

Global Blood Therapeutics, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
November 28, 2016

**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): November 28, 2016

**Global Blood Therapeutics, Inc.**  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation)

**001-37539**  
(Commission File Number)

**27-4825712**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification  
Number)

**400 East Jamie Court, Suite 101, South San Francisco,  
CA 94080**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

**(650) 741-7700**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(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 (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- 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 November 28, 2016, Global Blood Therapeutics, Inc. issued a press release titled, “Global Blood Therapeutics Announces Initiation of Phase 2a Trial of GBT440 in Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF)” (the “Press Release”). A copy of the Press Release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

**Exhibit No. Description**

99.1 Press Release, dated November 28, 2016

---

**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.

**Global Blood Therapeutics, Inc.**

Date: November 28, 2016

By: /s/ Jeffrey Farrow  
Jeffrey Farrow  
Chief Financial Officer  
(Principal Financial Officer)

---

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

**Exhibit No.    Description**

99.1            Press Release, dated November 28, 2016