WELLCARE HEALTH PLANS, INC.

Form 8-K March 04, 2015

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 4, 2015

WELLCARE HEALTH PLANS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-32209 47-0937650 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer

of incorporation) Identification No.)

8735 Henderson Road, Renaissance One

Tampa, Florida 33634 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (813) 290-6200

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

On March 4, 2015, WellCare Health Plans, Inc. ("WellCare") announced that the Missouri Office of Administration, Division of Purchasing and Materials Management (the "Division") selected Missouri Care Incorporated, a WellCare company, to continue serving Medicaid recipients participating in the MO HealthNet Managed Care program. The new contract begins on July 1, 2015 and is for one year with two renewal options, exercisable at the discretion of the Division.

A copy of the press release announcing the award is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release dated March 4, 2015

SIGNATURES

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

WELLCARE HEALTH PLANS, INC.

Date: March 4, 2015

/s/ Blair Todt Blair Todt Senior Vice President, Chief Legal and Administrative Officer and Secretary

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99.1 Press release dated March 4, 2015