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Staples is the director of outpatient behavioral health services for Maricopa Integrated Health System (MIHS), in Phoenix. She provides administrative and clinical oversight of outpatient behavioral health programs, including the First Episode Center, Assertive Community Treatment, and Integrated Behavioral Health programs.

Before joining MIHS, Staples served as associate director for clinical initiatives at Arizona State University's Center for Applied Behavioral Health and the director of recovery, resiliency, and wellness for the Arizona Department of Health Division of Behavioral Health Services. With more than 25 years of experience implementing evidence-supported clinical and recovery services, she continues to focus on increasing collaboration with stakeholders and across service systems, to stimulate practice improvements and promote recovery.