

Visium Balanced Fund LP  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
BALYASNY ASSET MANAGEMENT LLC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NORTHFIELD LABORATORIES INC /DE/ [NFLD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
135 E. 57TH STREET, 27TH FL  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/11/2007

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |   |                       |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|-----------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |   |   |                       |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code  | V   | Amount   |   |   |                       |
| Common Stock                    | 12/15/2006                           | 12/15/2006   | P                              | 107,500   | A   | \$ 15  | 2,182   | I | See Footnotes (1) (2) |
| Common Stock                    | 12/15/2006                           | 12/15/2006   | S                              | 293,000   | D   | \$ 14.96   | 2,182   | I | See Footnotes (1) (2) |

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                   |    | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                 | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |                      |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|----|--|-----------------|---|----------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  |                                | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |    | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date | Title   | Amount Number Shares |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 22.5  | 12/11/2006                           | 12/11/2006   | S                              |  | 10 | 12/08/2006   | 05/19/2007      | Common Stock  | 1,000                |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 17.5  | 12/11/2006                           | 12/11/2006   | S                              |  | 51 | 12/08/2006   | 02/17/2007      | Common Stock  | 5,100                |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 17.5  | 12/12/2006                           | 12/12/2006   | S                              |  | 4  | 12/08/2006   | 02/17/2007      | Common Stock  | 400                  |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 22.5  | 12/13/2006                           | 12/13/2006   | P                              | 27   |    | 12/08/2006   | 01/20/2007      | Common Stock  | 2,700                |
| Stock Option (right to sell)               | \$ 5   | 12/13/2006                           | 12/13/2006   | P                              | 166  |    | 12/08/2006   | 01/20/2007      | Common Stock  | 16,600               |
| Stock Option (right to sell)               | \$ 7.5   | 12/13/2006                           | 12/13/2006   | P                              | 166  |    | 12/08/2006   | 01/20/2007      | Common Stock  | 16,600               |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 15.5  | 12/14/2006                           | 12/14/2006   | S                              |  | 1  | 12/08/2006   | 02/17/2007      | Common Stock  | 100                  |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 22.5  | 12/14/2006                           | 12/14/2006   | P                              | 528  |    | 12/08/2006   | 01/20/2007      | Common Stock  | 52,800               |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 22.5  | 12/14/2006                           | 12/14/2006   | S                              |  | 6  | 12/08/2006   | 05/19/2007      | Common Stock  | 600                  |

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| buy)                         |         |            |            |   |       |            |            |              |         |  |
| Stock Option (right to sell) | \$ 15   | 12/14/2006 | 12/14/2006 | P | 250   | 12/08/2006 | 01/20/2007 | Common Stock | 25,000  |  |
| Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 25   | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | P | 1,650 | 12/08/2006 | 01/20/2007 | Common Stock | 165,000 |  |
| Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 7.5  | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | P | 1,500 | 12/08/2006 | 01/20/2007 | Common Stock | 150,000 |  |
| Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 22.5 | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | P | 3,000 | 12/08/2006 | 01/20/2007 | Common Stock | 300,000 |  |
| Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 12.5 | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | P | 600   | 12/08/2006 | 12/16/2006 | Common Stock | 60,000  |  |
| Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 20   | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | S | 1     | 12/08/2006 | 05/19/2007 | Common Stock | 100     |  |
| Stock Option (right to sell) | \$ 15   | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | P | 3,046 | 12/08/2006 | 01/20/2007 | Common Stock | 304,600 |  |
| Stock Option (right to sell) | \$ 15   | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | S | 3,000 | 12/08/2006 | 01/20/2007 | Common Stock | 300,000 |  |
| Stock Option (right to sell) | \$ 15   | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | P | 1,775 | 12/08/2006 | 12/16/2006 | Common Stock | 177,500 |  |
| Stock Option (right to sell) | \$ 12.5 | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | P | 2,000 | 12/08/2006 | 12/16/2006 | Common Stock | 200,000 |  |
| Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 7.5  | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | H | 720   | 12/08/2006 | 12/16/2006 | Common Stock | 72,000  |  |

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| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 10   | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | H | 400   | 12/08/2006 | 12/16/2006 | Common Stock | 40,000  |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 12   | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | H | 600   | 12/08/2006 | 12/16/2006 | Common Stock | 60,000  |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 20   | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | H | 1,810 | 12/08/2006 | 12/16/2006 | Common Stock | 181,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 25   | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | H | 500   | 12/08/2006 | 12/16/2006 | Common Stock | 50,000  |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 30   | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | H | 500   | 12/08/2006 | 12/16/2006 | Common Stock | 50,000  |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 22.5 | 12/15/2006 | 12/16/2006 | H | 4,807 | 12/08/2006 | 12/16/2006 | Common Stock | 480,700 |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |              |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|--------------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other        |
| BALYASNY ASSET MANAGEMENT LLC<br>135 E. 57TH STREET<br>27TH FL<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022                                  |               | X         |         |              |
| Atlas Master Fund, Ltd.<br>C/O BALYASNY ASSET MANAGEMENT LP<br>135 E. 57TH STREET, 27TH FL<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022      |               |           |         | Group Member |
| Atlas Global, LLC<br>C/O BALYASNY ASSET MANAGEMENT LP<br>135 E. 57TH STREET, 27TH FL<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022            |               |           |         | Group Member |
| ATLAS GLOBAL INVESTMENTS LTD<br>C/O BALYASNY ASSET MANAGEMENT LP<br>135 E. 57TH STREET, 27TH FL<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022 |               |           |         | Group Member |

|  |                 |
|--|-----------------|
| Atlas Global Investments II, Ltd.<br>C/O BALYASNY ASSET MANAGEMENT LP<br>135 E. 57TH STREET, 27TH FL<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022 | Group<br>Member |
| Visium Balanced Fund LP<br>C/O BALYASNY ASSET MANAGEMENT LP<br>135 E. 57TH STREET, 27TH FL<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022           | Group<br>Member |
| VISIUM LONG BIAS FUND L P<br>C/O BALYASNY ASSET MANAGEMENT L.P.<br>135 E. 57TH STREET, 27TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022    | Group<br>Member |
| VISIUM BALANCED OFFSHORE FUND LTD<br>C/O BALYASNY ASSET MANAGEMENT LP<br>135 E. 57TH STREET, 27TH FL<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022 | Group<br>Member |
| Visium Capital Management, LLC<br>C/O BALYASNY ASSET MANAGEMENT LP<br>135 E. 57TH STREET, 27TH FL<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022    | Group<br>Member |

## Signatures

|   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| /s/ ATLAS MASTER FUND, LTD.<br>**Signature of Reporting Person                | 12/13/2006<br>Date |
| /s/ ATLAS GLOBAL, LLC<br>**Signature of Reporting Person                      | 12/13/2006<br>Date |
| /s/ ATLAS GLOBAL INVESTMENTS II,<br>LTD.<br>**Signature of Reporting Person   | 12/13/2006<br>Date |
| /s/ ATLAS GLOBAL INVESTMENTS, LTD.<br>**Signature of Reporting Person         | 12/13/2006<br>Date |
| /s/ VISIUM BALANCED FUND, LP<br>**Signature of Reporting Person               | 12/13/2006<br>Date |
| /s/ VISIUM LONG BIAS FUND, LP<br>**Signature of Reporting Person              | 12/13/2006<br>Date |
| /s/ VISIUM BALANCED OFFSHORE FUND,<br>LTD.<br>**Signature of Reporting Person | 12/13/2006<br>Date |
| /s/ VISIUM CAPITAL MANAGMENT, LLC<br>**Signature of Reporting Person          | 12/13/2006<br>Date |
| /s/ VISIUM ASSET MANAGEMENT<br>**Signature of Reporting Person                | 12/13/2006<br>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).

These shares are held as follows: Atlas Master Fund, Ltd. ("AMF") owns 5.86% or 157,788 shares; Visium Balanced Fund, LP ("VBF") owns 21.92% or 590,226 shares; Visium Long Bias Fund, LP ("VLB") owns 9.41% or 253,377 shares; Visium Balanced Offshore Fund, Ltd. ("VBOF") owns 36.34% or 978,505 shares; and Visium Long Bias Offshore Fund Ltd. ("VLBOF") owns 25.85% or 696,047 shares.

(1) Additionally, Dmitry Balyasny owns 0.63% or 16,695 shares. By virtue of its position as investment advisor and/or sub-advisor to each of Atlas Master Fund, Ltd. ("AMF"), Atlas Global, LLC ("AG"), Atlas Global Investments, Ltd. ("AGI"), Atlas Global Investments II, Ltd. ("AGII"), Visium Balanced Fund LP ("VBF"), Visium Long Bias Fund LP ("VLB"), Visium Balanced Offshore Fund, Ltd. ("VBOF") and Visium Long Bias Offshore Fund Ltd. ("VLBOF"), Balyasny Asset Management L.P. may be deemed to beneficially own all 2,692,639 shares of Common Stock.

By virtue of Atlas Global, LLC's ("AG") ownership of 10.79% of the equity interest in AMF, AG may be deemed to beneficially own the 157,788 shares of Northfield Laboratories, Inc.'s ("NFLD") stock that is beneficially owned by AMF. By virtue of Atlas Global Investments, Ltd. ("AGI") ownership of 83.72% of the equity interest in AMF, AGI may be deemed to beneficially own the 157,788 shares of NFLD stock that is beneficially owned by AMF. By virtue of Atlas Global Investments II, Ltd. ("AGII") ownership of 5.48% of the equity interest in AMF, AGII may be deemed to beneficially own the 157,788 shares of OTCI stock that is beneficially owned by AMF.

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