

AMEDISYS INC
Form 8-K
February 01, 2005

U.S. 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): January 31, 2005

AMEDISYS, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of

Incorporation or Organization)

0-24260
(Commission File Number)

11-3131700
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

11100 Mead Road, Suite 300, Baton Rouge, LA 70816

(Address of principal executive offices including zip code)

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-(c) under the Exchange Act (17CFR 240.13e-(c))
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ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

On January 31, 2005, Amedisys, Inc., issued a press release announcing the acquisition of the home health operations from several affiliated companies operating as Winyah Health Care Group in South Carolina, effective February 1, 2005.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(a) Financial Statements of Business Acquired.

Not applicable

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information

Not applicable

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated January 31, 2005 announcing the acquisition of Winyah Home Health in South Carolina.

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.

AMEDISYS, INC.

By: /s/ Gregory H. Browne

Gregory H. Browne
Chief Financial Officer

DATE: February 1, 2005