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AMEDISYS INC Form 8-K October 28, 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): October 28, 2008

Commission File Number: 0-24260

# Amedisys, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)

Delaware 11-3131700

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(State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer incorporation or organization)

5959 S. Sherwood Forest Blvd., Baton Rouge, LA 70816

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(225) 292-2031 or (800) 467-2662

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(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)
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- " 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))

  Information to be included in the report

#### **Section 2** Financial Information

#### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On October 28, 2008, we issued a press release announcing our earnings for the third quarter ended September 30, 2008. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information presented in Item 2.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K and Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, unless we specifically state that the information is to be considered filed under the Exchange Act or specifically incorporate it by reference in any filing under the Securities Exchange Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act.

#### Section 7 Regulation FD

#### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

Item 2.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K is incorporated herein by this reference.

The information presented in Item 7.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, unless we specifically state that the information is to be considered filed under the Exchange Act or specifically incorporate it by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act.

#### Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(a) Financial statements of business acquired.
Not applicable
(b) Pro forma financial information.
Not applicable
(c) Shell company transactions.
Not applicable
(d) Exhibits.
Press release dated October 28, 2008, announcing the Company s earnings for the third quarter ended September 30, 2008 (furnished only)

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#### **Signatures**

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.

AMEDISYS, INC.

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Dale E. Redman Dale E. Redman

Chief Financial Officer and Duly Authorized Officer

DATE: October 28, 2008

#### **Exhibit Index**

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release dated October 28, 2008, announcing the Company s earnings for the third quarter ended September 30, 2008

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