UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 14A (Rule 14a-101)

SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

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ACADIA HEALTHCARE COMPANY, INC.

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*** Exercise Your *Right* to Vote *** Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Shareholder Meeting to Be Held on May 19, 2016

ACADIA HEALTHCARE COMPANY, INC.

Meeting Information

Meeting Type: Annual Meeting For holders as of: March 24, 2016

Date: May 19, 2016 **Time:** 9:30 AM CDT

Location: Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. 6100 Tower Circle, Suite 1000 Franklin, Tennessee 37067

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the above named company.

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at *www.proxyvote.com* or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.

ACADIA HEALTHCARE COMPANY, INC. C/O BROADRIDGE CORPORATE ISSUER SOLUTIONS PO BOX 1342 BRENTWOOD, NY 11717

— **Before You Vote** — How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:		
1. Notice & Proxy Statement 2. Annual Report		
How to View Online:		
Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow $\rightarrow xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx$		
How to Request and Receive a PAPER or E-MAIL Copy:		
If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of these documents, you must request one. There is NO charge for requesting a copy. Please choose one of the following methods to make your request:		
1) BY INTERNET: www.proxyvote.com		
2) <i>BY TELEPHONE</i> : 1-800-579-1639		
3) BY E-MAIL*: sendmaterial@proxyvote.com		
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Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to this e-mail address will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor. Please make the request as instructed above on or before May 05, 2016 to facilitate timely delivery.		

— **How To Vote** — Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

Vote In Person: Many shareholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting, you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

Vote By Mail: You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

Voting items

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following:

1. Election of Directors

Nominees

01 William F. Grieco 02 Joey A. Jacobs 03 Reeve B. Waud

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR proposals 2, 3 and 4.

2 Approve an amendment to the Company's Incentive Compensation Plan to increase shares authorized under the plan and make clarifying changes.

3 Advisory vote on the compensation of the Company's named executive officers as presented in the Proxy Statement.

4 Ratify the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2016.

The Board of Directors recommends you vote AGAINST proposals 5 and 6.

- 5 Consider and act on a stockholder proposal to adopt a majority voting standard in uncontested director elections.
- 6 Consider and act on a stockholder proposal related to sustainability reporting.

NOTE: In their discretion, the proxies are authorized to vote upon such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

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