

Kaufmann Michael C
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Kaufmann Michael C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CARDINAL HEALTH INC [CAH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 7000 CARDINAL PLACE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 08/15/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 CEO, Pharmaceutical Segment

DUBLIN, OH 43017
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 (A) 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Shares ⁽¹⁾	08/15/2012		A		\$ 0	D	
Common Shares	08/15/2012		F ⁽²⁾		\$ 39.77	D	
Common Shares	08/16/2012		F ⁽⁴⁾		\$ 39.81	D	
Common Shares					32	I	By Spouse

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(5) Stock option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on August 15, 2013.

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