

CIGNA CORP
Form 8-K
October 24, 2011

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) October 24, 2011

Cigna Corporation
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

1-08323
(Commission File Number)

06-1059331
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

900 Cottage Grove Road
Bloomfield, Connecticut 06002
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

860.226.6000

Not Applicable
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

Today Cigna Corporation and HealthSpring, Inc. announced that they have signed a definitive agreement under which Cigna will acquire all of the outstanding shares of HealthSpring, Inc. Cigna will host a conference call to discuss the acquisition this morning at 8:45 a.m., as described in the news release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

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.

CIGNA CORPORATION

Date: October 24, 2011

By:

/s/ Ralph J. Nicoletti
Ralph J. Nicoletti
Executive Vice President
Chief Financial Officer

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| 99.1 | Cigna Corporation and HealthSpring, Inc. joint news release dated October 24, 2011. | <u>Furnished herewith.</u> |
