

LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS  
Form 8-K  
October 18, 2016

**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**

**October 18, 2016**

**(Date of earliest event reported)**

**LABORATORY CORPORATION OF**  
**AMERICA HOLDINGS**  
**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or other jurisdiction)**

**1-11353**  
**(Commission)**

**13-3757370**  
**(I.R.S. Employer)**

<b>of Incorporation)</b>	<b>File Number)</b>	<b>Identification No.)</b>
<b>358 South Main Street,</b>		
<b>Burlington, North Carolina</b>	<b>27215</b>	<b>336-229-1127</b>
<b>(Address of principal executive offices)</b>	<b>(Zip Code)</b>	<b>(Registrant's telephone number including area code)</b>

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure**

On October 18, 2016, Sequenom, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Laboratory Corporation of America® Holdings (LabCorp®) (NYSE: LH) announced final results for the tender offers for the 5.00% Convertible Senior Notes Due 2017 (CUSIP No. 817337 AB4 ) and 5.00% Convertible Exchange Senior Notes Due 2018 (CUSIP No. 817337 AC2) issued by Sequenom.

A copy of the press release announcing the final tender offer results is being furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**Exhibits**

99.1 Press Release issued by Sequenom, dated October 18, 2016

**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.

Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings

Registrant

By: /s/ F. SAMUEL EBERTS III  
F. Samuel Eberts III  
Chief Legal Officer and Secretary

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