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MOUNTAIN EAST MEDICAL CENTER NAMES NEW HEAD OF PURCHASING
Johnny Toler, assistant head of purchasing for the hospital and staff member of 13 years, was appointed to the role this morning.

MOUNTAIN EAST, Calif— Today, Mountain East Medical Center named Johnny Toler, assistant head of purchasing and staff member of 13 years, as the department's new head.

Toler's background is in pharmacy. He began as an assistant druggist in the hospital pharmacy and was moved to the purchasing department in 1978 as an assistant after the pharmacy closed. His wife, Carolyn, is head of the center's gynecology department.

"This hospital means a great deal to me and my family, and I will give my best efforts to make 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."

After three years with Mountain East, Wilkinson has taken a position as a purchasing agent with the City Memorial Hospital.

"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 his department going," said hospital administrator Harry Illscott. "I have great faith in him and in this hospital."

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