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

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) **March 20, 2006**



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**Cross Country Healthcare, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**0-33169**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**13-4066229**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**6551 Park of Commerce Blvd., N.W., Boca Raton, FL 33487**  
(Address of Principal Executive Office) (Zip Code)

**(561) 998-2232**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**  
(Former Name or Former Address, If Changed Since Last Report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

(a) On March 20, 2006, Cross Country Healthcare, Inc. (“the Company”) issued a press release announcing that it is scheduled to make a presentation. A copy of this press release is filed as Exhibits 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K. This information is being furnished under Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liability of such section.

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

Incorporated by reference is a press release issued by the Company on March 20, 2006, which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. This information is being furnished under Item 7.01 and shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liability of such section.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits

<b>Exhibit</b>	<b>Description</b>
<a href="#"><u>99.1</u></a>	Press Release issued by the Company on March 20, 2006

## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

### CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE, INC.

By: /s/ EMIL HENSEL  
Name: Emil Hensel  
Title: Chief Financial Officer

Dated: March 20, 2006

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## CROSS COUNTRY HEALTHCARE TO PRESENT AT HARRIS NESBITT HEALTHCARE STAFFING DAY CONFERENCE

**BOCA RATON, Fla. – March 20, 2006** – Cross Country Healthcare, Inc. (Nasdaq: CCRN) announced today that it is scheduled to make a presentation on Wednesday, March 29, 2006, at 1:45 p.m. Eastern Time at the Harris Nesbitt Healthcare Staffing Day Conference being held in New York City.

Cross Country's presentation will be webcast and accessible to the public online via the Company's web site at [www.corporate-ir.net/ireye/ir\\_site.zhtml?ticker=ccrn&script=2100%20](http://www.corporate-ir.net/ireye/ir_site.zhtml?ticker=ccrn&script=2100%20). Through this link, visitors will be able to access the Company's presentation made by Joseph A. Boshart, President and Chief Executive Officer of Cross Country Healthcare, Inc., who will provide an overview of Cross Country's business and prospects. Replays will be available online at the Company's website for 6 months after the presentation at [www.corporate-ir.net/ireye/ir\\_site.zhtml?ticker=CCRN&script=1000](http://www.corporate-ir.net/ireye/ir_site.zhtml?ticker=CCRN&script=1000).

Cross Country Healthcare, Inc. is a leading provider of healthcare staffing services in the United States. The Company has a national client base of over 3,000 hospitals, pharmaceutical companies and other healthcare providers. Copies of this and other news releases as well as additional information about Cross Country can be obtained online at [www.crosscountry.com](http://www.crosscountry.com). Shareholders and prospective investors can also register at the corporate Web site to automatically receive the Company's press releases by e-mail.

*The Company's presentation contains forward-looking statements that are predictive in nature, that depend upon or refer to future events or conditions or that include words such as "expects", "anticipates", "intends", "plans", "believes", "estimates", "suggests" and similar expressions are forward-looking statements. These statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause our actual results and performance to be materially different from any future results or performance expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements. These factors include: our ability to attract and retain qualified nurses and other healthcare personnel, costs and availability of short-term leases for our travel nurses, demand for the healthcare services we provide, both nationally and in the regions in which we operate, the functioning of our information systems, the effect of existing or future government regulation and federal and state legislative and enforcement initiatives on our business, our clients' ability to pay us for our services, our ability to successfully implement our acquisition and development strategies, the effect of liabilities and other claims asserted against us, the effect of competition in the markets we serve, our ability to successfully defend the Company's, its subsidiaries, and its officers and directors on the merits of any lawsuit or determine its potential liability, if any, and other factors set forth under the caption "Risk Factors" in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2005.*

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