AMEDISYS INC Form 4

February 23, 2011

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

BORNE WILLIAM F

(First) (Middle)

5959 S. SHERWOOD FOREST BLVD.

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

02/22/2011

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AMEDISYS INC [AMED]

(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title __X__ Other (specify

below) below) Chief Executive Officer / Chairman of the

Board

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BATON ROUGE, LA 70816

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities Ac	equired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock			Code V	Amount (D) Price	170,396	D	
Common Stock					19,249 (4)	I	Through 401(k)
Common Stock					15,000 (1)	I	By Spouse
Common Stock					15,000 (1)	I	By William F. Borne Family

Trust

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)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day)	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(2)</u>	02/22/2011		A	22,485	(3)	(3)	Common	22,485	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BORNE WILLIAM F

5959 S. SHERWOOD FOREST BLVD. X Chief Executive Officer Chairman of the Board BATON ROUGE, LA 70816

Signatures

/S/ Celeste R. Peiffer on behalf of William F. Borne pursuant to a Power of Attorney

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities. This report shall not be deemed an admission of beneifcial ownership of these securities, for purposes of Section 16 or for other purposes.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to recieve one share of the issuer's Common Stock.
- On February 22, 2011, the reporting person was awarded Restricted Stock Units that vest in two equal annual installments on April 1,
- (3) 2011 and April 1, 2012, assuming the reporting person remains continusly employed by the issuer from the grant date until the applicable vesting date. Upon vesting, each Restricted Stock Unit is settled by delivery of the underlying shares of Common Stock.

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(4) Includes 119 shares acquired by the reporting person under the Amedisys, Inc. 401(k) Plan since the date of his last ownership report. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, <i>see</i> Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.