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Dr. Campbell is responsible for the development, implementation, and operational integrity of the VHA programs that provide Veterans access to a full continuum of integrated mental health care and suicide prevention services. Prior to her detail as the Executive Director, Office of Mental Health and Suicide Prevention, Dr. Campbell served as Chief Mental Health Officer for Network 10 serving Indiana, Michigan, and Ohio. She was also detailed to VHA Office of Community Care where she served as Chief Medical Officer and Special Advisor to the Executive Director of Clinical Operations and Field Integration. Other VHA leadership positions have included Acting Chief of Staff, Associate Chief of Staff for Mental Health, and Associate Chief of Staff for Education.



Dr. Campbell is a United States Air Force Veteran. She attained her Medical Degree and Doctoral Degree in Clinical Psychology from Wright State University. She completed Clinical Psychology Internship at Wright Patterson Airforce Base and General Psychiatry Residency at University Hospitals Cincinnati Ohio where she served as Chief Resident. She completed advanced training in Hypnotherapy at Menninger Clinic and has a certification in Advanced Psychodynamic Psychotherapy from the Cincinnati Psychoanalytic Institute. She is a Diplomate of the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology and she is a Distinguished Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association. She is a recipient of the Airforce Commendation Medal and Federal Service Excellence Award.