

ABOUT KEITH L. CLARK, DVM

Education

Dr. Clark attended BYU Idaho (Rick's College) and later received a Bachelor of Sciences in Microbiology from the University of Idaho. He received his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine from Washington State University.

Professional Affiliations

American Veterinary Medical Association

Washington State Veterinary Medical Association

Inland Empire Veterinary Medical Association

American Veterinary Dental Society

Licensed Veterinarian – Washington State

Licensed Veterinarian – Idaho State

Spokane Valley Chamber of Commerce

Better Business Bureau

Board Member for Central Valley School District

Eagle Scout – Boy Scouts of American Council

Member Troop 405

Personal

Dr. Clark is the son of a Veterinarian and grew up in Southern Idaho going on farm calls with his Dad. He and his wife, Shelly, have been married over 20 years and have 7 children. Additionally, they have 3 horses and 2 cats. The entire family has been involved in the practice since moving here in 1995.



WE CATER TO FUSSY PET PARENTS

See what our clients are saying. . .

We have always found that your facility provides excellent, professional, yet 'personal' care to Ludwig. We have recommended you on several occasions! We thank you for your caring and concern, kindest regards.

Chuck and Delores H. – Spokane

I was very pleased with all aspects of our visit to Dr. Clark. I am planning on bringing all the rest of our four-legged children to see Dr. Clark as we need to.

Dianne F. – Veradale

We enjoyed our visit at your office and look forward to our future routine care visits. Based on our positive visit, I feel confident that we picked a quality veterinarian for our new puppy. Thank you.

Kristen G. – Spokane Valley

You guys were/are awesome. Thanks so much for everything!!

Mike and Jen M. – Spokane Valley



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WE'RE NOT YOUR ORDINARY VETERINARY HOSPITAL

Pet Vet Hospital and Wellness Center does some very important things differently from other veterinary practices. It may seem ordinary to you, but your pet will definitely feel the difference. Here are just a few of the standards and practices which make us different from every other veterinarian.

Therapeutic Laser Treatment—This is a pain free, drug free laser therapy which speeds healing and alleviates pain due to age, trauma or other factors. We're one of only 600 veterinary practices in the nation, and the only one in Spokane to offer this advanced technology. **Pain Management as Standard Procedure**—You don't want your pet to be in pain. Neither do we. Pain management techniques that most veterinarians consider "extra" are standard for us.

A Sterile, Professional Environment—Every surgical procedure is performed in a sterile environment with fully sterilized instruments and with the doctor gloved, masked and gowned. Seems like that should be a minimum standard for every veterinary practice, but such safeguards are surprisingly uncommon.

Lifesaving Surgical Standards—Careful preparation before and monitoring during surgery prevents unwanted outcomes. Every pet is electronically monitored for heart rate, blood pressure and respiration and is administered fluids intravenously. Pre and post surgical pain medications are standard and surgical recovery takes place on heated bedding. Sadly these standards are not the norm in our profession.

Advanced Dentistry—As veterinary medicine advances, more attention is given to proper dental care as essential for long term health. Still, advanced dental treatment capabilities are non-existent in most veterinary practices, Dr. Clark has not only received extended dental training but has invested in state of the art equipment including digital dental radiography and high speed dental units just like you would see at your own dentist. Dr. Clark is one of the few veterinarians who performs surgical extractions, root canals and other oral surgery.

Professional Staff—The staff at Pet Vet Hospital and Wellness Center are either state licensed professionals or have received specialized veterinary training.

Complete In-House Diagnostics—Dr. Clark has gone beyond the typical veterinary practice in obtaining specialized diagnostic equipment. This means you don't have to wait days for lab work to come from somewhere else before Dr. Clark can determine what's causing your pet's discomfort.



WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW WHEN CHOOSING YOUR VETERINARIAN

HERE ARE SOME IMPORTANT QUESTIONS YOU SHOULD CONSIDER WHEN SELECTING YOUR VET:

- **How much time will be allotted for an examination?** A thorough initial exam is critical to determine your pet's condition.

Dr. Clark requests a minimum of 40 minutes for an exam.

- **Does the veterinarian require I.V. fluids, electronic monitoring and heated bedding with all surgical procedures to reduce risk and improve recovery?**

This level of safety and comfort is standard procedure at Pet Vet Hospital and Wellness Center

- **Does the veterinarian insist on aggressive pain management?**

Dr. Clark believes that too little attention is given to pets in pain. Pain management is not optional for Dr. Clark.

- **What about the capabilities and training of the staff?**

Dr. Clark insists on working with highly trained professional staff. Washington State VMA regulations outline what staff certifications are necessary for specific treatments and procedures.

- **Does your veterinarian hold a state license without restrictions?**

Find out the status of your vet's state license at this web site: <https://fortress.wa.gov/doh/providercredentialsearch/SearchResult.aspx> . If there are actions recorded against your vet, be sure to ask more questions.

- **Does the veterinarian follow American Veterinary Medical Association guidelines in providing 6-month wellness exams?**

Remember that 6 months for your pet is equal to 3 ½ years for you. Twice yearly wellness exams are important for the long term health of your pet. See www.npwm.com for more details.

- **Does the veterinarian have any special areas of expertise or offer additional professional qualifications?**

Dr. Clark is a member of the American Veterinary Dental Association and regularly exceeds the annual continuing education requirements for all of his certifications.