



CARL CLARK, MD

President & Chief Executive Officer



DR. CARL CLARK'S early experience with his father's bipolar disorder sparked a commitment to helping people with mental illness regain their lives, hopes and aspirations.

As President & Chief Executive Officer of WellPower (formerly the Mental Health Center of Denver) Dr. Clark leads the organization by "focusing on what people can do, not what they can't do." He has dedicated his career to improving the well-being of the Denver community and beyond through a focus on health promotion, well-being, resilience and recovery across the lifespan.

Under the leadership of Dr. Clark, WellPower is powering the pursuit of well-being, delivering strengths-based, person-centered, culturally responsive services. In 2018, WellPower was named a finalist for a World Changing Idea Award from Fast Company Magazine and the same year won the Excellence in Behavioral Healthcare Management Award from the National Council for Behavioral Health. In 2021, WellPower was named a Top Employer in Healthcare by DiversityJobs.com and has been a Denver Post Top Workplace for eleven years running. In 2023, WellPower won the Large Nonprofit of the year award from the Denver Metro Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. Clark joined WellPower in 1989. He became the Medical Director in 1991, Chief Executive Officer in 2000 and President & CEO in 2014.

PRESENTATIONS:

- Well-being: Balancing Work, Family and Community
- Promoting Well-being: Person-Centered, Evidence-Based Services Focused on Outcomes and Accountability
- The Evolving Healthcare Landscape: Contemporary Concepts of Behavioral Health in the US and Colorado
- The State of Behavioral Health in Colorado: Policy and Care Models
- Culture Eats Technology for Lunch: Executive Leadership in Technology Implementation