HEALTHCARE TRUST OF AMERICA, INC. Form 8-K July 25, 2011

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

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported):

July 25, 2011

Healthcare Trust of America, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

000-53206

(Commission

File Number)

Maryland

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

16435 N. Scottsdale Road, Suite 320, Scottsdale, Arizona

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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

20-4738467

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

85254

(Zip Code)

480-998-3478

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On July 25, 2011, we issued a press release announcing that we were assigned an investment grade corporate credit rating by Standard & Poor's Rating Services with a stable outlook. The full text of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated into this Item 7.01.

The information furnished under Item 7.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated July 25, 2011

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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.

Healthcare Trust of America, Inc.

July 25, 2011

By: Scott D. Peters

Name: Scott D. Peters Title: Chief Executive Officer and President

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Press Release dated July 25, 2011