FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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(Street) NEW YORK

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Avista Acquisition Corp.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Avista Healthcare Public Acquisition Corp. [AHPA]							<u>p.</u> [ck all applica Director	ble)	X 10% Owner									
(Last)	(F	First)	(Middle)										Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)										
C/O AVISTA HEALTHCARE PUBLIC ACQUIS CORP				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/17/2018																			
65 EAST 55TH STREET, 18TH FLOOR				4. If Ar	mendr	nent, Date o	of Original F	iled (I	(Month/Da	y/Year)			ividual or Jo	int/Group	Filing (Check Appl	icable						
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022												Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person											
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Class B Ordinary Shares	(1)	08/17/2018		J (2)			1,423,125	(1)		(1)	Class A Ordinary Shares	1,423	3,125	(2)	4,269,	,375	D ⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾⁽⁵⁾	Γ					
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1. Name and Addres Burgstahler D		on*			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O AVISTA HEALTHCARE PUBLIC ACQUIS CORP					
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(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10022			
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Pursuant to the Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association (the "Articles") of the Issuer, the Class B ordinary shares, par value \$0.0001 per share (the "Class B Shares") will automatically convert into Class A ordinary shares, par value \$0.0001 per share, of the Issuer at the time of the Issuer's Business Combination, as defined in the Articles, on a one-for-one basis, subject to adjustment, and have no expiration date
- 2. 1,423,125 Class B ordinary shares were forfeited by Avista Acquisition Corp. (the "Sponsor") to the Issuer for no consideration.
- 3. Directly owned by Sponsor. The sole shareholder of Sponsor is Avista Acquisition, LLC ("Avista Acquisition"). Thompson Dean and David Burgstahler are the managers of Avista Acquisition (and, together with Sponsor, Messrs. Dean and Burgstahler are the "Reporting Persons").
- 4. Because of the relationship among the Reporting Persons, the Reporting Persons may be deemed to beneficially own the securities reported herein to the extent of their respective pecuniary interests. Each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein, except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein, if any.
- 5. Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) under the Exchange Act or otherwise, the beneficial owners of any equity securities in excess of their respective pecuniary interests.

Remarks:

Exhibit 99.1 Joint Filer Information, incorporated herein by reference.

By: /s/ Benjamin Silbert, Attorney-in-Fact for Avista	10/15/2018
Acquisition Corp. By: /s/ Benjamin Silbert, Attorney-in-Fact for Avista Acquisition, LLC.	10/15/2018
By: /s/ Benjamin Silbert, Attorney-in-Fact for Thompson Dean	10/15/2018
By: /s/ Benjamin Silbert, Attorney-in-Fact for David Burgstahler	10/15/2018
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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Joint	Filer Information
Name of Joint Filer:	Avista Acquisition, LLC
Address of Joint Filer:	c/o Avista Healthcare Public Acquisition Corp. 65 East 55th Street 18th Floor New York, NY 10022
Relationship of Joint Filer to Issuer:	10% Owner
Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol:	Avista Healthcare Public Acquisition Corp. [AHPA]
Date of Event Requiring Statement: (Month/Day/Year):	8/17/2018
Designated Filer:	Avista Acquisition Corp.
Name of Joint Filer:	Thompson Dean
Address of Joint Filer:	c/o Avista Healthcare Public Acquisition Corp. 65 East 55th Street 18th Floor New York, NY 10022
Relationship of Joint Filer to Issuer:	Director; 10% Owner; Officer (Executive Chairman)
Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol:	Avista Healthcare Public Acquisition Corp. [AHPA]
Date of Event Requiring Statement: (Month/Day/Year):	8/17/2018
Designated Filer:	Avista Acquisition Corp.
Name of Joint Filer:	David Burgstahler
Address of Joint Filer:	c/o Avista Healthcare Public Acquisition Corp. 65 East 55th Street 18th Floor New York, NY 10022
Relationship of Joint Filer to Issuer:	Director; 10% Owner; Officer (President and Chief Executive Officer)
Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol:	Avista Healthcare Public Acquisition Corp. [AHPA]

8/17/2018

Avista Acquisition Corp.

Date of Event Requiring Statement: (Month/Day/Year):

Designated Filer: