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WEST VIRGINIA HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES 2026 BOARD LEADERSHIP

CHARLESTON, WV – The West Virginia Hospital Association (WVHA), representing 78 acute care and specialty hospitals and health systems in West Virginia, recently elected new officers and at-large members for 2026.

OFFICERS

Chair	DAVID GOLDBERG , President & CEO, Mon Health, Morgantown and Executive VP, Vandalia Health
Vice Chair/Treasurer	DAVID HESS, MD , President & CEO, WVU Medicine United Hospital Center
Immediate Past Chair	IVAR “SKIP” GJOLBERG , FACHE, President, WVU Medicine St. Joseph’s Hospital

AT-LARGE MEMBERS

DOUG BENTZ, Chief Executive Officer, Roane General Hospital

DAVID BRASH, Chief Executive Officer, Raleigh General Hospital

GLENN CROTTY, JR., MD, President and CEO, CAMC Health System and Executive Vice President, Vandalia Health

DOUGLASS HARRISON, Chief Executive Officer, WVU Medicine Wheeling Hospital

TODD HOWELL, President, Beckley Appalachian Regional Hospital

DAVID RAMSEY, President and CEO, Vandalia Health

SCOTT RAYNES, President & CEO, Marshall Health Network

HEATHER SIGEL, VP Operations, Valley Health Hampshire Memorial and War Memorial Hospitals

ANGELA SWEARINGEN, Chief Operating Officer, St. Mary's Medical Center

FRANK WEBER, Chief Executive Officer, Select Specialty Hospital

STEPHEN WHITED, Chief Executive Officer, Minnie Hamilton Health System

ALBERT WRIGHT, President and CEO, WVU Medicine - WVU Health System

HEALTHCARE EDUCATION FOUNDATION (HEF) CHAIR

ANGELA SWEARINGEN, Chief Operating Officer, St. Mary's Medical Center

WEST VIRGINIA HEALTH SERVICES (WVHS) CHAIR

VIRGIL UNDERWOOD, Chief Executive Officer, Boone Memorial Health

AMERICAN HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION (AHA) REGIONAL POLICY BOARD

KAREN BOWLING, Chief Executive Officer, WVU Medicine Princeton Community Hospital and Executive Vice President Governmental Affairs, WVU Health System

About WVHA: The West Virginia Hospital Association (WVHA) is a not-for-profit statewide organization representing hospitals and health systems across the continuum of care. The mission of the WVHA is to support its members in achieving a strong, healthy West Virginia. Connect with WVHA through Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube. Learn more about WVHA at wvha.org.

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