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Department head leaves hospital

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Johnny Toler has been promoted to the head of the purchasing department at Cornville Regional Medical Center. He was assistant head of purchasing under Bob Wilkinson.

Toler has worked at Cornville Regional Medical Center for 13 years.

“This hospital means a great deal to me and my family, and I will give my best efforts to making our purchasing department the best,” Toler said. “I learned from a fine man — Bob Wilkinson—and I hope I can continue to build on the foundation he established.”

Toler’s wife also works at Cornville Regional. Carolyn Toler is the head of the gynecology department at Cornville Regional Medical Center. They have two children.

Toler started at the hospital in the pharmacy department. He was an assistant druggist when he started at Cornville Regional. In 2014 he moved to the purchasing department as an assistant after the pharmacy closed.

Though Wilkinson has moved on from the hospital, Toler hopes to build on the foundation he has built.

“Bob’s abilities will be greatly missed at this hospital, but I know that Johnny Toler is a person we can all depend on to do whatever is necessary to keep this department going,” said Harry Illscott, hospital administrator. “I have great faith in him and in this hospital.”