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Ohio Academy of Family Physicians Installs New Officers

(COLUMBUS, Ohio)—Ohio Academy of Family Physicians (OAFP) installed its 2011-12 slate of officers on Aug. 6 during its Annual Dinner, which is part of its Members Assembly, at Marriott Columbus Northwest in Dublin, Ohio.

The following officers each will serve a one-year term, which began Aug. 6:

- President Colette R. Willins, M.D., Westlake, Ohio (44145)
- President-Elect Ratna K. Palakodeti, M.D., Beavercreek, Ohio (45434)
- Vice President Jon C. Seager, M.D., Hartville, Ohio (44632)
- Treasurer Thomas P. Houston, M.D., Dublin, Ohio (43017)
- Speaker Suellywn Stewart, M.D., Westerville, Ohio (43081)
- Vice Speaker Ryan D. Kauffman, M.D., Bellefontaine, Ohio (43311)
- Immediate Past President Sarah L. Sams, M.D., Hilliard, Ohio (43206)

The Ohio Academy of Family Physicians is a statewide, professional association with more than 4,100 members, including practicing family physicians, family medicine residents and medical students. The scope of family medicine encompasses all ages, both sexes and every disease entity. Family physicians provide comprehensive, continuing care to all members of the family. For more information, visit www.ohioafp.org.

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Editor's Note: To request a photo of any of the OAFP officers, please send an e-mail with resolution requirements to msmith@ohioafp.org.