

UNIVERSAL HEALTH SERVICES INC

Form 8-K

October 11, 2012

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 11, 2012 (October 10, 2012)

**UNIVERSAL HEALTH SERVICES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**DELAWARE**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

**1-10765**  
(Commission

File Number)

**23-2077891**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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**Universal Corporate Center**

**367 South Gulph Road**

**King of Prussia, Pennsylvania**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (610) 768-3300**

**19406**  
(Zip Code)

**Not Applicable**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On October 10, 2012, Universal Health Services (UHS ), issued a press release announcing the consummation of the merger of Lola Transaction Corporation, a corporation organized under the laws of Delaware and a wholly-owned subsidiary of UHS, with and into Ascend Health Corporation (Ascend ), a corporation organized under the laws of Delaware, whereby Ascend has become a wholly owned subsidiary of UHS. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

- (d) Exhibits. 99.1 Universal Health Services, Inc. press release dated October 10, 2012.

Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

UNIVERSAL HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

Date: October 11, 2012

By: /s/ Steve Filton

Name: Steve Filton

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

**Exhibit Index**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release issued by Universal Health Services, Inc. dated October 10, 2012