

## HEALTHCARE HLC Wellness Frontiers Award

**Objective:** To promote best practices and draw attention to existing wellness initiatives that demonstrate excellence and quality.

**Application**: Eligible applicants are non-HLC member organizations of any size from the governmental, public, or private sectors (or a partnership that combines multiple sectors) that are implementing an evidenced-based wellness program that prevents disease and improves the well-being of a population. Community groups with multi-group support are especially encouraged to apply. The program or intervention must demonstrate:

- Cost-effectiveness
- Evidence-based foundation
- Measurable results (outcomes metrics are preferred, but process metrics will also be considered)
- Replicability

**Nomination**: HLC members may nominate wellness programs or practices for consideration. HLC may also solicit applications. Interested organizations should contact Teresa de Vries (<a href="mailto:tdevries@hlc.org">tdevries@hlc.org</a>) for more information on how to apply.

**Award:** The HLC Wellness Award will be given at least bi-annually to winners in two categories:

- 1. Employer (non healthcare employer)
- 2. Community Intervention

Award recipients will receive:

- Plaque/trophy
- Recognition on HLC website
- Recognition in the recipient's home state at an HLC-sponsored awards presentation event for media, policymakers, and other stakeholders
- Recognition in Washington, D.C. highlighting recipients of the award (may include Hill visits, Hill briefing, or opportunities to meet HLC CEO members)