

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>JACOBS JOEY A</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 6100 TOWER CIRCLE, SUITE 1000 (Street) FRANKLIN TN 37067 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. [ACHC]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Executive Officer
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2017	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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			
Common Stock	03/14/2017		A		13,899 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$0.00	343,120	D	
Common Stock	03/14/2017		A		29,298 ⁽²⁾	A	\$0.00	372,418	D	
Common Stock	03/14/2017		A		15,819 ⁽³⁾	A	\$0.00	388,237	D	
Common Stock	03/14/2017		F		24,756	D	\$42.77	363,481	D	
Common Stock								567,649 ⁽⁴⁾	I	See Footnote ⁽⁵⁾

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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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					

Explanation of Responses:

- Shares received upon vesting of performance vesting restricted stock units awarded on February 5, 2016.
- Shares received upon vesting of performance vesting restricted stock units awarded on February 24, 2015.
- Shares received upon vesting of performance vesting restricted stock units awarded on February 27, 2014.
- Mr. Jacobs expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- By the Jeremy Brent Jacobs GST Non-Exempt u/a/d 04/26/2011 and Scott Douglas Jacobs GST Non-Exempt Trust u/a/d 04/26/2011.

Remarks:

/s/ Christopher L. Howard as Attorney in Fact for Joey A. Jacobs 03/16/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

** 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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