



Robert J. Lea, MBA

Robert J. Lea, MBA, joined Illinois Retina Associates as CEO in May 2022. Robert oversees all operations at Illinois Retina including its over 200 employees, 14 physicians and 15 locations. Prior to joining Illinois Retina, Robert served as Practice Administrator for Retina Center Northwest in Silverdale, Washington starting in 2013 and Operations Manager for Wellish Vision Institute in Las Vegas, Nevada starting in 2006.

Robert holds an MBA from UNLV and speaks fluent Spanish. He is currently a member of RetNet, ASRS, AAO and ASOA; he has presented at various local and national association meetings as well as serves on various administrative boards. Robert is a talented speaker, enjoys volunteering with youth and scouting organizations, and making memories with his wife and three children.