

CARDINAL HEALTH INC
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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 *
FRANCIS PHILIP L

(Last) (First) (Middle)
19601 N. 27TH AVENUE
(Street)

PHOENIX, AZ 85027

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/12/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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. Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)		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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			V		Amount	Price			
Common Shares	12/12/2006		A		473 ⁽¹⁾	A ₍₂₎	946	D	
Common Shares							1,950	I	By wife as UGMA custodian for daughter
Common Shares							5,000	I	By Trust

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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- (2) RSU award granted without payment by grantee pursuant to the Cardinal Health, Inc. Outside Directors Equity Incentive Plan.
- (3) Stock option granted pursuant to the Cardinal Health, Inc. Outside Directors Equity Incentive Plan.
- (4) Phantom stock held under the Company's Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (5) Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one common share. The shares of phantom stock become payable, in cash or common shares, at the election of the reporting person, at least six months after termination from board service.

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