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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

May 8, 2001

SIERRA HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

<u>Nevada</u> (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-8865 (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer

88-0200415 Identification No.)

2724 North Tenaya Way Las Vegas, Nevada

(Address of principal executive offices)

89128 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (702) 242-7000

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

On Thursday, May 10, 2001, members of senior management of Sierra Health Services, Inc., or Sierra, are scheduled to present at the Deutsche Banc Alex. Brown Health Care 2001 Conference in Baltimore, Maryland. Sierra's presentation is expected to begin at approximately 9:00 a.m., Eastern Time, and will be made available through a live Internet web cast by visiting HTTP://WWW.DB.COM/CONFERENCES.

On Monday, May 14, 2001, Sierra will host an investor conference for research analysts, money managers, investment bankers and others from the institutional investment community beginning at 8:00 a.m., Pacific Time. Retail investors and

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members of the public are invited to listen to all or part of this conference through a live Internet web cast by visiting HTTP://WWW.SIERRAHEALTH.COM/BODY.CFM?ID=7.

Anyone listening to either of Sierra's presentations will be presumed to have read Sierra's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2000 and the press release issued May 2, 2001 summarizing Sierra's first quarter 2001 earnings.

Any statements made or issued that are not historical facts are forward-looking and should be considered in connection with certain cautionary statements contained in our Current Report on Form 8-K dated March 20, 2001. Such statements are made pursuant to the "safe harbor" provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 and identify important risk factors that could cause our actual results to differ materially from those expressed in any projected, estimated or forward-looking statements relating to Sierra.

SIGNATURES

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.

<u>SIERRA HEALTH SERVICES, INC.</u> (Registrant)

Date: May 8, 2001 /S/ PAUL H. PALMER

Paul H. Palmer Vice President Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer (Chief Accounting Officer)