SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 Schedule 13G Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (New) HUMANA INC (Name of Issuer) Common Stock (Title of Class of Securities) 444859102 (CUSIP Number) December 31, 2006 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement) Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed: [X] Rule 13d-1(b) *The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior page. The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes). CUSTP No. 444859102 _____ _____ (1) Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only). BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVESTORS, NA., 943112180 ------_____ (2) Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group* (a) / / (b) /X/ _____ _____ (3) SEC Use Only _____ (4) Citizenship or Place of Organization U.S.A. _____ Number of Shares (5) Sole Voting Power Beneficially Owned 12,029,369 by Each Reporting Person With (6) Shared Voting Power -_____ (7) Sole Dispositive Power 13,903,764 -----(8) Shared Dispositive Power _____ (9) Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 13,903,764 _____ (10) Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares*

_____ _____ (11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 8.36% _____ (12) Type of Reporting Person* ΒK _____ CUSIP No. 444859102 _____ _____ (1) Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only). BARCLAYS GLOBAL FUND ADVISORS _____ (2) Check the appropriate box if a member of a $\operatorname{Group}^\star$ (a) / / (b) /X/ _____ _____ (3) SEC Use Only _____ (4) Citizenship or Place of Organization U.S.A. _____ Number of Shares (5) Sole Voting Power Beneficially Owned 1,286,203 by Each Reporting ------Person With (6) Shared Voting Power _____ (7) Sole Dispositive Power 1,286,203 _____ _____ (8) Shared Dispositive Power _____ (9) Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 1,286,203 _____ (10) Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares* _____ (11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 0.77% _____ (12) Type of Reporting Person* ΙA _____ CUSIP No. 444859102 _____ (1) Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only). BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVESTORS, LTD _____ (2) Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group* (a) / / (b) /X/ _____ (3) SEC Use Only _____ (4) Citizenship or Place of Organization

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Number of Shares (5) Sole Voting Power
Beneficially Owned 1,926,777
by Each Reporting -----
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Person With (6) Shared Voting Power
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   (7) Sole Dispositive Power
   1,926,777
   _____
   (8) Shared Dispositive Power
        _____
(9) Aggregate
  1,926,777
         _____
(10) Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares*
(11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)
1.16%
_____
(12) Type of Reporting Person*
ΒK
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CUSIP No. 444859102
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(1) Names of Reporting Persons.
I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).
BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVESTORS JAPAN TRUST AND BANKING COMPANY LIMITED
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(2) Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group^{\star}
(a) / /
(b) /X/
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(3) SEC Use Only
_____
(4) Citizenship or Place of Organization
Japan
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Number of Shares (5) Sole Voting Power
Beneficially Owned 4,516
by Each Reporting -----
Person With (6) Shared Voting Power
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   (7) Sole Dispositive Power
   4,516
       _____
   (8) Shared Dispositive Power
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(9) Aggregate
  4.516
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(10) Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares*
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(11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)
0.00%
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(1) Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only). BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVESTORS JAPAN LIMITED _____ _____ (2) Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group $\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!$ (a) / / (b) /X/ ____ (3) SEC Use Only _____ (4) Citizenship or Place of Organization Japan _____ Number of Shares (5) Sole Voting Power Beneficially Owned 812,795 by Each Reporting -----Person With (6) Shared Voting Power _____ (7) Sole Dispositive Power 812,795 (8) Shared Dispositive Power _____ (9) Aggregate 812,795 _____ _____ (10) Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares* _____ (11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 0.49% _____ (12) Type of Reporting Person* ΙA _____ ITEM 1(A). NAME OF ISSUER HUMANA INC _____ _____ ITEM 1(B). ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES 500 W MAIN ST LOUISVILLE KY 40202 _____ ITEM 2(A). NAME OF PERSON(S) FILING BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVESTORS, NA _____ ITEM 2(B). ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE 45 Fremont Street San Francisco, CA 94105 _____ ITEM 2(C). CITIZENSHIP U.S.A _____ ITEM 2(D). TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES Common Stock _____ ITEM 2(E). CUSIP NUMBER 444859102 _____ _____ ITEM 3. IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13D-1(B), OR 13D-2(B), CHECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A (a) // Broker or Dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780). (b) /X/ Bank as defined in section 3(a) (6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c). (c) // Insurance Company as defined in section 3(a) (19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c). (d) // Investment Company registered under section 8 of the Investment

Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8). (e) // Investment Adviser in accordance with section 240.13d(b)(1)(ii)(E). (f) // Employee Benefit Plan or endowment fund in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F). (g) // Parent Holding Company or control person in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G). (h) // A savings association as defined in section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813). (i) // A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15U.S.C. 80a-3). (j) // Group, in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J) ITEM 1(A). NAME OF ISSUER HUMANA INC _____ ITEM 1(B). ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES 500 W MAIN ST LOUISVILLE KY 40202 _____ ITEM 2(A). NAME OF PERSON(S) FILING BARCLAYS GLOBAL FUND ADVISORS _____ ITEM 2(B). ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE 45 Fremont Street San Francisco, CA 94105 _____ TTEM 2(C). CITIZENSHIP U.S.A ITEM 2(D). TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES Common Stock _____ _____ ITEM 2(E). CUSIP NUMBER 444859102 _____ ITEM 3. IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13D-1(B), OR 13D-2(B), CHECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A (a) // Broker or Dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780). (b) // Bank as defined in section 3(a) (6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c). (c) // Insurance Company as defined in section 3(a) (19) of the \mbox{Act} (15 U.S.C. 78c). (d) // Investment Company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8). (e) /X/ Investment Adviser in accordance with section 240.13d(b)(1)(ii)(E). (f) // Employee Benefit Plan or endowment fund in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F). (g) // Parent Holding Company or control person in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G). (h) // A savings association as defined in section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813). (i) // A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15U.S.C. 80a-3). (j) // Group, in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J) ITEM 1(A). NAME OF ISSUER HUMANA INC ITEM 1(B). ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES 500 W MAIN ST LOUISVILLE KY 40202 _____ _____ ITEM 2(A). NAME OF PERSON(S) FILING BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVESTORS, LTD _____ _____ ITEM 2(B). ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE Murrav House 1 Royal Mint Court LONDON, EC3N 4HH _____ ITEM 2(C). CITIZENSHIP

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ITEM 1(A). NAME OF ISSUER

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HUMANA INC _____ ITEM 1(B). ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES 500 W MAIN ST LOUISVILLE KY 40202 _____ ITEM 2(A). NAME OF PERSON(S) FILING BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVESTORS JAPAN LIMITED ------ITEM 2(B). ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE Ebisu Prime Square Tower 8th Floor 1-1-39 Hiroo Shibuya-Ku Tokyo 150-8402 Japan _____ ITEM 2(C). CITIZENSHIP Japan _____ ITEM 2(D). TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES Common Stock _____ ITEM 2(E). CUSIP NUMBER 444859102 _____ ITEM 3. IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13D-1(B), OR 13D-2(B), CHECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A (a) // Broker or Dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o). (b) // Bank as defined in section 3(a) (6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c). (c) // Insurance Company as defined in section 3(a) (19) of the \mbox{Act} (15 U.S.C. 78c). (d) // Investment Company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8). (e) /X/ Investment Adviser in accordance with section 240.13d(b)(1)(ii)(E). (f) // Employee Benefit Plan or endowment fund in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F). (g) // Parent Holding Company or control person in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G). (h) // A savings association as defined in section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813). (i) // A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15U.S.C. 80a-3). (j) // Group, in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J) ITEM 4. OWNERSHIP Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1. (a) Amount Beneficially Owned: 17,934,055 _____ _____ (b) Percent of Class: 10.78% _____ (c) Number of shares as to which such person has: (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote 16,059,660 _____ (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote _____ (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of 17,934,055 _____ (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of _____ ITEM 5. OWNERSHIP OF FIVE PERCENT OR LESS OF A CLASS If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following. //

ITEM 6. OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON The shares reported are held by the company in trust accounts for the economic benefit of the beneficiaries of those accounts. See also Items 2(a) above. ITEM 7. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED THE SECURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY Not applicable ITEM 8. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERS OF THE GROUP Not applicable

ITEM 9. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF GROUP Not applicable

ITEM 10. CERTIFICATION

(a) The following certification shall be included if the statement is filed pursuant to section 240.13d-1(b):

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

(b) The following certification shall be included if the statement is filed pursuant to section 240.13d-1(c):

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

January 31, 2007

Date

Signature

Robert J. Kamai Principal

Name/Title