

ADCARE HEALTH SYSTEMS, INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**MCBRIDE WILLIAM III**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**ADCARE HEALTH SYSTEMS, INC [ADK]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 9955 SE WASHINGTON, SUITE 213  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 10/10/2014

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Chief Exec Officer & President

PORTLAND, OR 97216

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	10/10/2014		A		150,000 (1)	A	\$ 0 150,000 D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Warrant	\$ 4.49	10/10/2014		A	300,000	(2)	10/10/2024	Common Stock	300,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCBRIDE WILLIAM III 9955 SE WASHINGTON SUITE 213 PORTLAND, OR 97216	X		Chief Exec Officer & President	

## Signatures

/s/Sheryl A. Wolf,  
Attorney-in-fact  
10/14/2014  
Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Restricted stock granted under AdCare Health Systems, Inc.'s 2011 Stock Plan and will vest over a three year period. The stock will vest as follows: 50,000 shares on October 10, 2015, 50,000 shares on October 10, 2016, and 50,000 on October 10, 2017.
- (2) The Warrant will vest over a three year period from the grant date and will vest as follows: 100,000 on October 10, 2015, 100,000 on October 10, 2016, and 100,000 on October 10, 2017.

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