Morris Matthew Shawn Form 4 March 18, 2011

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Morris Matthew Shawn Issuer Symbol HealthSpring, Inc. [HS] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify 9009 CAROTHERS 03/17/2011 below) below) PARKWAY, SUITE 501 **EVP** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting FRANKLIN, TN 37067 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) <b>Tabl</b>	le I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	y 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)	ransaction(A) or Disposed of (D) ode (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	03/17/2011		Code V	Amount 91	or (D)	Price \$ 20.35	(Instr. 3 and 4) 55,947	D	
Common Stock	03/17/2011		S	91	D	\$ 37.51 (1)	55,856	D	
Common Stock	03/17/2011		M	10,000	A	\$ 19.5	65,856	D	
Common Stock	03/17/2011		S	10,000	D	\$ 37.51	55,856	D	

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.35	03/17/2011		M	91	(2)	01/01/2017	Common Stock	91
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.5	03/17/2011		M	10,000	<u>(3)</u>	02/19/2018	Common Stock	10,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
F	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Morris Matthew Shawn						
9009 CAROTHERS PARKWAY			EVP			

SUITE 501 FRANKLIN, TN 37067

**Signatures** 

/s/ J. Gentry Barden, Attorney-in-Fact 03/18/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$37.50 to \$37.55, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to HealthSpring, Inc., any security holder of HealthSpring, Inc., or the staff of the
- (1) Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range referenced above.
- The option, originally representing a right to purchase a total of 100,000 shares, became exercisable as follows: 25% on January 1, 2008; 25% on January 1, 2009; 25% on January 1, 2010; and 25% on January 1, 2011.
- The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 17,252 shares, became exercisable, or is scheduled to become exercisable, as follows: 50% on February 19, 2010; 25% on February 19, 2011; and 25% on February 19, 2012.

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