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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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06/29/2006

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Behrens Paul L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WELLCARE HEALTH PLANS, INC. [WCG]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) C/O WELLO PLANS, INC ROAD	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/29/2006					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Sr. VP and CFO					
				I. 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			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		n Date, if	Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) y/Year) (Instr. 8) (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)		
Common Stock	06/29/2006			S S	1,669 (1)	D D	\$ 47	335,493	D		
Common Stock	06/29/2006			S	13 (1)	D	\$ 45.41	335,480	D		
Common Stock	06/29/2006			S	63 (1)	D	\$ 45.4	335,417	D		
Common Stock	06/29/2006			S	51 (1)	D	\$ 45.39	335,366	D		

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42 (1)

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335,324

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Common Stock					\$ 45.37		
Common Stock	06/29/2006	S	26 (1)	D	\$ 45.24	335,298	D
Common Stock	06/29/2006	S	38 (1)	D	\$ 45.23	335,260	D
Common Stock	06/29/2006	S	44 (1)	D	\$ 45.21	335,216	D
Common Stock	06/29/2006	S	64 (1)	D	\$ 45.2	335,152	D
Common Stock	06/29/2006	S	26 (1)	D	\$ 45.19	335,126	D
Common Stock	06/29/2006	S	96 (1)	D	\$ 45.18	335,030	D
Common Stock	06/29/2006	S	64 (1)	D	\$ 45.17	334,966	D
Common Stock	06/29/2006	S	38 (1)	D	\$ 45.15	334,928	D
Common Stock	06/29/2006	S	26 (1)	D	\$ 45.12	334,902	D
Common Stock	06/29/2006	S	578 (1)	D	\$ 45	334,324	D
Common Stock	06/29/2006	S	579 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 44.95	333,745	D

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. orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or	8	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo
				C-1- V	Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Tal	Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)		Title	

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Date Expiration Exercisable Date

or Number of Shares

Amount

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Behrens Paul L C/O WELLCARE HEALTH PLANS, INC. 8725 HENDERSON ROAD TAMPA, FL 33634

Sr. VP and CFO

Signatures

/s/ Karen 06/30/2006 Mulroe

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Planned sale pursuant to the Reporting Person's Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

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