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CARDINAL HEALTH INC Form 8-K October 28, 2010

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): October 28, 2010

Cardinal Health, Inc.

 $(Exact\ name\ of\ registrant\ as\ specified\ in\ its\ charter)$

Ohio (State or other jurisdiction

1-11373 (Commission **31-0958666** (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

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7000 Cardinal Place, Dublin, Ohio 43017

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(614) 757-5000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On October 28, 2010, Cardinal Health, Inc. (Cardinal Health or the Company) issued a news release announcing its results for the quarter ended September 30, 2010. A copy of the news release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

A discussion of the reasons why management believes that the presentation of non-GAAP financial measures provides useful information to investors regarding Cardinal Health s financial condition and results of operations is included as Exhibit 99.2 to this report.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

During a conference call scheduled to be held at 8:30 a.m. EDT on October 28, 2010, Cardinal Health s Chairman and Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer will discuss the Company s results for the quarter ended September 30, 2010 and outlook for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2011. The slide presentation for the conference call will be available on the Investors page at www.cardinalhealth.com. An audio replay of the conference call also will be available on the Investors page at www.cardinalhealth.com.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

- 99.1 News release issued by Cardinal Health on October 28, 2010 announcing first-quarter results
- 99.2 Information disclosed by Cardinal Health on October 28, 2010

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SIGNATURES

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.

Cardinal Health, Inc. (Registrant)

Date: October 28, 2010 By: /s/ Stuart G. Laws

Name: Stuart G. Laws

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer

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