Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Dixon Heather Brianne</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. [ ACHC ]									ck all app Direc	ctor		10% Ov	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6100 TOWER CIRCLE, SUITE 1000						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/26/2024								V	below	Officer (give title below)  Chief Financia		Other (s below) Officer	specify
(Street) FRANKLIN TN 37067					4. If A	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Form	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)					Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.														
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Exec if any	Deemed ution Date, / th/Day/Year)				es Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				ties Following (I)		n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or P	rice		ted action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 06/26/2					2024				A		15,447(1)	) /	<b>A</b> ;	\$0.00	69	9,919		D	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	vative Conversion Date Execution urity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			on Date, Transac					6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		ite	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		Str.	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 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 Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	per					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Shares will vest over a 3-year period in equal yearly installments beginning June 26, 2025.

/s/ Brian Farley as Attorney in 06/28/2024 Fact for Heather B. Dixon

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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