MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES INC Form 8-K February 24, 2011

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):

February 18, 2011

MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

DELAWARE (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) **1-6639** (Commission File Number) 58-1076937 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

55 NOD ROAD AVON, CONNECTICUT (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

06001 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (860) 507-1900

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N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On February 24, 2011, Magellan Health Services, Inc. (the Company) reported operating results for the year ended December 31, 2010.

Attached and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the press release dated February 24, 2011.

Item 8.01 Other Matters

On February 18, 2011, the Company s board of directors increased the stock repurchase program, which was approved on July 27, 2010 and authorizes the Company to purchase up to \$350 million of its outstanding common stock through July 28, 2012, by an additional \$100 million, to a total of \$450 million.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

(a) Financial Statements of business acquired: Not applicable.

- (b) Pro forma financial information: Not applicable.
- (d) Exhibits:

Exhibit NumberDe99.1Registrant s press release dated February 24, 2011.

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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.

MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

Date: February 24, 2011

By: /s/ Jonathan N. Rubin Name: Jonathan N. Rubin Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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