

Cardium Therapeutics, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
June 15, 2012

**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): June 12, 2012**

001-33635

(Commission file number)

**CARDIUM THERAPEUTICS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State of incorporation)

**27-0075787**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**12255 El Camino Real, Suite 250**

**San Diego, California 92130**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**(858) 436-1000**  
(Registrant's telephone number)

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:

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- .. 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 June 12, 2012, Cardium Therapeutics, Inc. ( Cardium ) issued a press release announcing an agreement with Advanced Biosciences Research, an affiliate of bioRASI, for the planned commercialization of its Excellagen® topical wound care management product in the Russian Federation. On June 14, 2012, Cardium announced an upcoming presentation at the Marcum MicroCap Conference being held in New York on June 20, 2012. Copies of the press releases are attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and Exhibit 99.2, respectively, and incorporated by reference herein.

**ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.**

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release of Cardium issued on June 12, 2012

99.2 Press Release of Cardium issued on June 14, 2012

**SIGNATURES**

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.

**CARDIUM THERAPEUTICS, INC.**

Date: June 15, 2012

By: /s/ Christopher J. Reinhard  
**Christopher J. Reinhard**  
**Chief Executive Officer**