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Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SAMEK EDWARD L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Alliance HealthCare Services, Inc [AIQ]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
SERVICES,	(3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2016					Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
NEWPORT (City)	(Street) BEACH, CA 92 (State)	2660 (Zip)	Filed(Mont	ndment, Dat		ocu ri t	ies Acor	6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by M Person uired, Disposed o	One Reporting Pe More than One Re	erson		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	y (Month/Day/Year) Execution (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)		med 3.		4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	12/31/2016			A	14,917 (1)	A	\$0	82,817 (2)	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)

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title at Amount of		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Underlyin Securities (Instr. 3 a	ng s	(Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SAMEK EDWARD L C/O ALLIANCE HEALTHCARE SERVICES, INC. 100 BAYVIEW CIRCLE, SUITE 400 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

Signatures

/s/ Teresa Carrasco, as attorney-in-fact for Edward L. Samek

02/22/2017

**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).
- (1) Represents a grant of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on December 31, 2016 and scheduled to vest on the first anniversary of the grant date, subject to the Participant's continued service with the Company or its Subsidiaries through such date.
- (2) Balance may include unvested RSUs

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