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LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS, INC.

Form 8-K July 27, 2006

> UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 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): July 27, 2006 (July 27, 2006)

LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

0-51251

20-1538254

103 Powell Court, Suite 200 Brentwood, Tennessee (Address of principal executive offices)

37027 (Zip Code)

(615) 372-8500

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

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On July 27, 2006, LifePoint Hospitals, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing results for the second quarter and six months ended June 30, 2006. See the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial statements of businesses acquired.

None required

(b) Pro forma financial information.

None required

(c) Shell company transactions.

None required

- (d) Exhibits.
 - 99.1 Copy of press release issued by the Company on July 27, 2006.

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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.

Date: July 27, 2006 LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS, INC.

By: /s/ Michael J. Culotta

Michael J. Culotta Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit	
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99.1 Copy of press release issued by the Company on July 27, 2006

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