FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Aldag Edward K JR</u>					<u> </u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MEDICAL PROPERTIES TRUST INC [MPW]									ationship of k all applica Director		j Perso	10% Ov	vner
(Last) 1000 UR SUITE 5	BAN CEN	First) VTER DRIVE	(Middle)		0	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/23/2019 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							X	below) " Chair	Chairman, Preside			specify	
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(City)	(State) 	(Zip) able I - Noi	n-Der	rivati	ive S	ecui	rities Aco	uired.	Dis	posed of	f. or B	Sene	ficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Tra	. Transaction		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securiti	4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		A) or	5. Amount Securities Beneficial Owned Fo	ly	Form:	Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								v	Amount	(A) or (D) Pi		Price	Reported Transactio (Instr. 3 ar						
71			01/	23/20	23/2019					100,331	(1)	A	\$0	2,184,970		D			
			01/	23/20				A		131,159	(2)	A	\$0	2,316	,129	.29 D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		se (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea	ite,	Code (Instr.		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 Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)	
				,	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	O N		mount r lumber f Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			
Restricted common stock units	\$0	01/23/2019			С			100,331 ⁽¹⁾	(3)		(3)	Comm stock par val \$0.00	ue 1	.00,331	\$0	217,8	87	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents shares earned under the 2018 performance award equal to approximately one third of the target number of shares granted.
- 2. Represents additional shares earned based on the Company's actual performance as compared to the performance hurdles defined in the award agreement along with shares earned pursuant to the modifier provisions in the award, which allowed for more shares to be earned based on how the Company's relative total shareholder return compared to the SNL Healthcare REIT Index.
- 3. The shares vested on January 1, 2019.

Emily R. Sawyer, by power of attorney

01/25/2019

** 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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