# UNITED STATES

Washington, D.C. 20549

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

### 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 17, 2005

## **DAVITA INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 1-4034 (Commission File Number) No. 51-0354549 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

601 Hawaii Street

El Segundo, California 90245

(Address of principal executive offices including Zip Code)

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(310) 536-2400

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

#### 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))

#### INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

#### Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On October 17, 2005, Davita Inc., a Delaware corporation (the Company) agreed to pay Joseph Schohl, Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary, an additional \$125,000 in cash compensation on the anniversary date of the closing of the acquisition of Gambro Healthcare, Inc. for each of the two following years beginning on October 5, 2006, provided that Mr. Schohl continues to be an employee of the Company on such anniversary date. Such amount is in addition to amounts which Mr. Schohl is otherwise eligible to receive under his employment agreement with the Company.

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#### **SIGNATURES**

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.

DaVita Inc.

Date: October 21, 2005

/s/ Joseph Schohl

Joseph Schohl

Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary