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LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS INC  
Form 8-K  
January 08, 2004

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549  
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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):

January 7, 2004  
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LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS, INC.  
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(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware  
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(State or Other  
Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation)

0-29818  
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(Commission File  
Number)

52-2165845  
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(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification  
Number)

103 Powell Court, Suite 200  
Brentwood, Tennessee 37027  
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(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(615) 372-8500  
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(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not applicable  
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(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial statements of businesses acquired.

None required

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(b) Pro forma financial information.

None required

(c) Exhibits.

99 Copy of press release issued by the Company on January 7, 2004, with respect to LifePoint's guidance for 2004.

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 7, 2004, LifePoint Hospitals, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing its 2004 guidance. See the press release attached as Exhibit 99.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS, INC.

By: /s/Michael J. Culotta

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Michael J. Culotta  
Senior Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

Date: January 7, 2004

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number -----	Description of Exhibits -----
99	Copy of press release issued by the Company on January 7, 2004.

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