

# Joe Syrette

## Traditional Healer

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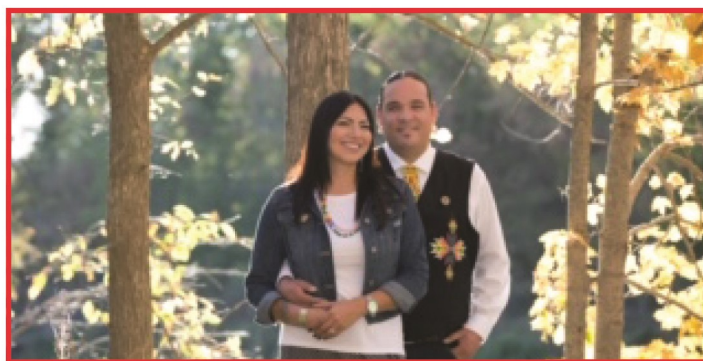
9 a.m. - 6 p.m. | Behavioral Health (2800 S. Shepherd Rd., Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858)

### Joe Syrette

Joseph Syrette is Anishinaabe Ojibwe from Batchewana First Nation located in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario Canada.

Joseph is a proud husband and father and illustrates traditional values, morals and teachings by living a clean and healthy lifestyle for his family to follow.

He has spent his young and adolescent years in Ontario learning how to live in duality between the modern world and traditional Anishinaabe world through fasting and attending ceremonies, and growing up as a traditional shkaabewis “helper”. He has also gained knowledge and language from his traditional Ojibwe family, as well as the many elders and spiritual people from Batchewana, Garden River and other First Nations across North America and the United States. He has had the opportunity of working alongside many different elders and healers to which he has been given teachings and rights to helping his Anishnaabeg relatives with spiritual healing.



He promotes cultural sharing and healing to community members so we can all learn to build encouragement on our cultural knowledge and sacred walk through life, and “through identity, we can reclaim our own path in life by living a Mino’biimaadiziwin (Good Life) that was always intended for us live”.

### Heather Syrette

Heather Syrette is an enrolled member of Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa in Harbor Springs, MI and Oneida First Nation of Ontario, Canada; and holds a Bachelor Degree in Social Work with a minor in Psychology. She supports individuals to

seek assistance through traditional healing, advocating for Native rights, and helping others heal from Historical Trauma. Heather is rooted into her culture and language and utilizes traditional teachings to guide her respectfully throughout Indian Country.



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