

LHC Group, Inc  
Form 8-K  
March 10, 2009

---

**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): March 10, 2009**

---

**LHC GROUP, INC.  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)**

---

<b>Delaware</b> (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	<b>8082</b> (Commission File Number)	<b>71-0918189</b> (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**  
(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(see General Instruction A.2. below):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On March 10, 2009, LHC Group, Inc. (the “Company”) issued a press release reporting on its financial results for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2008. A copy of that press release is furnished with this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information included or incorporated in this report, including Exhibit 99.1, is being furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission and shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits

EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION
----------------	-------------

99.1	Press Release, dated March 10, 2009, announcing the Company’s financial results for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2008.
------	------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------

---

**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/ Peter J. Roman  
Peter J. Roman  
Senior Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer

Dated: March 10, 2009

---

**INDEX TO EXHIBITS**

EXHIBIT  
NO.

DESCRIPTION

99.1 Press Release, dated March 10, 2009, announcing the Company's financial results for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2008.