

**Leadership Aurora Class 2022  
Mini-Profile**

**Name: Danielle Jackman**

**Company/Position: Aurora Mental Health Center  
Director of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion**

**Brief Bio/History:**

**I am an immigrant from Trinidad and Tobago, a single mother, Black, an empath, and champion for justice. I am passionate about equity and inclusion and have strived to be a good steward to my community throughout my life. Throughout my academic career, I have worked with several populations including farmers with disabilities, at-risk youth, and people experiencing homelessness. In my current role I work with staff and connect with community members on ways we can increase different forms of diversity, elevate inclusion and center equity. I have several identities that are both marginalized and privileged and consider myself to be a great advocate for the less fortunate.**

**Hobbies/Interests**

- **Listening to audiobooks**
- **Playing with my son**
- **Traveling**
- **Trying new foods**

*(Please return by Friday, August 20, 2021)*

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