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): May 12, 2005

AMERIPATH, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

000-22313 (Commission File Number) 65-0642485 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

Identification Number)

7111 Fairway Drive

Suite 400

Palm Beach Gardens 33418

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (561) 712-6200

Not Applicable

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

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)
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- " 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))

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On May 12, 2005, AmeriPath, Inc. issued a press release reporting on its financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2005. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference. In accordance with General Instruction B.2. of Form 8-K, the information included or incorporated in this report, including Exhibit 99.1, is being furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release issued by AmeriPath, Inc. on May 12, 2005.

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SIGNATURE

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 thereunto duly authorized.

AMERIPATH, INC.

By: /s/ David L. Redmond

David L. Redmond

Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial Officer and duly authorized to sign this report on behalf of the Registrant)

Date: May 12, 2005

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release, dated May 12, 2005, with respect to AmeriPath, Inc. s financial results for the three months ended March 31, 2005.