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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Nissenson Allen Symbol DAVITA HEALTHCARE (Check all applicable) PARTNERS INC. [DVA] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O DAVITA HEALTHCARE 11/15/2012 Chief Medical Officer PARTNERS INC., 2000 16TH STREET

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

DENVER, CO 80202

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, 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)	4. Securi on(A) or Do (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	11/15/2012		M	7,000	A	\$ 46.26	7,925	D	
Common Stock	11/15/2012		F	2,890	D	\$ 112.05	5,035	D	
Common Stock	11/15/2012		S	4,110	D	\$ 112.5	925	D	

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

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6. Date Exercisable and

7,000 03/02/2010(1) 03/02/2014

7. Title and Amou

Stock

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

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year	r)	Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Derivative Security				(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoor Num of Sha
Stock	¢ 46 26	11/15/2012		M	7,000	02/02/2010(1)	02/02/2014	Common	7.

M

Reporting Owners

\$ 46.26

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Nissenson Allen C/O DAVITA HEALTHCARE PARTNERS INC. 2000 16TH STREET DENVER, CO 80202

Chief Medical Officer

Signatures

Appreication

Right

1. Title of

/s/ Kim M. Rivera Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Dat

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

11/15/2012

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Stock Appreciation Right, pursuant to the DaVita Inc. 2002 Equity Compensation Plan, (as amended and restated, the "DaVita Inc. 2011 (1) Incentive Award Plan," effective June 6, 2011), which vested 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date, 8.33% on the 20th month following the grant date, and 8.33% every four months thereafter.

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