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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Gross Kevin J					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIVERSAL HEALTH SERVICES INC [UHS]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/11/2006								Senior Vice President				
(Street) KING OF PRUSSIA PA 19406				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individua X	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State)	(Zip)													
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)					2. Transact Date	Execu				curities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (I and 5)		в	Amount of Securiti eneficially Owned F	ollowing [6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
				(Month/Day	/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code V	Amount	(A)	or (D)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transad (Instr. 8)	ction Code	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 Securities Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		ities Underlying nd 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following	ies (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Share	s	Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	on(s)	

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Option to purchase Class B Common Explanation of Responses:

Option granted to purchase shares of Class B Common Stock under the Company's 2005 Stock Incentive Plan
 The option will vest in four equal annual installments beginning on September 11, 2007.

09/11/2006

\$58.52

Steve Filton, Attorney in Fact ** Signature of Reporting Person

35,000

09/11/2011

Class B Common Stock

09/13/2006 Date

35,000

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\$0.00

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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EXHIBIT 24 POWER OF ATTORNEY

I, Kevin J. Gross, do hereby designate Steve Filton, Charles F. Boyle and Bruce R. Gilbert to act as my lawful attorneys-in-fact to execute and have delivered on my Such necessary forms shall consist of Form 4, Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership and Form 5, Annual Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership. I hereby ratify and confirm all that said attorney shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

/s/ Kevin J. Gross

Signed and dated on this 22nd day of February 2006.

The undersigned, Steve Filton, Charles F. Boyle and Bruce R. Gilbert hereby affirm that we are the persons named herein as attorneys-in-fact and that our original si

/s/ Steve Filton &nbs p; /s/ Charles F. Boyle

/s/ Bruce R. Gilbert

Signed and dated on this 22nd day of February 2006.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

On this 22nd day of February, in the year 2006, before me, Celeste A. Stellabott, personally appeared Kevin J. Gross, Steve Filton, Charles F. Boyle and Bruce R. Gil

/s/ Celeste A. Stellabott (Seal) Signature of Notary Public