

Dr. Holder earned a medical degree from the University of Texas Medical School in Houston. He then completed a residency in family practice at Memorial Medical Center in Corpus Christi, Texas, where he earned the Physician Excellence Award and was named Resident of the Year for two years. Dr. Holder holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Dallas, where he graduated cum laude. In June 2016, he was accepted into the two-year Masters of Science in Palliative Care/Interprofessional Palliative Care program at the University of Colorado Graduate School. In January 2017, he was named chair of the Accreditation Review Committee of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), as a representative of the Oklahoma State Medical Association.

Prior to joining CTCA®, Dr. Holder served as Medical Director of a not-for-profit hospice and as a physician in a private family practice, both in Muskogee, Oklahoma. He was also a physician for a hospital as well as a multi-specialty clinic in Mexia, Texas.

He has served on the Attorney General's Task Force to Improve End-of-Life Care in Oklahoma. Previously, he was a member of the Professional Advisory Board for Special Reports Television in Knoxville, Tennessee, which was a patient education television program showing in the reception

Board certified in Hospice and Palliative Medicine and Family Medicine, Dr. Holder has over 20 years of experience in hospice and palliative medicine/symptom control and management.