FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  SHEAR BRUCE A						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. [ ACHC ]										k all appli Directo	cable) or	g Pers	son(s) to Iss	vner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) ACADIA HEALTHCARE COMPANY, INC 830 CRESCENT CENTRE DRIVE, SUITE 610					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/19/2014											X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Executive Vice Chairman						
(Street)	Street) FRANKLIN TN 37067				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										. Indi <sup>i</sup> ine) X	,						
(City)	(S		(Zip)																			
Table I - Non-Deriva  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					ection	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date			3. Transaction Code (Instr.			4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned I	int of es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Cod	e V	A	mount	(A) (D)	Price		Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock			11/19/	/2014	-			M	1	_	7,500	) A	\$4.	32	81	,347	D				
Common	Stock			11/19/	/2014				F			2,424	D	\$63	.01	78	,923	D				
		ד	able II -	Derivat (e.g., pı												wned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeming Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, T	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 3)		ı of		6. Date Expirat (Month	ion Da	ıte	e and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		D S (li	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e O S F Illy D o (i	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	Expii Date	ration	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r							
Stock	\$4.32	11/19/2014			M			7,500	12/14/	2012	12/14	4/2014	Common	7,500		\$0.00	0		D			

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

/s/ Christopher L. Howard as Attorney in Fact for Bruce A. Shear

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

11/21/2014

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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