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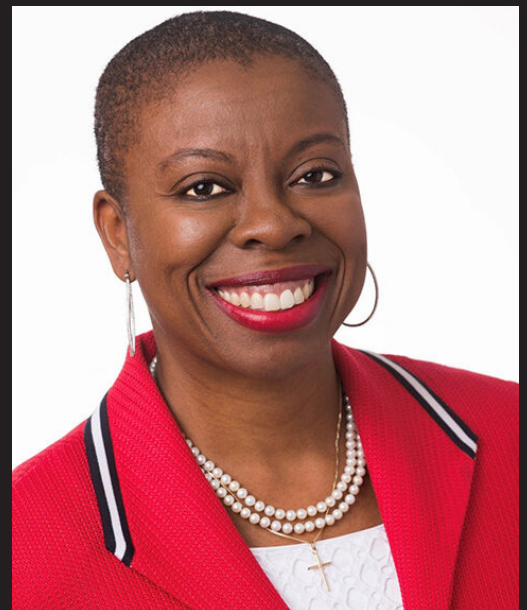


2022 MWRD AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

Tracey Brown

Tracey Brown was the CEO of the American Diabetes Association (ADA) from 2018 – 2021. Brown is a chemical engineer by training and earned an MBA from Columbia University.

The ADA is a network of more than 565,000 volunteers, their families, and caregivers; a professional society of almost 20,000 professionals, and over 250 staff members. Brown was the ADA's first CEO diagnosed with type 2 diabetes. Brown turned her diagnosis into a call for action by caring for the diabetes community. Before her appointment, Brown volunteered at the ADA, the largest voluntary health organization in the U.S. Her focus was on education and awareness, redefining dietary guidelines, and precision medicine. Brown launched new partnerships with corporate sponsors to address health disparities that exist for communities of color.



Brown left the ADA in October of 2021 to become Walgreen's President of Retail Products and Chief Customer Officer.