

**Robert D. Moore**, an enrolled member of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe of South Dakota, is serving his second consecutive term as an elected Council member of the Tribe. Moore serves on the Health, Government Affairs (chair) and Budget and Finance (vice chair) committees for the Tribe. He is also the Great Plains Alternate Area Vice President of the National Congress of American Indians, and Great Plains representative to the Tribal Technical Advisory Group of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. Moore has been a leader for the Great Plains tribes working to secure recent passage of the Indian Health Care Improvement Act in the US Senate advocating for tribal citizens, promoting tribal sovereignty and securing treaty obligations for health care. Working almost exclusively in federal-tribal relations for 20 years, including serving as the Indian Affairs staff member for former US Senator Tom Daschle, his work has raised the awareness of health disparities throughout all of Indian Country. He has also worked extensively in and is a strong advocate for American Indian Higher Education as a former employee and graduate of Sinte Gleska University of Rosebud. He makes his home in Antelope, South Dakota at the heart of the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation where he is the primary care-giver for his elder parents.