LHC Group, Inc Form 8-K August 04, 2008 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): August 4, 2008

LHC GROUP, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware	8082	71-0918189
(State or Other Jurisdiction	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer
of Incorporation)		Identification No.)

420 West Pinhook Rd., Suite A Lafayette, LA 70503 (Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)

(337) 233-1307 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report) Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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 August 4, 2008, LHC Group, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that it has acquired 100% of the assets of Morristown-Hamblen Home Health and Hospice located in Morristown, Tennessee from Morristown-Hamblen Healthcare System. This acquisition will operate as a subsidiary of LHC Group's home care partnership with the University of Tennessee Medical Center. The agencies will operate under the name of Morristown-Hamblen HomeCare and Hospice.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits
EXHIBIT NO. DESCRIPTION
99.1 Press Release dated August 4, 2008

SIGNATURE

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.

LHC GROUP, INC.

By: /s/ Peter J. Roman Peter J. Roman Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Dated: August 4, 2008

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

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99.1 Press Release announcing the Transaction, dated August 4, 2008.