RESPIRONICS INC Form 8-K October 21, 2004

### 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): October 21, 2004

## RESPIRONICS, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	000-16723	25-1304989
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)
1010 Murry Ridge Lane Murrysville, Pennsylvania		15668-8525
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)		(Zip Code)
	724-387-5200	

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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### Item 2.02. DISCLOSURE OF RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.

On October 21, 2004, Respironics Inc. issued a press release announcing its financial results for the three months ended September 30, 2004. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

### **Exhibits**

99 Press release, dated October 21, 2004, issued by Respironics, Inc.

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### **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.

### RESPIRONICS, INC.

By: /s/ Daniel J. Bevevino

Daniel J. Bevevino
Vice President, and Chief
Financial and
Principal Accounting Officer

Dated: October 21, 2004

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