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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported) July 19, 2012

Danaher Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-08089 (Commission File Number)	59-1995548 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
2200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW,	
Suite 800W,	
Washington, D.C. (Address of Principal Executive Offices)	20037-1701 (Zip Code) 202-828-0850
(Registrant s	Telephone Number, Including Area Code)
	Not applicable
	Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report) intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of w):
 Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under t	the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
 Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the	Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
 Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule	e 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
 Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule	e 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

ITEM 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On July 19, 2012, Danaher Corporation issued a press release announcing financial results for the three and six months ended June 29, 2012. A copy of the release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein. This Current Report on Form 8-K and the press release attached hereto are being furnished by Danaher pursuant to Item 2.02 of Form 8-K.

This information shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act), or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

	ITEM 9.01	FINANCIAL	STATEMENTS	AND EXHIBITS
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Exhibits:

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release Danaher Reports Record Second Quarter 2012 Results

SIGNATURE

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.

DANAHER CORPORATION

By: /s/ Daniel L. Comas Name: Daniel L. Comas

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

Dated: July 18, 2012

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