

ALLSCRIPTS HEALTHCARE SOLUTIONS, INC.

Form 8-K

May 01, 2012

**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): April 30, 2012

**ALLSCRIPTS HEALTHCARE SOLUTIONS, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

**000-32085**  
(Commission

File Number)

**36-4392754**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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**222 Merchandise Mart Plaza, Suite 2024, Chicago, Illinois 60654**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)**

**Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (312) 506-1200**

**(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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On April 30, 2012, Allscripts Healthcare Solutions, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing that (i) the Company's Board of Directors has authorized the Company's management to repurchase an additional \$200 million of the Company's common stock under its existing share repurchase program, bringing the total repurchase authorization that remains available to approximately \$348 million, and (ii) the Company's Board of Directors has elected Dennis Chookaszian as Chairman of the Board of Directors. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto, and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits.**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release dated April 30, 2012

**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 hereunto duly authorized.

ALLSCRIPTS HEALTHCARE SOLUTIONS, INC.

Date: April 30, 2012

By: /s/ William J. Davis  
William J. Davis  
Chief Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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