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LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS, INC.

Form 8-K

November 28, 2007

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):
November 28, 2007 (November 26, 2007)

LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	0-51251 (Commission File Number)	20-1538254 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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103 Powell Court, Suite 200 Brentwood, Tennessee (Address of principal executive offices)	37027 (Zip Code)
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(615) 372-8500
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not applicable
(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:

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On November 26, 2007, LifePoint Hospitals, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that its Board of Directors has authorized a share repurchase program of up to \$150 million of the Company's common stock over the next 12 months. 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 November 26, 2007.

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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: November 28, 2007

LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS, INC.

By: /s/ David M. Dill

David M. Dill
Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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