

COMMUNITY HEALTH SYSTEMS INC  
Form 8-K  
March 08, 2017

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**WASHINGTON, DC 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): March 7, 2017**

**COMMUNITY HEALTH SYSTEMS, INC.**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**  
  
**of Incorporation)**

**001-15925**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**  
**4000 Meridian Boulevard**

**13-3893191**  
**(IRS Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

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**Franklin, Tennessee 37067**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (615) 465-7000**

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Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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 March 7, 2017, Community Health Systems, Inc. (the Company), its wholly-owned subsidiary CHS/Community Health Systems, Inc. (the Issuer) and certain of their subsidiaries, as guarantors, entered into an underwriting agreement (the Underwriting Agreement) with Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, as representative of the several underwriters listed on Schedule A thereto, with respect to the Issuer's issuance and sale of \$2,200,000,000 aggregate principle amount of its 6.250% Senior Secured Notes due 2023 (the Notes). The offering is being made pursuant to an effective registration statement on Form S-3 filed by the Company, the Issuer and the other guarantors of the Notes with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission) on May 6, 2015 (No. 333-203918) and Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 thereto filed with the Commission on March 3, 2017. The Underwriting Agreement is being filed as Exhibit 1.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.1	Underwriting Agreement, dated as of March 7, 2017, by and among the Company, the Issuer, the guarantors party thereto and Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, as representatives of the several underwriters listed on Schedule A thereto

**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.

Date: March 7, 2017

Community Health Systems, Inc.  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ W. Larry Cash  
W. Larry Cash  
President of Financial Services, Chief Financial  
Officer

and Director (principal financial officer)

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