

CARDINAL HEALTH INC  
Form 8-K  
October 27, 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 27, 2011

**Cardinal Health, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Ohio**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-11373**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**31-0958666**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

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**7000 Cardinal Place, Dublin, Ohio 43017**

**(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)**

**(614) 757-5000**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

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):

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  
- .. Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On October 27, 2011, Cardinal Health, Inc. (the Company) issued a news release announcing its results for the quarter ended September 30, 2011. A copy of the news release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

A discussion of the reasons why management believes that the presentation of non-GAAP financial measures provides useful information to investors regarding the Company's financial condition and results of operations is included as Exhibit 99.2 to this report.

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure**

During a conference call scheduled to be held at 8:30 a.m. Eastern on October 27, 2011, Cardinal Health's Chairman and Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer will discuss the Company's results for the quarter ended September 30, 2011 and outlook for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012. The slide presentation for the conference call will be available on the Investors page at [www.cardinalhealth.com](http://www.cardinalhealth.com). An audio replay of the conference call also will be available on the Investors page at [www.cardinalhealth.com](http://www.cardinalhealth.com).

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 News release issued by the Company on October 27, 2011 announcing first quarter results.

99.2 Information disclosed by the Company on October 27, 2011.

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.

Cardinal Health, Inc.

(Registrant)

Date: October 27, 2011

By: /s/ Stuart G. Laws

Name: Stuart G. Laws

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief

Accounting Officer

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