

HEALTHCARE TRUST OF AMERICA, INC.  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Â Milligan Robert A  
 (Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 07/09/2014

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 HEALTHCARE TRUST OF AMERICA, INC. [HTA]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

C/O HEALTHCARE TRUST OF AMERICA, INC.,Â 16435 N. SCOTTSDALE ROAD, SUITE 320

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer  Other  
 (give title below) (specify below)  
 EVP - Corporate Finance

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SCOTTSDALE,Â AZÂ 85254

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	127,800	D	Â

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
Partnership Units	Â (1)	05/16/2016	Common Stock	15,000	\$ (1)	D Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Milligan Robert A C/O HEALTHCARE TRUST OF AMERICA, INC. 16435 N. SCOTTSDALE ROAD, SUITE 320 SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85254	Â	Â	Â EVP - Corporate Finance	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Robert A. Milligan by Kellie S. Pruitt, as attorney-in-fact, for Robert A. Milligan

07/09/2014

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) This represents the grant to the reporting person of membership units in Healthcare Trust of America Holdings, LP, a subsidiary of the issuer ("HTAOP"), as part of a long-term incentive program established by the issuer ("LTIP Units"). The vesting of these LTIP Units is contingent upon the issuer's common stock achieving specified price targets no later than May 16, 2016, subject to the reporting person's continued employment with the issuer through the date the applicable target is achieved. Upon vesting, the LTIP Units will be converted into common units of HTAOP and may be converted into shares of the issuer's common stock in accordance with the HTAOP partnership agreement (subject to certain limitations based on the allocations of gain made to the LTIP Units).

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