



Dr. Wendell J. Spangler, MD

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Paulding High School 1992 University of Toledo B.S. 1996 Medical College of Ohio M.D. 1999

Wendell Spangler graduated from Paulding High School in 1992 in the top 4% of his class. After high school graduation, Wendell attended and graduated from the University of Toledo in 1996 magna cum laude. He graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology and a minor in Biological Chemistry. Wendell did his senior year of college at the Medical College of Ohio since he was admitted to the early admissions program with a very limited amount of other students. After completing medical school in 1999, Wendell attended his 3-year family medicine residency at the W.W. Knight Family Practice through the Toledo Hospital.

Wendell came back to his hometown to practice family medicine in 2002 and has been employed by Paulding County Hospital (PCH) since. He has had many duties as a physician since starting at PCH including Chief of Staff multiple times, running an allergy clinic and a drug court clinic, and has been the collaborating physician for some mid-level providers.

He is currently serving on multiple committees at his place of employment including physical therapy, pediatrics/newborn division, home care and family practice divisions, and on the medical staff wellness and bioethics committees. Most recently, he is now on the Board of Health of Paulding County and Child Mortality Review committees. He is also the medical director of Hands of Hope Pregnancy Center of Paulding County.

Wendell resides near Paulding with his beloved wife Kari, and his three children, Hudson, Ella Kate and Sophia. He is the son of James and Carolyn Spangler.