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# LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required To Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name VHA Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, N.W., Suite 410, Washington, D.C. 20036			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Irving State/Zip (or Country) TX 75039			
4. Contact Name Ed Goodman	Telephone 202-721-8100	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID# 40021-00012
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID# 31324000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report   
 10. Check if this is a Termination Report  ⇨ Termination Date \_\_\_\_\_ 11. No Lobbying Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
<p><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>          \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____  <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).</p>	<p><b>13. Organizations</b></p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>          \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>\$60,000</u>  <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only  <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code  <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature Edward M. Goodman  
 Printed Name and Title Edward Goodman, Vice President, Public Policy

Registrant Name VHA Inc. Client Name \_\_\_\_\_

**LOBBYING ACTIVITY.** Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code MM1 (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 4680 Medicare Rx Act of 2000  
S. 2807 Medicare Prescription Drug and Modernization Act of 2000  
S. 2018 / H.R. 3580 American Hospital Preservation Act of 2000  
H.R. 3710 Medicaid Safety Net Hospital Preservation Act of 2000  
PFS regulations.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

Check if None

House of Representatives  
Senate  
Health Care Financing Administration

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Edward Goodman		<input type="checkbox"/>
Alan Morgan		<input type="checkbox"/>
Page Curry		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
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		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above  Check if None

Signature Edward N. Goodman Date 08 09 00  
Printed Name and Title Edward Goodman, Vice President, Public Policy

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15. General issue area code HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 2738 Patients' Bill of Rights Act of 1999  
Group Purchasing Organization issues

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted  Check if None

Senate  
House of Representatives

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Edward Goodman		<input type="checkbox"/>
Alan Morgan		<input type="checkbox"/>
Page Curry		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Signature Edward M. Goodman Date 08 09 00

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15. General issue area code TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 1914

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

Check if None

House of Representatives  
Senate

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Edward Goodman		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
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Signature Edward N. Gordon Date 08 09 00  
Printed Name and Title Edward Goodman, Vice President, Public Policy

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Registrant Name VHA Inc. Client Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.**

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Zip (or Country) \_\_\_\_\_

22. New general description of client's business or activities

**LOBBYIST UPDATE**

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

Catherine Howell

**ISSUE UPDATE**

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

**AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

**FOREIGN ENTITIES**

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership percentage in client

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

Signature: Edward M. Goodman Date: 08 09 00

Printed Name and Title: Edward Goodman, Vice President, Public Policy