

MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES INC
Form 8-K
February 27, 2009

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

**CURRENT REPORT
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (D) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported):

February 27, 2009

MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

DELAWARE
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

1-6639
(Commission File
Number)

58-1076937
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

55 NOD ROAD
AVON, CONNECTICUT
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

06001
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(860) 507-1900**

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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 - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On February 27, 2009, Magellan Health Services, Inc. (the Company) reported operating results for the fourth quarter and fiscal year ended December 31, 2008. The Company also disclosed that its board of directors has named President and Chief Executive Officer Rene Lerer, M.D. to the additional role of Chairman of the board. The board also elected Eran Broshy to fill a vacant seat and accepted the resignation of Allen F. Wise.

Attached and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the press release dated February 27, 2009.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

(a) Financial Statements of business acquired: Not applicable.

(b) Pro forma financial information: Not applicable.

(d) Exhibits:

| Exhibit Number | Description |
|-----------------------|---|
| 99.1 | Registrant's press release dated February 27, 2009. |

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

Date: February 27, 2009

By: /s/ Jonathan N. Rubin
Name: Jonathan N. Rubin
Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer