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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Chemed Corporation
(Name of Issuer)
Common Stock
(Title of Class of Securities)
16359R103
(CUSIP Number)
David Goldman
GAMCO Investors, Inc.
One Corporate Center
Rye, New York 10580-1435
(914) 921-5000
(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)
November 17, 2011
(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of $\S\S 240.13d-1(e)$, 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box .

CUSIP No. 16359R103

1 Names of reporting persons

I.R.S. identification nos. of above persons (entities only)

Gabelli Funds, LLC I.D. No. 13-4044523

2 Check the appropriate box if a member of a group (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) (a)

(b)

- 3 Sec use only
- 4 Source of funds (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) 00-Funds of investment advisory clients
- 5 Check box if disclosure of legal proceedings is required pursuant to items 2 (d) or 2 (e) X
- 6 Citizenship or place of organization

New York

Number Of : 7 Sole voting power

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Shares : 290,193 (Item 5)

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Beneficially : 8 Shared voting power

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Owned: None

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By Each : 9 Sole dispositive power

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Reporting : 290,193 (Item 5)

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Person :10 Shared dispositive power

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With : None

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Aggregate amount beneficially owned by each reporting person

290,193 (Item 5)

- 12 Check box if the aggregate amount in row (11) excludes certain shares (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
- Percent of class represented by amount in row (11)

1.46%

14 Type of reporting person (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

IA, CO

CUSIP No. 16359R103

1 Names of reporting persons

I.R.S. identification nos. of above persons (entities only)

GAMCO Asset Management, Inc.

I.D. No. 13-4044521

2 Check the appropriate box if a member of a group (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) (a)

(b)

- 3 Sec use only
- 4 Source of funds (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) 00-Funds of investment advisory clients
- 5 Check box if disclosure of legal proceedings is required pursuant to items 2 (d) or 2 (e)
- 6 Citizenship or place of organization

New York

Number Of : 7 Sole voting power

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Shares : 695,174 (Item 5)

Shared voting power

Beneficially : 8

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Owned: None

By Each : 9

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714,874 (Item 5)

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Sole dispositive power

Person :10

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Shared dispositive power

With

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None

Aggregate amount beneficially owned by each reporting person

714,874 (Item 5)

Reporting

- 12 Check box if the aggregate amount in row (11) excludes certain shares (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
- Percent of class represented by amount in row (11)

3.59%

Type of reporting person (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
IA, CO

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1	Names of reporting persons I.R.S. identification nos. of above persons (entities only) GGCP, Inc. I.S. I.S. I.S. I.S. I.S. I.S. I.S. I.S				
2	Check the appropriate box if a member of a group (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) (a)				
	(b)				
3	Sec use only				
4	Source of funds (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) None				
5	Check box if disclosure of legal proceedings is required pursuant to items 2 (d) or 2 (e)				
6	Citizenship or place of organization Wyoming				
	Number Of	: 7	Sole voting power		
	Shares	: :	None (Item 5)		
	Beneficially	: : 8	Shared voting power		
	Owned	: :	None		
	By Each	: : 9	Sole dispositive power		
	Reporting	: :	None (Item 5)		
	Person	: :10	Shared dispositive power		
	With	: :	None		
11	Aggregate amount	: beneficially owned b	by each reporting person		
	None (Item 5)				
12	Check box if the aggregate amount in row (11) excludes certain shares (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) X				
13	Percent of class represented by amount in row (11)				
	0.00%				

Type of reporting person (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

HC, CO

CUSIP No. 16359R103 Names of reporting persons 1 I.R.S. identification nos. of above persons (entities only) GAMCO Investors, Inc. I.D. No. 13-4007862 Check the appropriate box if a member of a group (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) (a) (b) 3 Sec use only 4 Source of funds (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) WC 5 Check box if disclosure of legal proceedings is required pursuant to items 2 (d) or 2 (e) 6 Citizenship or place of organization New York Number Of : 7 Sole voting power Shares 7,123 (Item 5) Beneficially : 8 Shared voting power Owned None By Each :9 Sole dispositive power Reporting 7,123 (Item 5) Shared dispositive power Person :10 With None 11 Aggregate amount beneficially owned by each reporting person 7,123 (Item 5) 12 Check box if the aggregate amount in row (11) excludes certain shares (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) X 13 Percent of class represented by amount in row (11)

0.04%

Type of reporting person (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

14

HC, CO

CUSIP No. 16359R103 1 Names of reporting persons I.R.S. identification nos. of above persons (entities only) Mario J. Gabelli 2 Check the appropriate box if a member of a group (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) (a) (b) 3 Sec use only 4 Source of funds (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) **Private Funds** 5 Check box if disclosure of legal proceedings is required pursuant to items 2 (d) or 2 (e) 6 Citizenship or place of organization **USA** Number Of : 7 Sole voting power 800 (Item 5) Shares Beneficially : 8 Shared voting power Owned None :9 By Each Sole dispositive power Reporting 800 (Item 5) Person :10 Shared dispositive power With None 11 Aggregate amount beneficially owned by each reporting person 800 (Item 5) 12 Check box if the aggregate amount in row (11) excludes certain shares (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) X 13 Percent of class represented by amount in row (11)

0.00%

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Type of reporting person (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

Item 1. Security and Issuer

The class of equity securities to which this statement on Schedule 13D relates is the Common Stock of Chemed Corporation (the "Issuer"), a Delaware corporation with principal offices located at 2600 Chemed Center, 255 E. Fifth Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202.

Item 2. Identity and Background

This statement is being filed by Mario J. Gabelli ("Mario Gabelli") and various entities which he directly or indirectly controls or for which he acts as chief investment officer. These entities engage in various aspects of the securities business, primarily as investment adviser to various institutional and individual clients, including registered investment companies and pension plans, and as general partner or the equivalent of various private investment partnerships or private funds. Certain of these entities may also make investments for their own accounts. The foregoing persons in the aggregate often own beneficially more than 5% of a class of equity securities of a particular issuer. Although several of the foregoing persons are treated as institutional investors for purposes of reporting their beneficial ownership on the short-form Schedule 13G, the holdings of those who do not qualify as institutional investors may exceed the 1% threshold presented for filing on Schedule 13G or implementation of their investment philosophy may from time to time require action which could be viewed as not completely passive. In order to avoid any question as to whether their beneficial ownership is being reported on the proper form and in order to provide greater investment flexibility and administrative uniformity, these persons have decided to file their beneficial ownership reports on the more detailed Schedule 13D form rather than on the short-form Schedule 13G and thereby to provide more expansive disclosure than may be necessary.

(a), (b) and (c) - This statement is being filed by one or more of the following persons: GGCP, Inc. ("GGCP"), GGCP Holdings LLC ("GGCP Holdings"), GAMCO Investors, Inc. ("GBL"), Gabelli Funds, LLC ("Gabelli Funds"), GAMCO Asset Management Inc. ("GAMCO"), Teton Advisors, Inc. ("Teton Advisors"), Gabelli Securities, Inc. ("GSI"), Gabelli & Company, Inc. ("Gabelli & Company"), MJG Associates, Inc. ("MJG Associates"), Gabelli Foundation, Inc. ("Foundation"), MJG-IV Limited Partnership ("MJG-IV"), and Mario Gabelli. Those of the foregoing persons signing this Schedule 13D are hereinafter referred to as the "Reporting Persons".

GGCP makes investments for its own account and is the manager and a member of GGCP Holdings which is the controlling shareholder of GBL. GBL, a public company listed on the New York Stock Exchange, is the parent company for a variety of companies engaged in the securities business, including those named below.

GAMCO, a wholly-owned subsidiary of GBL, is an investment adviser registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended ("Advisers Act"). GAMCO is an investment manager providing discretionary managed account services for employee benefit plans, private investors, endowments, foundations and others.

GSI, a majority-owned subsidiary of GBL, is an investment adviser registered under the Advisers Act and serves as a general partner or investment manager to limited partnerships and offshore investment companies and other accounts. As a part of its business, GSI may purchase or sell securities for its own account. GSI is a general partner or investment manager of a number of funds or partnerships, including Gabelli Associates Fund, L.P., Gabelli Associates Fund II, L.P., Gabelli Associates Limited, Gabelli Associates Limited II E, ALCE Partners, L.P., Gabelli Capital Structure Arbitrage Fund Limited, Gabelli Intermediate Credit Fund L.P., Gabelli Japanese Value Partners L.P., GAMA Select Energy + L.P., GAMCO Medical Opportunities L.P., GAMCO Long/Short Equity Fund, L.P., Gabelli Multimedia Partners, L.P, Gabelli International Gold Fund Limited and Gabelli Green Long/Short Fund, L.P.

Gabelli & Company, a wholly-owned subsidiary of GSI, is a broker-dealer registered under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ("1934 Act"), which as a part of its business regularly purchases and sells securities for its own account.

Gabelli Funds, a wholly owned subsidiary of GBL, is a limited liability company. Gabelli Funds is an investment adviser registered under the Advisers Act which provides advisory services for The Gabelli Equity Trust Inc., The Gabelli Asset Fund, The GAMCO Growth Fund, The Gabelli Convertible and Income Securities Fund Inc., The Gabelli Value Fund Inc., The Gabelli Small Cap Growth Fund, The Gabelli Equity Income Fund, The Gabelli ABC Fund, The GAMCO Global Telecommunications Fund, GAMCO Gold Fund, Inc., The Gabelli Global Multimedia Trust Inc., The GAMCO Global Convertible Securities Fund, Gabelli Capital Asset Fund, GAMCO International

Growth Fund, Inc., The GAMCO Global Growth Fund, The Gabelli Utility Trust, The GAMCO Global Opportunity Fund, The Gabelli Utilities Fund, The Gabelli Blue Chip Value Fund, The GAMCO Mathers Fund, The Gabelli Woodland Small Cap Value Fund, The Comstock Capital Value Fund, The Gabelli Dividend and Income Trust, The Gabelli Global Utility & Income Trust, The Gabelli Global Gold, Natural Resources, & Income Trust, The Gabelli Global Deal Fund, Gabelli Enterprise Mergers & Acquisitions Fund, The Gabelli SRI Green Fund, Inc., and The Gabelli Healthcare & Wellness Rx Trust, (collectively, the "Funds"), which are registered investment companies. Gabelli Funds is also the investment adviser to The GAMCO International SICAV (sub-funds GAMCO Stategic Value and GAMCO Merger Arbitrage), a UCITS III vehicle.

Teton Advisors, an investment adviser registered under the Advisers Act, provides discretionary advisory services to The GAMCO Westwood Mighty Mitessm Fund, The GAMCO Westwood Income Fund and The GAMCO Westwood SmallCap Equity Fund.

MJG Associates provides advisory services to private investment partnerships and offshore funds. Mario Gabelli is the sole shareholder, director and employee of MJG Associates. MJG Associates is the Investment Manager of Gabelli International Limited and Gabelli Fund, LDC. Mario J. Gabelli is the general partner of Gabelli Performance Partnership, LP.

The Foundation is a private foundation. Mario Gabelli is the Chairman, a Trustee and the Investment Manager of the Foundation. Elisa M. Wilson is the President of the Foundation.

Mario Gabelli is the controlling stockholder, Chief Executive Officer and a director of GGCP and Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of GBL. Mario Gabelli is also a member of GGCP Holdings. Mario Gabelli is the controlling shareholder of Teton.

MJG-IV is a family partnership in which Mario Gabelli is the general partner. Mario Gabelli has less than a 100% interest in MJG-IV. MJG-IV makes investments for its own account. Mario Gabelli disclaims ownership of the securities held by MJG-IV beyond his pecuniary interest.

The Reporting Persons do not admit that they constitute a group.

GBL, GAMCO, and Gabelli & Company are New York corporations and GSI and Teton Advisors are Delaware corporations, each having its principal business office at One Corporate Center, Rye, New York 10580. GGCP is a Wyoming corporation having its principal business office at 140 Greenwich AvenuTD VALIGN="bottom" COLSPAN="3">January 22, 2018(Date) GEODynamics B.V.By:

/s/ J. Will Franklin

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EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 Joint Filing Agreement, dated as of January 22, 2018, by and among the Reporting Persons.