MEDICINOVA INC Form 8-K July 17, 2013

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): July 17, 2013

MEDICINOVA, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE (State or other jurisdiction

001-33185 (Commission

33-0927979 (I.R.S. Employer

 $of\ incorporation)$

File Number)

Identification No.)

4275 EXECUTIVE SQUARE,

92037

SUITE 650, LA JOLLA, CA (Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (858) 373-1500

(Zip 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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On July 17, 2013, MediciNova Inc. (the Company) updated the slide presentation to be used by the Company at investor meetings. A copy of the revised slide presentation is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

No. Description

99.1 Slide presentation of the Company.

SIGNATURE

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

MEDICINOVA, INC.

By: /s/ Michael Gennaro Michael Gennaro Chief Financial Officer

Date: July 17, 2013

EXHIBIT INDEX

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