UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 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):

March 29, 2017

SUMMIT HEALTHCARE REIT, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

000-52566 (Commission File Number)

73-1721791 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2 South Pointe Drive, Suite 100, Lake Forest, California 92630 (Address of principal executive offices)

(949) 535-2022

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act.

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule $14d-2(\check{b})$ under the Exchange Act.

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act.

Item 8.01 Other Events.

Summit Healthcare REIT, Inc. (the "Company") is filing this Current Report on Form 8-K to include as an exhibit to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2016, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 29, 2017 (the "2016 10-K") a consent of BDO USA, LLP, the Company's independent registered public accounting firm, to the incorporation by reference into the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-8 (No. 333-212231) of its report dated March 29, 2017 relating to the Company's consolidated financial statements, which were included in the Company's 2016 10-K.

Item 9.	01	Financial Stateme	nts and Exhibits.
(d)	Exhibits		
	Exhibit	No.	Description
	23.1		Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

SUMMIT HEALTHCARE REIT, INC.

By: Name: Title:

/s/ Elizabeth A. Pagliarini Elizabeth A. Pagliarini Chief Financial Officer

Dated: March 31, 2017

Summit Healthcare REIT, Inc. Lake Forest, California

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statement on Form S-8 (No. 333-212231) of Summit Healthcare REIT, Inc. of our report dated March 29, 2017, relating to the consolidated financial statements which appears in Summit Healthcare REIT, Inc.'s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2016.

/s/ BDO USA, LLP

Costa Mesa, California March 31, 2017