HEALTHWAYS, INC Form SC 13D/A December 19, 2013

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D (Rule 13d-101)

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO § 240.13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO § 240.13d-2(a)

(Amendment No. 2)1

Healthways, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share (Title of Class of Securities)

422245100

(CUSIP Number)

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December 17, 2013 (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 x.

Note: Schedules filed in paper format shall include a signed original and five copies of the schedule, including all exhibits. See § 240.13d-7 for other parties to whom copies are to be sent.

¹ The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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| 1 | NAME OF REPORTING PERSON | | |
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| 2 | North Tide Capital Master, LP CHECK THE APPROPRIATE GROUP SEC USE ONLY | | (a) o (b) o |
| 4 | SOURCE OF FUNDS | | |
| 5 | WC CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS '' IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e) | | |
| 6 | CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION | | |
| NUMBER OF SHARES | Cayman Islands 7 | SOLE VOTING POWER | |
| BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH | 8 | - 0 - SHARED VOTING POWER | |
| REPORTING PERSON WITH | 9 | 3,425,000 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER | |
| | 10 | - 0 - SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWE | R |
| 11 | 3,425,000 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON | | |
| 12 | 3,425,000 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) o EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES | | |
| 13 | PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11) | | |
| 14 | 9.8% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON | | |
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| 1 | NAME OF REPORTING PERSON | | | |
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| 2 | North Tide Capital, LLC CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (b) o SEC USE ONLY | | | |
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| 4 | SOURCE OF FUNDS | | | |
| 5 | AF CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e) | | | |
| 6 | CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION | | | |
| NUMBER OF SHARES | Massachusetts | 7 | SOLE VOTING POWER | |
| BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH | • | 8 | - 0 - SHARED VOTING POWER | |
| REPORTING PERSON WITH | | 9 | 3,850,000 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER | |
| | | 10 | - 0 - SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWE | R |
| 11 | 3,850,000 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON | | | |
| 12 | 3,850,000 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) o EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES | | | |
| 13 | PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11) | | | |
| 14 | 11% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON | | | |
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| 1 | NAME OF REPORTING PERSON | | | |
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| 2 | Conan Laughlin CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (b) o SEC USE ONLY | | | |
| 4 | SOURCE OF FUNDS | | | |
| 5 | AF CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS '' IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e) | | | |
| 6 | CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION | | | |
| NUMBER OF SHARES | USA | 7 | SOLE VOTING POWER | |
| BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH | | 8 | - 0 - SHARED VOTING POWER | |
| REPORTING PERSON WITH | | 9 | 3,850,000 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER | |
| | | 10 | - 0 - SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWE | R |
| 11 | 3,850,000 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON | | | |
| 12 | 3,850,000 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) o EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES | | | |
| 13 | PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11) | | | |
| 14 | 11% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON | | | |
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The following constitutes Amendment No. 2 to the Schedule 13D filed by the undersigned ("Amendment No. 2"). This Amendment No. 2 amends the Schedule 13D as specifically set forth herein.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.

Item 3 is hereby amended and restated as follows:

The Shares purchased by the Reporting Persons were purchased with working capital of the Master Fund and the Account (which may, at any given time, include margin loans made by brokerage firms in the ordinary course of business) in open market purchases, as set forth in Item 5(c) hereof and Schedule A hereto, which are incorporated by reference herein. The aggregate purchase price of the 3,850,000 Shares beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons is approximately \$47,344,010, excluding brokerage commissions.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

Item 5(a) is hereby amended and restated as follows:

The aggregate percentage of Shares reported owned by each person named herein is based upon 35,060,079 Shares outstanding, which is the total number of Shares reported outstanding as of October 31, 2013 in the Issuer's quarterly report on Form 10-Q, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 5, 2013.

As of the close of business on December 18, 2013, the Master Fund beneficially owned 3,425,000 Shares, constituting approximately 9.8% of the Shares outstanding.

As of the close of business on December 18, 2013, the Account beneficially owned 425,000 Shares.

As the investment manager to both the Master Fund and the Account, North Tide may be deemed to beneficially own the 3,850,000 Shares owned collectively by the Master Fund and the Account, constituting approximately 11% of the Shares outstanding.

As the Manager of North Tide, Mr. Laughlin may be deemed to beneficially own the 3,850,000 Shares beneficially owned by North Tide, constituting approximately 11% of the Shares outstanding.

Item 5(c) is hereby amended to add the following:

The transactions in the Shares by the Reporting Persons since the filing of Amendment No. 1 to the Schedule 13D are set forth in Schedule A and are incorporated herein by reference.

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SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of his knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: December 19, 2013 North Tide Capital Master, LP

By: North Tide Capital GP, LLC, its General Partner

By: /s/ Conan Laughlin

Name: Conan Laughlin Title: Manager

North Tide Capital, LLC

By: /s/ Conan Laughlin

Name: Conan Laughlin Title: Manager

/s/ Conan Laughlin Conan Laughlin

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SCHEDULE A

Transactions in the Shares Since the Filing of Amendment No. 1 to the Schedule 13D

| Shares of Common Stock | Price Per | Date of |
|------------------------|-----------|----------|
| Purchased | Share(\$) | Purchase |

NORTH TIDE CAPITAL MASTER, LP

| 310,000 | 14.1900 | 12/09/2013 |
|---------|---------|------------|
| 90,000 | 14.1000 | 12/17/2013 |
| 25,000 | 14.1300 | 12/18/2013 |

NORTH TIDE CAPITAL, LLC

(Through a managed account)

| 25,000 | 14 1200 | 12/18/2013 |
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| 25,000 | 14.1300 | 12/18/2013 |