

AMERICAN SHARED HOSPITAL SERVICES  
Form 8-K  
November 04, 2008

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 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 reported) November 4, 2008**

**AMERICAN SHARED HOSPITAL SERVICES**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its chapter)

**California**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-08789**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**94-2918118**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**Four Embarcadero Center,  
Suite 3700, San Francisco, CA**  
(Address of principal executive  
offices)

**94111**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **415-788-5300**

(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)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  - 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))
-

**ITEM 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITIONS**

On November 4, 2008, the Company issued a press release announcing its financial results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2008. The full text of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. The Company does not intend for this exhibit to be incorporated by reference into future filings under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The foregoing information is provided pursuant to Item 12 (Results of Operations and Financial Condition) of Form 8-K.

**ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

- (a) Not applicable.
- (b) Not applicable.
- (c) Exhibits

The following exhibit is filed as part of this report:

99.1 Earnings Press Release, dated 11/4/08

---

**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.

Date: November 4, 2008

**American Shared Hospital Services**

By: /s/ Ernest A. Bates, M.D.  
Ernest A. Bates, M.D.  
Chairman and CEO