

ARNOLD DANIEL C  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ARNOLD DANIEL C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
U S PHYSICAL THERAPY INC /NV [USPH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

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

1001 FANNIN STREET, SUITE 720

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price   |
| Common Stock                    | 12/06/2012                           |  | M                              |   | 10,000  | A  | \$ 12.51  |
| Common Stock                    | 12/06/2012                           |  | M                              |   | 7,500   | A  | \$ 18.04  |
| Common Stock                    | 12/06/2012                           |  | M                              |   | 10,000  | A  | \$ 15   |
| Common Stock                    | 12/06/2012                           |  | M                              |   | 2,500   | A  | \$ 14.17  |
| Common Stock                    | 12/06/2012                           |  | M                              |   | 5,000   | A  | \$ 18.8   |

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Common Stock      12/06/2012      F      19,781      D      \$ 27.29      119,654 <sup>(1)</sup>      D <sub>(2)</sub>

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. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable      Expiration Date                    | Title      Amount or Number of Shares                         |
| Director's Right to Buy                    | \$ 12.51   | 12/06/2012                           |  | M                              | 10,000  | 11/30/2012      06/02/2014                               | Common Stock      10,000                                      |
| Directors Right to Buy                     | \$ 18.04   | 12/06/2012                           |  | M                              | 7,500   | 11/30/2012      06/21/2014                               | Common Stock      7,500                                       |
| Directors Right to Buy                     | \$ 15  | 12/06/2012                           |  | M                              | 10,000  | 11/30/2012      06/21/2014                               | Common Stock      10,000                                      |
| Directors Right to Buy                     | \$ 14.17   | 12/06/2012                           |  | M                              | 2,500   | 11/30/2012      10/20/2014                               | Common Stock      2,500                                       |
| Directors Right to Buy                     | \$ 18.8  | 12/06/2012                           |  | M                              | 5,000   | 11/30/2012      11/15/2015                               | Common Stock      5,000                                       |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address        | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|                                       | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| ARNOLD DANIEL C<br>1001 FANNIN STREET | X             |           |         |       |

SUITE 720  
HOUSTON, TX 77002

## Signatures

/s/ Daniel C.  
Arnold

12/07/2012

  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) Includes 1,625 shares of common stock granted as restricted stock pursuant to the Company's Amended and Restated 2003 Stock Incentive Plan. Restrictions lapse in quarterly installments as follows: 812 shares on December 31, 2012 and 813 on March 31, 2013.
- (2) Surrender of shares in connection with cashless exercise
- (3) Granted pursuant to the Company's 2003 Stock Incentive Plan, which complies with Rule 16b-3.

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