

ADAMS W ANDREW  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ADAMS W ANDREW

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NATIONAL HEALTH INVESTORS INC [NHI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
222 ROBERT ROSE DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/21/2019

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

(Street)  
MURFREESBORO, TN 37129

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					12,787	D	
Common Stock - held by Spouse					11,707	I	Common Stock held by Spouse
Common Stock By Adams Family Foundation II					222,307	I	Trustee
Common Stock By Amk, L.p.					732,784	D	

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Common Stock by EMA, L.P.	341,802	I	Trustee
Common Stock by JMA Grandchildren's Trust	12,635	I	Trustee
Common Stock By Springland Ventures, L.p.	44,000	D	
Common Stock by W. Andrew Adams Exempt Trust	7,411	D	
Common Stock by W. Andrew Adams Non Exempt Trust	34,140	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Stock Option Grant 2-21-19	\$ 79.96	02/21/2019		A	25,000	02/21/2019	02/21/2024	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 72.11					02/20/2015	02/20/2020	Common Stock	20,000
	\$ 60.52					02/22/2016	02/22/2021		20,000

Stock Options (Right to Buy)				Common Stock	
Stock Option Grant - 2-22-17	\$ 74.78	02/22/2017	02/22/2022	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy) 2-20-18	\$ 64.33	02/20/2018	02/20/2023	Common Stock	20,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ADAMS W ANDREW 222 ROBERT ROSE DRIVE MURFREESBORO, TN 37129			X	

## Signatures

/s/W. Andrew Adams                      02/25/2019

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Signature of Reporting Person                      Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
  - \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
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