

NATIONWIDE HEALTH PROPERTIES INC

Form 4

January 26, 2010

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PASQUALE DOUGLAS M

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**NATIONWIDE HEALTH
PROPERTIES INC [NHP]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
**610 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE,
SUITE 1150**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/29/2009

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)
President & CEO

(Street)
NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock ⁽⁴⁾	12/29/2009		F		5,546.77	D	\$ 0 333,055.44
Common Stock	12/31/2009		A		60,068.73	A	\$ 0 393,124.17
Common Stock ⁽⁴⁾	12/31/2009		F		25,366.73	D	\$ 0 367,757.44
Common Stock							1,900
							I
							1,730
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By First
Son's IRA
⁽¹⁾

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Common
Stock

By
Second
Son ⁽²⁾

Common
Stock

5,500 I

By Wife's
IRA ⁽³⁾

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

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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 Derivative 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
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Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Date Title Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PASQUALE DOUGLAS M
610 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 1150
NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

X

President & CEO

Signatures

/s/ Douglas M.
Pasquale

01/26/2010

**Signature of Reporting
Person

Date

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).

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- (1) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares held indirectly by such reporting person's first son.
- (2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares held indirectly by such reporting person's second son, of which 1,230 shares are held through an IRA account and 500 shares are held through a custodial account.
- (3) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares held indirectly by such reporting person's wife.
- (4) Shares withheld by NHP to cover tax withholding due in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units and performance shares previously awarded.

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