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LHC Group, Inc  
Form 8-K  
September 04, 2007

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

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FORM 8-K  
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CURRENT REPORT  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): September 4, 2007

LHC GROUP, INC.

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(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

8082

71-0918189

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(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

420 West Pinhook Rd., Suite A  
Lafayette, LA 70503

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)

(337) 233-1307

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

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

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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))

Item 8.01 Other Events

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On September 4, 2007, LHC Group, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that it has signed a definitive agreement to acquire 100% of the assets of Extencicare of West Tennessee, effective September 1, 2007. Extencicare of West Tennessee has four home health agencies located in Jackson, Union City, Paris and Henderson.

LHC Group also announced two additional separate transactions. The Company signed a definitive agreement to form a partnership with Columbus Regional Medical Center located in Columbus, Georgia, and LHC Group signed a definitive agreement with Mississippi Baptist Medical Center to convert a license lease agreement implemented in October 2003 to a joint venture.

### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

#### (c) Exhibits

| EXHIBIT NO. | DESCRIPTION                           |
|-------------|---------------------------------------|
| 99.1        | Press Release dated September 4, 2007 |

#### SIGNATURE

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.

LHC GROUP, INC.

By: /s/ Keith G. Myers

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Keith G. Myers  
President and Chief Executive Officer

Dated: September 4, 2007

#### INDEX TO EXHIBITS

| EXHIBIT NO. | DESCRIPTION                                                         |
|-------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 99.1        | Press Release announcing the Transactions, dated September 4, 2007. |