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I am passionate about bringing awareness to the issue of MMIR. It is an epidemic that is far too often overlooked. There are widespread systemic problems that need to be brought to light and addressed.

I have worked and volunteered in various social service positions over the past 30 years. My experience as a professional working with group homes, corrections, youth work, homelessness and advocacy has increased my knowledge and understanding of underlying risk factors for American Indians.

I believe that with prevention and education about safety we can continue to build a stronger community and response for our youth.