MOLINA HEALTHCARE INC

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MOLINA J MARIO MD

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

MOLINA HEALTHCARE INC [MOH]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last) (First) (Middle)

MOLINA HEALTHCARE, INC., 2277 FAIR OAKS **BOULEVARD, SUITE 440** 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/17/2007

_X__ Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title __X__ Other (specify below) below)

President & CEO / Settlor-Molina Siblings

Trust

(Street)

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

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

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

Person

SACRAMENTO, CA 95825-0001

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativo	e Secu	rities Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	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	09/17/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	2,500	D	\$ 36.05	140,200	I	Sole manager of limited liability company (2)
Common Stock	09/17/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	1,000	D	\$ 36.1	139,200	I	Sole manager of limited liability company (2)

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Common Stock	09/17/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,000	D	\$ 36.15	138,200	I	Sole manager of limited liability company (2)
Common Stock	09/17/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	5,000	D	\$ 36.25	133,200	I	Sole manager of limited liability company (2)
Common Stock	09/17/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	2,000	D	\$ 36.27	131,200	I	Sole manager of limited liability company (2)
Common Stock	09/18/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,000	D	\$ 36.15	130,200	I	Sole manager of limited liability company (2)
Common Stock	09/18/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	4,000	D	\$ 36.2	126,200	I	Sole manager of limited liability company (2)
Common Stock	09/18/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,500	D	\$ 36.25	124,700	I	Sole manager of limited liability company (2)
Common Stock						7,774	D	
Common Stock						334,768	I	Trustee of trust (3)
Common Stock						160,000	I	General partner of family partnership (4)

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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8 I S ((
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.32					03/01/2008(5)	03/01/2017	Common Stock	36,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Fr. 1 8 and 1 and	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MOLINA J MARIO MD MOLINA HEALTHCARE, INC. 2277 FAIR OAKS BOULEVARD, SUITE 440 SACRAMENTO, CA 95825-0001	X		President & CEO	Settlor-Molina Siblings Trust			

Signatures

J. Mario Molina, M.D., by Karen Calhoun,
Attorney-in-Fact
09/18/2007

**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).
- $(1) \quad \text{The shares were sold pursuant to the Rule 10b5-1 Trading Plan of the reporting person.}$
- (2) The shares are owned by the Molina Family, LLC, of which Dr. Molina is the sole manager.
- $\textbf{(3)} \quad \text{The shares are owed by the Joseph Marion Molina}, \\ \text{M.D. Separate Property Trust}, \\ \text{of which Dr. Molina is the sole trustee}.$

The shares are owned by the Molina Family Partnership, L.P., of which Dr. Molina is the sole general partner. Dr. Molina and his spouse each hold a 0.5% ownership interest in the partnership. The remaining 99% of ownership interests in the partnership are held in equal

(4) amounts by the Joseph Marion Molina, M.D. Annuity Trust No. 1, the Joseph Marion Molina, M.D. Annuity Trust No. 2 and the Joseph Marion Molina, M.D. Annuity Trust No. 3. Dr. Molina is trustee and certain immediate family members of Dr. Molina are the beneficiaries of these trusts.

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(5) The options vest in one-fourth increments on each of 3/1/2008, 3/1/2009, 3/1/2010 and 3/1/2011.

Remarks:

J. Mario Molina, M.D., is also known as Joseph Marion Molina, M.D.

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