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**UNIVERSAL HEALTH SERVICES INC**

CIK: **352915** | IRS No.: **232077891** | State of Incorpor.: **DE** | Fiscal Year End: **1231**  
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SIC: **8062** General medical & surgical hospitals, nec

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) December 7, 2007**

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**UNIVERSAL HEALTH SERVICES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-10765**  
(Commission File Number)

**23-2077891**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**Universal Corporate Center  
367 South Gulph Road  
King of Prussia, Pennsylvania**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**19406**  
(Zip Code)

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

**Not Applicable**

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

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e- 4(c))
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Item 8.01 Other Events

On December 7, 2007, Universal Health Services, Inc. (the “Company”) announced that its Board of Directors authorized an additional 5,000,000 share repurchase program to supplement the 1,100,000 shares remaining under previous authorizations.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits. 99.1 Universal Health Services, Inc., press release, dated December 7, 2007.

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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.

By:

/s/ Alan B. Miller

Name: Alan B. Miller

Title: Chairman of the Board, President and  
Chief Executive Officer

By:

/s/ Steve Filton

Name: Steve Filton

Title: Senior Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

Date: December 10, 2007

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99.1 Universal Health Services, Inc., press release, dated December 7, 2007.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CONTACT: Steve Filton  
Chief Financial Officer  
610-768-3300

December 7, 2007

**UNIVERSAL HEALTH SERVICES, INC.**  
**ANNOUNCES SHARE REPURCHASE AUTHORIZATION**

KING OF PRUSSIA, PA – Universal Health Services, Inc. (NYSE:UHS) announced today that its Board of Directors authorized an additional 5 million share repurchase program to supplement the 1.1 million shares remaining under previously announced authorizations. Pursuant to the stock repurchase program, the Company, from time to time as conditions allow, may purchase shares on the open market or in negotiated private transactions.

Universal Health Services, Inc. is one of the nation's largest hospital companies, operating acute care and behavioral health hospitals and ambulatory centers nationwide and in Puerto Rico. It acts as the advisor to Universal Health Realty Income Trust, a real estate investment trust (NYSE: UHT). For additional information on the Company, visit our website:

[www.uhsinc.com](http://www.uhsinc.com).

Certain statements in this release may constitute forward-looking statements and are subject to various risks and uncertainties as discussed in the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Company is not obligated to update these forward-looking statements, even if the Company's assessment of these risks and uncertainties changes.

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