTIALS & LICENSURE	Pharmacy Technician Licensed in the State of Michigan
CLINICAL FOCUS	Medication Billing/Dispensing, Patient Care, Inventory Management
LOCATION	Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Tricia Way

PHARMACY TECHNICIAN

Tricia Way serves as a Pharmacy Technician at the Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy. She specializes in medication billing, dispensing, and patient care. She is dedicated to providing safe pharmaceutical care for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe community.

CREDENTIALS & LICENSURE	Pharmacy Technician Licensed in the State of Michigan
CLINICAL FOCUS	Medication Billing/Dispensing, Patient Care
LOCATION	Nimkee Clinic Pharmacy Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
CONTACT	Phone: 989.775.4924 Fax: 989.775.4990

NIMKEE MEDICAL CLINIC LEADERSHIP & CLINICAL STAFF

Dr. Prem Barry Kissoondial, M.D.

MEDICAL DIRECTOR & PHYSICIAN

Dr. Prem Barry Kissoondial serves as the Medical Director and Staff Physician at Nimkee Medical Clinic, providing clinical oversight and medical leadership for the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe community at the Nimkee Memorial Wellness Center. He completed his Family Practice Residency at Hamot Medical Center (now formally UPMC Hamot in Erie, PA) and a Fellowship in Obstetrics and Gynecology. Additionally, he serves as a Clinical Assistant Professor at Central Michigan University. As Medical Director, Dr. Kissoondial leads clinical quality standards while delivering comprehensive care centered on process improvement, clinical leadership, team building, teaching, internal/family medicine, substance use disorder (SUD) care, and chronic disease management.

ROLE & LEADERSHIP	Medical Director , Nimkee Medical Clinic Clinical Assistant Professor, Central Michigan University
CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Doctor of Medicine (M.D.); Family Practice Residency at Hamot Medical Center (UPMC Hamot, Erie, PA); Fellowship in Obstetrics & Gynecology
CLINICAL FOCUS	Process Improvement, Clinical Leadership, Team Building, Medical Education/Teaching, Internal & Family Medicine, Substance Use Disorder (SUD), Chronic Disease Management
LOCATION	Nimkee Medical Clinic Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Dr. Jeffrey Striebel, D.O.

PHYSICIAN

Dr. Jeffrey Striebel is a Board-Certified Family Medicine Osteopathic Physician serving patients at Nimkee Medical Clinic within the Nimkee Memorial Wellness Center. He earned his Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (D.O.) degree from Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1998, where he participated in the Rural Community Initiative, following a B.S. in Physical Education and Exercise Science from Michigan State University. He completed his Family Practice Residency at Mercy General Health Partners in Muskegon, MI in 2001. Bringing over 26 years of clinical experience across family practice, urgent care, procedural medicine, and health IT leadership, Dr. Striebel provides whole-person primary care rooted in respect, patient empowerment, and supporting the body's inherent healing ability.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (D.O.), Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine (1998); B.S. in Physical Education & Exercise Science (MSU, 1993); Family Practice Residency at Mercy General Health Partners (2001); Board Certified in Family Medicine; BLS Certified
CLINICAL FOCUS	Family Medicine, In-Office Procedures, Urgent & Acute Care, Chronic Disease Management, Patient-Centered Medical Home, Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine
LOCATION	Nimkee Medical Clinic Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Dr. Deborah Eisenmann, M.D.

PHYSICIAN

Dr. Deborah Eisenmann is a board-certified physician providing primary care services at Nimkee Medical Clinic. She earned her Doctor of Medicine (M.D.) degree from Oral Roberts University (graduated May 2, 1987) and completed her Family Practice residency at Midland Hospital Center (now MyMichigan Health) from 1987 to 1990. Board certified by the American Board of Family Medicine, Dr. Eisenmann is committed to building strong, trusting relationships with her patients and delivering high-quality primary care.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Doctor of Medicine (M.D.), Oral Roberts University (1987); Residency at Midland Hospital Center / MyMichigan Health (1987–1990); Board Certified by the American Board of Family Medicine
CLINICAL FOCUS	Family Medicine, Preventive Care, Women's Health
LOCATION	Nimkee Medical Clinic Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Penny Thompson, NP-BC

BOARD-CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONER

Penny Thompson is a Board-Certified Nurse Practitioner serving community members at the Nimkee Memorial Wellness Center. She completed her advanced nursing degree at [University] and maintains national board certification as a Nurse Practitioner (NP-BC). Ms. Thompson delivers compassionate, patient-centered care focused on [routine health screenings, chronic disease management, and wellness support].

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Board-Certified Nurse Practitioner (NP-BC); [Master of Science in Nursing (MSN)]
CLINICAL FOCUS	[Primary Care, Patient Education, Chronic Disease Management]
LOCATION	Nimkee Memorial Wellness Center Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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John Pattison, MSN, FNP-BC, PMHNP-BC

FAMILY & PSYCHIATRIC MENTAL HEALTH NURSE PRACTITIONER

John Pattison is a dual board-certified Nurse Practitioner providing care at Nimkee Medical Clinic. He holds a Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) from Michigan State University and maintains dual board certifications as both a Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP-BC) and a Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP-BC). Mr. Pattison offers an integrated approach to physical and mental health care, addressing integrated primary care, behavioral and mental health, wellness, substance use disorders (SUD), and psychiatry.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Master of Science in Nursing (MSN), Michigan State University; Board-Certified Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP-BC); Board-Certified Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP-BC)
CLINICAL FOCUS	Integrated Primary Care, Behavioral & Mental Health, Wellness, Substance Use Disorder (SUD), Psychiatry
LOCATION	Nimkee Medical Clinic Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Sierra Harns, DNP, FNP-BC

FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER

Sierra Harns is a Board-Certified Family Nurse Practitioner serving patients at Nimkee Medical Clinic within the Nimkee Memorial Wellness Center. She earned her Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) degree from Michigan State University and holds board certification as a Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP-BC). At Nimkee Medical Clinic, Dr. Harns provides comprehensive primary care services, preventive health, chronic disease management, and substance use disorder (SUD) care, while in the process of completing her psychiatry specialty.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP), Michigan State University; Board-Certified Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP-BC)
CLINICAL FOCUS	Primary Care, Preventive Health, Chronic Disease Management, Substance Use Disorder (SUD), In Process of Psychiatry Specialty
LOCATION	Nimkee Medical Clinic Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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Shelley Frantz, MS, PA-C

CERTIFIED PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT

Shelley Frantz is a Certified Physician Assistant providing patient care at Nimkee Medical Clinic within the Nimkee Memorial Wellness Center. She earned her Master of Science Physician Assistant degree from Central Michigan University and holds a Bachelor's degree in Preventive Health. Working closely with the clinic's healthcare team, Ms. Frantz treats a broad range of patient needs with a focus on general & family medicine, preventive care, acute care, and weight loss management, including GLP-1 therapies.

CREDENTIALS & EDUCATION	Certified Physician Assistant (PA-C); Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies (Central Michigan University); Bachelor's Degree in Preventive Health
CLINICAL FOCUS	General & Family Medicine, Preventive Care, Acute Care, Weight Loss Management, GLP-1 Therapies
LOCATION	Nimkee Medical Clinic Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe
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