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FORM 12b-25

NOTIFICATION OF LATE FILING

(Check one):                       Form 10-K    Form 20-F    Form 11-K    Form 10-Q    Form  
10-D    Form N-SAR    Form N-CSR

For Period Ended: September 30, 2013

- Transition Report on Form 10-K
- Transition Report on Form 20-F
- Transition Report on Form 11-K
- Transition Report on Form 10-Q
- Transition Report on Form N-SAR

For the Transition Period Ended:

Nothing in this form shall be construed to imply that the Commission has verified any information contained herein.  
If the notification relates to a portion of the filing checked above, identify the Item(s) to which the notification relates:

PART I — REGISTRANT INFORMATION

Accretive Health, Inc.  
Full Name of Registrant

Former Name if Applicable

401 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 2700  
Address of Principal Executive Office (Street and Number)

Chicago, IL 60611  
City, State and Zip Code



PART II — RULE 12B-25(b) AND (c)

If the subject report could not be filed without unreasonable effort or expense and the registrant seeks relief pursuant to Rule 12b-25(b), the following should be completed. (Check box if appropriate)

(a) The reasons described in reasonable detail in Part III of this form could not be eliminated without unreasonable effort or expense;

o (b) The subject annual report, semi-annual report, transition report on Form 10-K, Form 20-F, Form 11-K, Form N-SAR or Form N-CSR, or portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifteenth calendar day following the prescribed due date; or the subject quarterly report or transition report on Form 10-Q or subject distribution report on Form 10-D, or portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifth calendar day following the prescribed due date; and

(c) The accountant's statement or other exhibit required by Rule 12b-25(c) has been attached if applicable.

PART III — NARRATIVE

State below in reasonable detail why Forms 10-K, 20-F, 11-K, 10-Q, 10-D, N-SAR, N-CSR, or the transition report or portion thereof, could not be filed within the prescribed time period.

Accretive Health, Inc. (the "Company") is delaying the filing of the Form 10-Q for its fiscal third quarter ended September 30, 2013.

As previously announced on March 4, 2013, the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors (the "Audit Committee") determined that the Company will restate its financial statements. The Audit Committee made this determination following consultation with and upon the recommendation of management and following consultation with Ernst & Young LLP.

The Company has concluded that the timing of revenue recognition under a significant number of its revenue cycle management agreements was incorrect. Accordingly, the Company will revise its financial statements to correct these errors. The Company believes, based on information available to date, that correcting the timing of revenue recognition will (1) have no impact on the timing and magnitude of cash flows from operations, (2) reflect deferred timing of revenue recognition leading to an increase in deferred revenue or other liabilities reported in prior periods, and (3) result in increases in revenue recognized in future periods. Furthermore, the Company believes, based on information available to date, that due to changes in timing of revenue recognition, certain amounts of bad debt expense related to its revenue cycle management agreements may instead be accounted for as reduced revenue after restatement.

Moreover, the Company has determined that a significant portion of the base fee revenues from its revenue cycle management agreements should have been presented in the Company's previously reported financial statements net of associated operating costs rather than based on the gross amount of base fees billed to customers. Accordingly, the Company will revise its financial statements to correct this error. This change in financial statement presentation is not expected to impact either net income or the timing and magnitude of cash flows from operations in any reporting period.

Because the Company is in the process of restating its financial statements as described above, the Company has not been able to complete its financial statements for the quarter ended September 30, 2013.

The Company is committed to resolving the issues that gave rise to the restatement process and regaining compliance with all SEC filing requirements and all NYSE listing requirements by March 19, 2014.

PART IV — OTHER INFORMATION

(1) Name and telephone number of person to contact in regard to this notification

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(Name)	(Area Code)	(Telephone Number)

Have all other periodic reports required under Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or (2) Section 30 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 during the preceding 12 months or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such report(s) been filed? If answer is no, identify report(s).  Yes  No  
The Company has not filed the Form 10-K for its fiscal year ended December 31, 2012 and the Forms 10-Q for the quarters ended March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2013.

(3) Is it anticipated that any significant change in results of operations from the corresponding period for the last fiscal year will be reflected by the earnings statements to be included in the subject report or portion thereof?  Yes  No

If so: attach an explanation of the anticipated change, both narratively and quantitatively, and, if appropriate, state the reasons why a reasonable estimate of the results cannot be made.

As discussed in the Company's press release filed with the SEC on February 26, 2013 and as described above, the Company has been evaluating the manner in which it recognizes revenue for its revenue cycle management agreements. Moreover, as described above, the Company is currently evaluating the manner in which it presents revenue for its revenue cycle management agreements. As described above, on March 4, 2013, the Audit Committee determined that the Company will restate its financial statements. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of such restatement on its results of operations and financial position as well as total revenue recognized over the life of managed service contracts, as described above.

Safe Harbor Statement

This Form 12b-25 contains forward-looking statements, including the Company's statements regarding the anticipated consequences of the restatement of the Company's financial statements described above. All forward-looking statements contained in this Form 12b-25 involve risks and uncertainties. Our actual results and outcomes could differ materially from those anticipated in these forward-looking statements as a result of various factors, including the possibility that any restatement that may be required could have unanticipated consequences and the factors set forth in our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2012, filed with the SEC on November 8, 2012, under the heading "Risk Factors". The words "strive," "objective," "anticipates," "believes," "estimates," "expects," "intends," "may," "plans," "projects," "would," and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements, although not all forward-looking statements contain these identifying words. We have based these forward-looking statements on our current expectations and projections about future events. Although we believe that the expectations underlying any of our forward-looking statements are reasonable, these expectations may prove to be incorrect and all of these statements are subject to risks and uncertainties. Should one or more of these risks and uncertainties materialize, or should underlying assumptions, projections, or expectations prove incorrect, actual results, performance, financial condition, or events may vary materially and adversely from those anticipated, estimated, or expected.

All forward-looking statements included in this Form 12b-25 are expressly qualified in their entirety by these cautionary statements. We wish to caution readers not to place undue reliance on any forward-looking statement that speaks only as of the date made and to recognize that forward-looking statements are predictions of future results, which may not occur as anticipated. Actual results could differ materially from those anticipated in the forward-looking statements and from historical results, due to the uncertainties and factors described above, as well as others that we may consider immaterial or do not anticipate at this time. Although we believe that the expectations reflected in our forward-looking statements are reasonable, we do not know whether our expectations may prove correct. Our expectations reflected in our forward-looking statements can be affected by inaccurate assumptions we might make or by known or unknown uncertainties and factors, including those described above. The risks and uncertainties described above are not exclusive, and further information concerning us and our business, including

factors that potentially could materially affect our financial results or condition or relationships with customers and potential customers, may emerge from time to time. We assume no, and we specifically disclaim any, obligation to update, amend, or clarify forward-looking statements to reflect actual results or changes in factors or assumptions affecting such forward-looking statements. We advise you, however, to consult any further disclosures we make on related subjects in our periodic reports that we file with or furnish to the SEC.

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Accretive Health, Inc.

(Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

has caused this notification to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: November 13, 2013

By: /s/ Sean F. Orr  
Name: Sean F. Orr  
Title: Chief Financial Officer