

PALENZUELA ROBERTO L
Form 4
January 30, 2012

FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PALENZUELA ROBERTO L

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
METROPOLITAN HEALTH
NETWORKS INC [MDF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
777 YAMATO ROAD, SUITE 510
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/26/2012

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Secretary/Gen. Counsel

BOCA RATON, FL US 33431

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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Person

(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 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/26/2012		S	Amount (1) 7,825 D (A) or (D) Price (2) \$ 7.9068	157,089	D	
Common Stock	01/27/2012		S	Amount (1) 1,681 D (A) or (D) Price (3) \$ 7.9261	155,408	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)

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Secretary/Gen. Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Roberto L.
Palenzuela

01/30/2012

__Signature of Reporting
Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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These shares were sold pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 sales plan adopted by the reporting person, which plan is designed to, from time to time,
(1) provide the reporting person a sufficient amount of cash to satisfy any withholding taxes that may be associated with the vesting of certain equity awards.

Represents the weighted-average sale price per share of a series of transactions, all of which were executed on January 26, 2012. The actual sale prices ranged from a low of \$7.87 to a high of \$7.98. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide upon request of the SEC
(2) Staff, Metropolitan Health Networks, Inc. or a Metropolitan Health Networks, Inc. security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.

Represents the weighted-average sale price per share of a series of transactions, all of which were executed on January 27, 2012. The actual sale prices ranged from a low of \$7.84 to a high of \$8.02. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide upon request of the SEC
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