AMEDISYS INC Form 4 April 04, 2012

FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Adda JETER JEFFR		ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMEDISYS INC [AMED]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
5959 S. SHER BLVD.	WOOD FOI	REST	(Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2012	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Compliance Officer		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
BATON ROU	GE, LA 708	16	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities A	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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price	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	04/02/2012		M	790 <u>(1)</u> A \$ 0	18,282	D	
Common Stock					3,177	I	Through 401(k) Plan

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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 Derivat Securit (Instr. 5
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	04/02/2012		M	511	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	511	\$ 0
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(2)</u>	04/02/2012		M	630	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	630	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
JETER JEFFREY D			Chief				
5959 S. SHERWOOD FOREST BLVD.			Compliance				
BATON ROUGE, LA 70816			Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Celeste R. Peiffer on behalf of Jeffrey D. Jeter pursuant to a Power of Attorney

04/04/2012

**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) Upon delivery of the shares of common stock underlying the vested Restricted Stock Units, 351 shares of common stock were withheld to satisfy tax obligations. These shares were reported on a separate Form 4 filed by the Reporting Person on 4/4/2012.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to recieve one share of the Issuer's Common Stock.
- On April 1, 2009, the reporting person was awarded Restricted Stock Units that vest in three equal annual installments on April 1, 2010, (3) April 1, 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.
- On February 22, 2011 the reporting person was awarded Restricted Stock Units that vest in equal annual installments on April 1, 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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