

NOVAMED INC  
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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 \*  
**VICKERY E MICHELE**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
980 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE, SUITE 1620  
(Street)

CHICAGO, IL 60611

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NOVAMED INC [NOVA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
07/03/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	07/03/2006		M <sup>(11)</sup>	16,600 A \$ 2.2	106,793	D	
Common Stock	07/03/2006		S <sup>(11)</sup>	5,000 D \$ 6.21	0	D	
Common Stock	07/03/2006		S <sup>(11)</sup>	5,000 D \$ 6.234	0	D	
Common Stock	07/03/2006		S <sup>(11)</sup>	6,600 D \$ 6.57	90,193 <sup>(12)</sup>	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)	
					V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.2	07/03/2006		M <sup>(11)</sup>		16,600		<u>(1)</u>	03/31/2007	Common Stock	16,600
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.5							<u>(2)</u>	02/01/2008	Common Stock	24,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5							<u>(3)</u>	02/17/2009	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12							<u>(4)</u>	03/09/2010	Common Stock	40,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.75							<u>(5)</u>	04/20/2011	Common Stock	100,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.78							<u>(6)</u>	04/02/2012	Common Stock	90,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.27							<u>(7)</u>	03/21/2013	Common Stock	15,000
	\$ 4.45							<u>(8)</u>	03/16/2014		45,000

Stock Option (right to buy)					Common Stock	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.96		<u>(9)</u>	06/16/2015	Common Stock	55,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.87		<u>(10)</u>	06/20/2016	Common Stock	12,500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
VICKERY E MICHELE 980 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE SUITE 1620 CHICAGO, IL 60611			Executive VP Operations	

## Signatures

/s/ E. Michele

Vickery

07/06/2006

\_\_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).
- This option was originally granted for 200,000 shares on 3/31/97 and provides for vesting in monthly installments over four years.
- (1) Pursuant to this option grant, the Reporting Person exercised 34,000 shares on 5/28/99, 4,000 shares on 5/8/06, 12,600 shares on 5/9/06, 11,600 shares on 6/1/06 and 5,000 shares on 6/2/06, all of which have been previously reported.
- (2) Subject to certain restrictions, 3,000 of these options vested on 8/1/98, with the remainder vesting 500 per month starting on 9/1/98.
- (3) Subject to certain restrictions, 3,750 of these options vested on 8/17/99, with the remainder vesting 625 per month starting on 9/17/99; all such options became fully vested upon completion of an initial public offering.
- (4) Subject to certain restrictions, 5,000 of these options vested on 9/8/00, with the remainder vesting 833 per month starting on 10/8/00.
- (5) Subject to certain restrictions, 12,500 of these options vested on 10/19/01, with the remainder vesting 2,083 per month starting on 11/19/01.
- (6) Subject to certain restrictions, 11,250 of these options vested on 10/1/02, with the remainder vesting 1,875 per month starting on 11/1/02.
- (7) Subject to certain restrictions, 1,875 of these options vested on 9/20/03, with the remainder vesting 312 per month starting on 10/20/03.
- (8) Subject to certain restrictions, 5,625 of these options vested on 9/16/04, with the remainder vesting 937 per month starting on 10/16/04.
- (9) Subject to certain restrictions, 6,875 of these options vested on 12/17/05, with the remainder vesting 1,145 per month starting on 1/17/06.

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- (10) Subject to certain restrictions, 1,563 of these options will vest on 12/20/06 with the remainder vesting approximately 260 per month starting on 1/20/07.
- (11) Exercise of option and sale of underlying common stock pursuant to a 10b5-1 sales agreement previously adopted by reporting person.
- (12) Includes 4,167 restricted shares of common stock.

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