

CARDINAL HEALTH INC
 Form 4
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
GERBIG ROBERT L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

500 OLDE WORTHINGTON ROAD

(Street)

WESTERVILLE, OH 43082

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CARDINAL HEALTH INC [CAH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

12/08/2004

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Shares | | | | | 63,122 | D | |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u> | \$ 23.407 | | | | | 10/29/1996 | 10/29/2006 | Common Shares | 2,138 |
| Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u> | \$ 33.28 | | | | | 11/05/1997 | 11/05/2007 | Common Shares | 3,005 |
| Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u> | \$ 46.293 | | | | | 11/23/1998 | 06/23/2008 | Common Shares | 2,160 |
| Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u> | \$ 29.958 | | | | | 11/03/1999 | 11/03/2009 | Common Shares | 3,338 |
| Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u> | \$ 62.5 | | | | | 11/01/2000 | 11/01/2010 | Common Shares | 2,064 |
| Option (right to buy) <u>(2)</u> | \$ 62.5 | | | | | 11/01/2000 | 11/01/2010 | Common Shares | 1,136 |
| Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u> | \$ 63.9 | | | | | 11/07/2001 | 11/07/2011 | Common Shares | 2,019 |
| Option (right to buy) <u>(2)</u> | \$ 63.9 | | | | | 11/07/2001 | 11/07/2011 | Common Shares | 1,893 |
| Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u> | \$ 70.01 | | | | | 11/06/2002 | 11/06/2012 | Common Shares | 1,843 |
| Option (right to buy) <u>(2)</u> | \$ 70.01 | | | | | 11/06/2002 | 11/06/2012 | Common Shares | 1,728 |
| Option (right to buy) <u>(1)</u> | \$ 59 | | | | | 11/05/2003 | 11/05/2013 | Common Shares | 2,842 |

buy) ⁽¹⁾

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| Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾ | \$ 59 | | | | 11/05/2003 | 11/05/2013 | Common Shares | 2,242 | |
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| Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾ ⁽³⁾ | \$ 54.2 | 12/08/2004 ⁽³⁾ | A | 1 | 12/08/2004 | 12/08/2014 | Common Shares | 3,094 | \$ |
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| Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ | \$ 54.2 | 12/08/2004 ⁽³⁾ | A | 1 | 12/08/2004 | 12/08/2014 | Common Shares | 2,441 | \$ |
|--|---------|---------------------------|---|---|------------|------------|------------------|-------|----|

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| GERBIG ROBERT L 500 OLDE WORTHINGTON ROAD WESTERVILLE, OH 43082 | | X | | |

Signatures

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|--|---------------------|
| Robert L. Gerbig | 12/08/2004 |
| <small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small> | <small>Date</small> |

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).

- (1) Stock options granted pursuant to the Cardinal Health, Inc. Equity Incentive Plan.
- (2) Stock options granted pursuant to the Cardinal Health, Inc. Outside Directors Equity Incentive Plan.

EXPLANATORY NOTE INSERTED BY THE COMPANY: The reporting person provided this Form 4 for filing to the Company on a

- (3) timely basis on December 8, 2004; however, due to an administrative oversight by the Company, this Form was not filed until April 20, 2005, after the oversight was discovered.

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