FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addr Duckworth	ess of Reporting Pe David M.	erson*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. [ACHC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) 830 CRESCEN SUITE 610	30 CRESCENT CENTRE DRIVE		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/16/2011	- x	Officer (give title below) Chief Financia	Other (specify below) I Officer		
(Street) FRANKLIN (City)	TN (State)	37067 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	,			

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130. 4)	
Common Stock	11/16/2011		A		3,500 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	3,500	D		
Common Stock	03/19/2012		A		3,250 ⁽²⁾	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	6,750	D		
Common Stock	08/02/2012		A		9,643 ⁽³⁾	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	16,393	D		

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		5. Numl of Derivati Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (I 3, 4 and	ed nstr.	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye	te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9.4	11/16/2011		A		3,500		11/16/2012 ⁽⁴⁾	11/16/2021	Common Stock	3,500	\$0	3,500	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$15.96	03/19/2012		A		3,250		03/19/2013 ⁽⁵⁾	03/19/2022	Common Stock	3,250	\$0	3,250	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$16.6	08/02/2012		A		30,355		08/02/2013 ⁽⁶⁾	08/02/2022	Common Stock	30,355	\$0	30,355	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares will vest over a 4-year period in equal yearly installments beginning November 16, 2012.

2. The shares will vest over a 4-year period in equal yearly installments beginning March 19, 2013.

3. The shares will vest over a 4-year period in equal yearly installments beginning August 2, 2013.

4. The options will vest over a 4-year period in equal yearly installments beginning November 16, 2012.

5. The options will vest over a 4-year period in equal yearly installments beginning March 19, 2013.

6. The options will vest over a 4-year period in equal yearly installments beginning August 2, 2013.

/s/ David M. Duckworth 0

** Signature of Reporting Person

08/03/2012

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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