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*  GOLDBERG RANDALL P						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. [ ACHC ]										all app		g Pers	10% C	)wner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) ACADIA HEALTHCARE COMPANY, INC.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/24/2012										Officer (give title below)			Other below)	(specify		
830 CRESCENT CENTRE DRIVE, SUITE 610					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
(Street) FRANKLIN TN 37067																X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)																			
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriva	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally (	Owne	ed					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D						ar)   i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code	Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Sec Ber Ow		curities neficially		nership : Direct · Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
										v	Amount		A) or D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111341. 4)		
Common Stock 12/24/						1/2012					313		D \$2		12.6		2,167		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)	ivative Conversion Date Execution or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Date, Transaction Code (Instr.		of Deriving Security (A) of Dispriving of (D) (Instrument)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Date Expiration  Date  Date  Expiration  Date  Expiration  Expiration  Exercisable  Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares				9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		D. wnership orm: irect (D) ir Indirect ) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				

Explanation of Responses:

## Remarks:

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney In connection with the merger of Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. ("Acadia") and PHC, Inc., the reporting person entered into a stockholders agreement with Acadia and certain other stockholders. As a result, he may deemed to be a part of a "group" with such other stockholders. To the extent the reporting person is deemed a member of a group, he disclaims beneficial ownership of shares owned by other members of the group.

/s/ Christopher L. Howard as
Attorney in Fact for Randall P. 12/27/2012
Goldberg

\*\* 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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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## POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Christopher L. Howard and David Duckworth, or either of them signing singly, and with full power of substitution, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) to the extent necessary, prepare, execute in the undersigned's name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") a Form ID, including amendments thereto, and any other documents necessary or appropriate to obtain codes and passwords enabling the undersigned to make electronic filings with the SEC of reports required by Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or any rule or regulation of the SEC;
- (2) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (3) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the SEC and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 14 day of December, 2012.

<u>/s/ Randall P. Goldberg</u> Name<u>: Randall P. Goldberg</u>