

JEFFREY A. DARLING
ATTORNEY AT LAW

EMPLOYMENT

Wellman, Nichols & Smith, PLLC 2015-present
Partner

Practice concentrated in Medical Negligence defense, as well as criminal defense, primarily in the federal courts, including complex drug conspiracies and white collar crime.

Reinhardt & Associates, PLC 2008-2015
Of Counsel Attorney.

Practice includes criminal and civil litigation, including complex trial and appellate litigation, both criminal and civil, in federal and state courts. Specific areas of practice include Medical Malpractice, product liability litigation, complex wrongful death and personal injury cases, as well as complicated insurance issues. In addition, the practice includes handling complex criminal cases in federal and state courts, from multi defendant drug conspiracies, white collar crime and Death Penalty cases. I also practice regularly in the United States Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit.

Darling & Reynolds, PSC 1992-2008
Partner/Principal

Practice concentrated in criminal and civil litigation in both state and federal courts. Civil cases handled included medical malpractice, product liability, plaintiff personal injury and complex litigation. I also handled criminal cases in the state and federal courts.

Landrum & Shouse 1989-1992
Associate Attorney

Practice concentrated in civil litigation (insurance defense) and criminal law. The civil litigation involved mostly personal injury defense, including wrongful death cases.

Fayette County Commonwealth's Attorney 1986-1989
Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney

Prosecuted felony criminal cases, up to and including Death Penalty Murder cases, as well as complex drug and white collar cases.

Department of Public Advocacy 1983-1986
Public Defender

Represented indigent criminal defendants in felony cases, including Death Penalty Murder cases and other complex cases, in Eastern and Southern Kentucky.

EDUCATION

University of Kentucky College of Law (J.D.) 1983
Morehead State University (B.A.) 1979

BAR ADMITTANCES

Kentucky Supreme Court	1983
United States District Courts:	
Eastern District of Kentucky	1984
Western District of Kentucky	1996
United States Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit	1990
United States Supreme Court	1994
United States Tax Court	2005

PERSONAL

Born March 15, 1957, Irondequoit, New York

Family: Married to Allie Darling

 Three Children (Jason Darling, Jared Everly and Jaci Darling)

Member of Central Baptist Church

- Deacon, 2005 – 2008
- On occasion I have provided free legal services to the Church, including being a member of the Land Use Acquisition Committee and representing the Church in the purchase of the property on which the Church is now located, and the sale of the former property to Central Baptist Hospital.

Lexington Dream Factory, Inc.

- Board of Directors, 2005 – 2009

Dunbar High School Boys Soccer Booster Club

- Board Member 2001-2005
- President of Board, 2004-2005

Copperfield Neighborhood Association

- The neighborhood association Board that governs the subdivision in which I live. I have acted as defacto legal counsel for over 10 years, providing legal services to the Association, including representing the Association in the capital acquisition of the Clubhouse and Pool in the neighborhood from a private entity. This involved a change to the neighborhood Deed of Restrictions and a revision to the By-laws. The acquisition drew a lawsuit from one of the residents, on which the Association prevailed in both the Fayette Circuit Court and the Kentucky Court of Appeals.