MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES INC Form SC 13G/A February 17, 2009

#### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G (Amendment No. 1)

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Magellan Health Services, Inc. (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.01 par value (Title of Class of Securities)

559079207 (CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2008 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the following box to designate the rule pursuant to which the Schedule is filed:

- o Rule 13d-1(b)
- x Rule 13d-1(c)
- o Rule 13d-1(d)

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

<sup>\*</sup> The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

## CUSIP No. 559079207

1.

Names of Reporting Persons

I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)

	D. E. Shaw Valence 13-4046559	ce Portfolios, L.L.C.					
2	Check the Appropriation (a) (b)	riate Box if a Member o o	of a Group (See Instructions)				
3	3. SEC Use Only						
2	4. Citizenship or Plac Delaware	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware					
Number of Shares Beneficial Owned by Each Reporting Person Wi	ly		Sole Voting Power -0-				
	6.		Shared Voting Power 1,949,210				
	7.		Sole Dispositive Power -0-				
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 1,949,210				
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 1,949,210						
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o						
11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 4.8%						
12.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) OO						

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1.	<ol> <li>Names of Reporting Persons         <ul> <li>I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)</li> <li>D. E. Shaw &amp; Co., L.P.</li> </ul> </li> <li>13-3695715</li> </ol>				
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)				
	(a) (b)	0			
3.	SEC Use Only				
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware				
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With	5.		Sole Voting Power -0-		
	6.		Shared Voting Power 1,952,369		
	7.		Sole Dispositive Power -0-		
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 1,962,739		
9.	<ol> <li>Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 1,962,739</li> <li>Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o</li> <li>Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 4.9%</li> </ol>				
10.					
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12.	Type of Reporting Person (SIA, PN	See Instructions)			

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1. Names of Reporting Persons I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) David E. Shaw 2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) (a) (b) o SEC Use Only 3. Citizenship or Place of Organization 4. **United States** Number of 5. Sole Voting Power -0-Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With 6. **Shared Voting Power** 1,952,369 7. Sole Dispositive Power -0-8. **Shared Dispositive Power** 1,962,739 Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 1,962,739 10. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o 11. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 4.9% 12. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) IN

Item 1.

(a) Name of Issuer:

Magellan Health Services, Inc.

(b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

55 Nod Road

Avon, Connecticut 06001

Item 2.

(a) Name of Person Filing:

D. E. Shaw Valence Portfolios, L.L.C.

D. E. Shaw & Co., L.P.

David E. Shaw

(b) Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence:

The business address for each reporting person is:

120 W. 45th Street, Tower 45, 39th Floor

New York, NY 10036

(c) Citizenship:

D. E. Shaw Valence Portfolios, L.L.C. is a limited liability company organized under the laws

of the state of Delaware.

D. E. Shaw & Co., L.P. is a limited partnership organized under the laws of the state of

Delaware.

David E. Shaw is a citizen of the United States of America.

(d) Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock, \$0.01 par value

(e) CUSIP Number:

559079207

Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b) or 13d-2(b) or (c), check

whether the person filing is a:

Not Applicable

Item 4. Ownership

As of December 31, 2008:

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

D. E. Shaw Valence Portfolios, L.L.C.: 1,949,210 shares

D. E. Shaw & Co., L.P.: 1,962,739 shares

This is composed of (i) 1,949,210 shares in the name of D. E. Shaw Valence Portfolios, L.L.C., (ii) 600 shares in the name of D. E. Shaw Oculus Portfolios, L.L.C., (iii) 33 shares in the name of D. E. Shaw

Synoptic Portfolios 2, L.L.C., and (iv) 12,896 shares under the management of D. E. Shaw Investment Management, L.L.C.

David E. Shaw: