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## UNIFIED – HIV Health and Beyond

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## UNIFIED – HIV Health and Beyond (UNIFIED) Announces New President, Leanne Savola

UNIFIED - HIV Health and Beyond's board of directors is pleased to announce that it has named Leanne Savola as its new President. Leanne has worked in the HIV field since 1995. She began her career doing street outreach in Detroit and ran a harm reduction program in NYC before returning to Michigan in 2005. Prior to joining UNIFIED, Leanne worked at Planned Parenthood of Michigan and served as the HIV/STI Director at the Detroit Health Department. She oversaw the Ryan White Part A Program for the metro Detroit area and HIV prevention programs for the City of Detroit.

Leanne is committed to ending the HIV epidemic and believes that one of the most important parts of reaching that goal is by working with the community to customize HIV services to address their experiences and meet their needs.

*"I am thrilled to be part of UNIFIED - HIV Health and Beyond. We have a long history of fighting HIV stigma, conducting community research and mobilizing people living with and at risk for HIV. Paired with high quality services these are vital activities as we work to end the HIV epidemic in Southeast Michigan."*  
– Leanne Savola

UNIFIED is excited for this new addition to the leadership team and confident that Leanne will continue to guide us in providing innovative, life-saving services to Southeast Michigan residents.

Please join the board of directors of UNIFIED in welcoming Leanne Savola.

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