

## Nathan P. Wirick, PharmD

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Clinical specialist at Hillcrest since: 2005

### Education:

- > Infectious Disease Specialty Residency 2004 to 2005, The Ohio State University Medical Center, Columbus, OH
- > Pharmacy Practice Residency 2003 to 2004, MetroHealth Medical Center, Cleveland, OH
- > Doctor of Pharmacy 2003, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
- > Bachelor of Arts in Biology and Chemistry minor 1998, Wittenberg University, Springfield, OH

### Areas of interest:

- > Infectious Disease
- > Antibiotic resistance, antifungal therapy, antimicrobial management
- > Daily clinical rounds with Infectious Disease physicians

### Research / Current Projects:

- > Antibiogram Reviews and Resistance Trends
- > Antimicrobial Agent Utilization
- > Surgical Care Improvement Project (SCIP)
- > Pharmacist facilitated renal adjustment protocol
- > Medication beyond usage dating policy
- > Consultant, Lexi-Comp, Inc, 2007- present

### Service:

- > Committee member for the following Hospital Performance Improvement Committees: Member of P & T Committee, ID Working Group, Infection Control, and SCIP taskforce.
- > Committee member of the Cleveland Clinic Health System Infectious Disease Specialty Panel for P&T

### Teaching:

- > Preceptor for Pharmacy Resident and PharmD. Students
- > Continuing education to nursing, pharmacy, and physicians at Hillcrest Hospital
- > Guest Lecturer at Ursuline College of Nursing



### Honors and Awards:

- > Message to Garcia Award Winner 2005, The Ohio State University Medical Center Department of Pharmacy Award

### Poster Presentations:

- > Hepatotoxicity in Tuberculosis Patients. 2003 ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting, New Orleans, LA.
- > Hepatotoxicity in Tuberculosis Patients. 2004 OCCP Spring Clinical Meeting, Cleveland, OH.
- > Analysis of Linezolid Therapy for Staphylococcal or Enterococcal Infections at a Large Teaching Hospital. 2004 ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting, Orlando, FL.
- > Analysis of Empirical Use of Linezolid in a Large Teaching Hospital. 2005 ACCP Spring Meeting, Myrtle Beach, SC.
- > Analysis of Empirical Use of Linezolid in a Large Teaching Hospital. 2005 MAD ID Spring Meeting, Carefree, AZ.
- > Epidemiology of Infections in LVAD Patients. 2005 Fall Meeting IDSA, San Francisco, CA.
- > Increasing Linezolid Minimum Inhibitory Concentrations in Methicillin Resistant Staphylococcus aureus at a Large Academic Teaching Institution. 2006 ACCP Spring Meeting, Monterey Bay, CA.

### Lecture Presentations:

- > Antibiotic Selection Guidelines. 2005 & 2007 South Pointe Graduate Nursing Lecture: Pharmacist is In Program, Cleveland, OH.
- > Antibiogram and Antibiotic Update. 2006 Hillcrest Pharmacy Topic Presentation, Mayfield Heights, OH.



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### **Lecture Presentations** *(continued):*

- > New Drug/ Therapy Update: Posaconazole. 2007 OCCP Spring Meeting, Cleveland, OH.
- > Antibiotic and Infectious Disease Review. 2007-present: Ursuline College Nurse Practitioner Program guest lecturer, Cleveland, OH.
- > Antibiotic Review. 2009 CCHS Regional Pharmacist CE, Cleveland, OH.
- > From Bedside to Bench: The Rx for Patient Care at Hillcrest Hospital. 2010 Pathology and Laboratory Medicine Conference, Cleveland OH.

