

PROVIDENCE SERVICE CORP  
Form 8-K  
October 20, 2016

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

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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 19, 2016

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The Providence Service Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Delaware                      001-34221      86-0845127  
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer  
of incorporation)              File Number) Identification No.)

700 Canal Street, Third Floor

Stamford, Connecticut

06902

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

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (203) 307-2800**

**(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)**

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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:

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

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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On October 19, 2016, The Providence Service Corporation issued a press release announcing that it had completed its previously announced strategic partnership with Frazier Healthcare Partners (“Frazier”), pursuant to which Frazier has subscribed for 53.2% of the equity interest in Matrix Medical Network. A copy of the press release describing the final terms of the transaction is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
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99.1	The Providence Service Corporation Press Release, dated October 19, 2016.
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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.

THE PROVIDENCE SERVICE  
CORPORATION

Date: October 20, 2016    By:    /s/ Sophia D. Tawil  
Name: Sophia D. Tawil  
Title: General Counsel & Secretary