

TRIAD HOSPITALS INC  
Form 8-K  
February 11, 2005

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**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) February 10, 2005**

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**TRIAD HOSPITALS, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

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**DELAWARE**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

**000-29816**  
(Commission File Number)

**75-2816101**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

**5800 Tennyson Parkway**

**Plano, Texas**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**75024**  
(Zip Code)

**(214) 473-7000**

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On February 10, 2005, Triad Hospitals, Inc. (the Company ) issued a press release announcing that the Company's chief financial officer will be recalled to temporary active military duty. A copy of the press release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release issued by Triad Hospitals, Inc. on February 10, 2005.

SIGNATURE

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

TRIAD HOSPITALS, INC.

By: /s/ Donald P. Fay

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Donald P. Fay  
Executive Vice President, Secretary  
and General Counsel

Date: February 11, 2005

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release issued by Triad Hospitals, Inc. on February 10, 2005