# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Schedule 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.:4 )\*

Name of issuer: OMEGA HEALTHCARE INVESTORS INC
Title of Class of Securities: Common Stock
CUSIP Number: 681936100
Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement: December 31, 2009
Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:  (X) Rule 13d-1(b)  ( ) Rule 13d-1(c)  ( ) Rule 13d-1(d)
*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 the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.
The information required in 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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CUSIP No.: 681936100

9.06%

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12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON		
THE VANGUARD GROUP, INC 23-1945930		
2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE [LINE] IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP		
A.	B. <u>X</u>	
3. SEC USE ONLY		
4. CITIZENSHIP OF PLACE OF ORGANIZAT	TION	
Pennsylvania		
(For questions 5-8, report the number of share	s beneficially owned by each reporting person with:)	
5. SOLE VOTING POWER		
120,660		
6. SHARED VOTING POWER		
7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
7,597,438		
8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER		
120,660		
9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY C	OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON	
7,718,098		
10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMO	UNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES	
N/A		
11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED E	BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9	

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## SCHEDULE 13G Under the Securities Act of 1934

Check the following [line] if a fee is being paid with this statement N/A
Item 1(a) - Name of Issuer:
OMEGA HEALTHCARE INVESTORS INC
Item 1(b) - Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:
9690 DEERECO ROAD STE 100 TIMONIUM MD 21093
Item 2(a) - Name of Person Filing:
THE VANGUARD GROUP, INC 23-1945930
Item 2(b) - Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, residence:
100 Vanguard Blvd. Malvern, PA 19355
Item 2(c) – Citizenship:
Pennsylvania
Item 2(d) - Title of Class of Securities:
Common Stock
Item 2(e) - CUSIP Number
681936100
Item 3 - Type of Filing:
This statement is being filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1. An Investment Advisor in accordance with §240.13-d 1(b)(1)(ii)(E)
<u>Item 4 - Ownership:</u>
(a) Amount Beneficially Owned:
7,718,098
(b) Percent of Class:
9.06%

- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
- (i) sole power to vote or direct to vote: 120,660
- (ii) shared power to vote or direct to vote:
- (iii) sole power to dispose of or to direct the disposition of: 7,597,438
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 120,660

Comments:

Item 5 - Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:

Not Applicable

<u>Item 6 - Ownership of More Than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:</u>

Not applicable

Item 7 - Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired The Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company:

See Attached Appendix A

<u>Item 8 - Identification and Classification of Members of Group:</u>

Not applicable

Item 9 - Notice of Dissolution of Group:

Not applicable

Item 10 - Certification:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired for the purpose of and do not have the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were not acquired in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purpose or effect.

### <u>Signature</u>

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: 2/1/2010

By /s/ F. William McNabb III\*

F. William McNabb III

Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

\*By: /s/ Glenn Booraem

Glenn Booream, pursuant to a Power of Attorney filed January 29, 2010, see File Number 005-81485, Incorporated by Reference

#### Appendix A

Pursuant to the instructions of Item 7 of Schedule 13G, Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Company ("VFTC"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Vanguard Group, Inc., is the beneficial owner of 120,660 shares or .14% of the Common Stock outstanding of the Company as a result of its serving as investment manager of collective trust accounts. VFTC directs the voting of these shares.

## By /s/ F. William McNabb III\*

F. William McNabb III

Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

\*By: /s/ Glenn Booraem

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