# 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): 06/12/2006

# MOLINA HEALTHCARE, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 001-31719

DE (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 134204626 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

One Golden Shore Drive Long Beach, CA 90802-4202 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

562 435 3666

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(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:	
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[]	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
ſ 1	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers

On June 12, 2006, Wayne Lowell was elected as a director by the Company's board of directors. Mr. Lowell will fill an existing vacancy in class I of the board. The term of the class I directors will expire at the Company's 2009 annual meeting. There are no arrangements or understandings between Mr. Lowell and the Company or any of its officers or directors pursuant to which Mr. Lowell was selected as a director. Because the board has determined that Mr. Lowell is not "independent" in accordance with the listing requirements of the New York Stock Exchange, Mr. Lowell has not been named to any committees of the board.

Pursuant to a Consultant Agreement, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1, Mr. Lowell has served as a business consultant to the Company since April 2002. For hourly consulting services rendered during fiscal year 2005, the Company paid Mr. Lowell a total of \$205,247. For hourly consulting services rendered during fiscal year 2006, through June 12, 2006, the Company has paid Mr. Lo well a total of \$28,685.

Mr. Lowell, age 51, has over twenty years of experience in the healthcare and transportation industries. From 1998 to the present, he has served as a self-employed consultant providing strategic, financial, and operating advice to CEOs and CFOs of both publicly traded and venture capital backed organizations. From 1986 to 1998, he worked for publicly traded PacifiCare Health Systems, Inc., most recently as its Executive Vice President, Chief Financial and Chief Administrative Officer. Mr. Lowell is a certified public accountant.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Ex-10.1 -- Consultant Agreement with Wayne Lowell and Jonchra Associates LLC dated as of May 20, 2002.

#### Signature(s)

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.

MOLINA HEALTHCARE, INC.

Date: June 14, 2006 By: /s/ Mark L. Andrews

Mark L. Andrews Chief Legal Officer, General Counsel

# **Exhibit Index**

## Exhibit No. Description

EX-10.1 Consultant Agreement with Wayne Lowell and Jonchra Associates LLC dated as of May 20, 2002.

#### **CONSULTANT AGREEMENT**

This Consultant Agreement ("Agreement") is made by and between Molina Healthcare, Inc. ("Client") and Jonchra Associates LLC and Wayne Lowell as its President ("Consultant") on the following terms and conditions:

#### I. CONSULTANT RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. <u>Job Assignment/Services</u>. During the term of this Agreement, Consultant shall provide the services set forth in Attachment A, which is appended hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.
  - 2. <u>Scheduled Services</u>. Consultant shall provide services at such times as are requested and agreeable to Client.
- 3. <u>Business Reports</u>. Consultant shall provide Client with written status reports upon request. Consultant shall report directly to Client's CEO or his designee, and will submit all written findings, reports, and recommendations to Client's CEO or his designee.
- 4. <u>Consultant's Status</u>. Consultant is an independent contractor to Client, not an employee. Accordingly, Consultant shall have no claim under this Agreement for vacation or sick leave, retirement benefits, Social Security, Workers' Compensation benefits, disability or unemployment insurance benefits, or employee benefits of any kind.

#### II. CLIENT RESPONSIBILITIES

Client shall inform appropriate Client personnel of Consultant's engagement so as to facilitate their cooperation with and prompt response to requests for information from Consultant and shall provide Consultant with necessary relevant information when requested and appropriate.

#### III. REIMBURSEMENT

- 1. Fees. Client agrees to compensate Consultant on the fee basis set forth in Attachment A.
- 2. <u>Expenses</u>. Consultant's expenses shall be compensated as set forth in Attachment A.
- 3. <u>Billing and Payment</u>. Consultant will submit a detailed invoice reflecting specific hours worked and any associated business expenses on the last day of the month for services rendered. Client agrees to reimburse Consultant for these services within thirty (30) days of receipt of invoice.

## IV. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement shall be effective as of April 1, 2002 and shall continue until August 31, 2002, unless the Agreement is earlier terminated as hereinafter provided. After August 31, 2002, this Agreement shall continue month to month unless terminated as hereinafter provided.

### V. TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

- 1. <u>Without Cause</u>. Client may terminate this Agreement without cause at any time by giving thirty (30) days prior written notice to Consultant.
- 2. <u>For Cause</u>. Either party hereto may terminate this Agreement by providing the other party with a minimum of thirty (30) days prior written notice in the event the other party commits a material breach of any provision of this Agreement. Said notice must specify the nature of said material breach. The breaching party shall have twenty (20) days from the date of the breaching party's receipt of the foregoing notice to cure said material breach. In the event the breaching party fails to cure the material breach within said twenty (20) day period, this Agreement shall automatically terminate upon expiration of the thirty (30) day notice period.

#### VI. CONFIDENTIALITY

- 1. <u>Confidentiality</u>. Consultant and Client shall hold in confidence all private, confidential, proprietary, or sensitive information provided by either party to the other as well as information relative to decisions or actions regarding future plans of each party.
- 2. <u>Intellectual Property</u>. Consultant acknowledges and agrees that any work-related information that Consultant is exposed to or develops during the course of this Agreement is and shall constitute confidential and proprietary information of Client, and is the exclusive property of Client. Information shall include all notes, analyses, compilations, studies and other documents, whether prepared by Consultant or others.
- 3. <u>Return of Information</u>. Upon request of Client, Consultant shall immediately return to Client any and all information acquired by Consultant during this Agreement. Upon the cessation of this Agreement, Consultant shall immediately return to Client all information acquired by Consultant during the course of the Agreement.

#### VII. MISCELLANEOUS

1. <u>Notices</u>. Any notices required under this Agreement, shall be made in writing and given to the other party by personal delivery or certified mail at the following addresses:

Jonchra Associates LLC

6 Bayside

Irvine, CA 92614

Molina Healthcare, Inc.

Mark L. Andrews

2277 Fair Oaks Blvd., #440

Sacramento, CA 95825

- 2. <u>Indemnification</u>. Client agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Consultant from and against any claims, lawsuits, losses and damages (including reasonable attorney's fees and costs of enforcing this indemnification provision) related to or arising from due diligence, fund raising and related activities, unless such claims, lawsuits, losses or damages are finally judicially determined to have be the result of Consultant's willful misconduct or gross negligence.
- 3. <u>Arbitration</u>. All claims and controversies arising out of or in connection with this Agreement shall be subject to binding arbitration by a single arbitrator in accordance with commercial arbitration rules of the American Arbitration Association, and judgment on the award rendered by the arbitrator may be entered in any court having jurisdiction hereof. The prevailing party in any arbitration proceeding hereunder as determined by the arbitrator shall be entitled to recover reasonable attorney's fees and costs. Nothing herein shall prohibit a party from seeking equitable relief in a court of law to maintain the status quo while an arbitration is pending hereunder. Any arbitration must be initiated within one year after the controversy or claim arose and was discovered or should have been discovered with reasonable diligence or such claim shall be deemed waived. The parties shall not be entitled to punitive damages.
- 4. <u>Third Party Authority</u>. Consultant shall disclose to third parties that Consultant has no contracting authority without prior Client approval.
- 5. <u>Assignment</u>. Neither party shall assign any rights or delegate any obligations hereunder without the express written consent of the other party. Any such attempted assignment or delegation shall be null and void.
- 6. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement supersedes any and all other agreements, either oral or in writing, between the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof, and contains the entire Agreement between the parties relating to said subject matter. This Agreement may not be amended or modified except by an instrument in writing executed by the parties hereto.
  - 7. <u>Severability</u>. If any clause, sentence, provision, or other portion of this Agreement is or becomes illegal, null, void or unenforceable for any reason, or is held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be so, the remaining portions shall remain in force and effect.
- 8. <u>Waiver</u>. No assent or waiver, express or implied, of any breach of any one or more of the covenants, conditions or provisions hereof shall be deemed or taken to be a waiver of any other covenant, conditions or provision hereof, or a waiver of any subsequent breach of the same covenant, condition or provision hereof.
- 9. <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement shall, in all respects, be interpreted, construed, enforced and given effect according to the laws of the State of California.
- 10. <u>Captions and Construction</u>. The captions used as headings of the various Sections hereof are for convenience only, and the parties agree that such captions are not to be construed to the part of this Agreement or to be used in determining or construing the intent or context of this Agreement.

Consultant and Client respectively acknowledge that each has read, understands and freely agrees to all the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

MOLINA HEALTHCARE, INC.

Date: 05/20/02 By: /s/ Joseph M. Molina, M.D.

Name: Joseph M. Molina, M.D.

Title: Chief Executive Officer

JONCHRA ASSOCIATES LLC

Date: 05/20/02 By: /s/ Wayne Lowell

Name: <u>Wayne Lowell</u> Title <u>President</u>

#### ATTACHMENT A

