

MEDICINES CO /DE  
Form 8-K  
August 15, 2013

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

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**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): **August 13, 2013**

**The Medicines Company**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

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

**000-31191**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**04-3324394**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**8 Sylvan Way**

**Parsippany, New Jersey**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**07054**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(973) 290-6000**

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(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 1.01 Entry Into a Material Definitive Agreement**

On August 13, 2013, The Medicines Company (the "Company") entered into an underwriting agreement (the "Underwriting Agreement") with J.P. Morgan Securities LLC and Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, as representatives of the several underwriters (collectively, the "Underwriters"), relating to an underwritten public offering of 5,785,123 shares (the "Shares") of the Company's common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Common Stock"). All of the shares are being sold by the Company. The offering price to the public is \$30.25 per share, and the Underwriters have agreed to purchase the Shares from the Company pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement at a price of \$28.58625 per share. After underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses, the Company expects to receive net proceeds from the offering of approximately \$164.6 million (assuming the Underwriters do not exercise their option referenced below). Under the terms of the Underwriting Agreement, the Company granted the Underwriters an option, exercisable for 30 days, to purchase up to an additional 867,768 shares of Common Stock at the same price per share as the Shares.

The Shares will be issued pursuant to an automatically effective shelf registration statement that the Company filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on August 12, 2013 (File No. 333-190568). A prospectus supplement relating to the offering has been filed with the SEC. The closing of the offering is expected to take place on August 19, 2013, subject to the satisfaction of customary closing conditions.

A copy of the Underwriting Agreement is attached as Exhibit 1.1 hereto and is incorporated herein by reference. The foregoing description of the material terms of the Underwriting Agreement does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to such exhibit.

A copy of the legal opinion and consent of Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP relating to the Shares is attached as Exhibit 5.1 hereto.

**Item 8.01. Other Events**

A copy of the press release announcing the pricing of the public offering is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**(d) Exhibits**

1.1 Underwriting Agreement, dated August 13, 2013, by and among the Company and J.P. Morgan Securities LLC and Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, as representatives of the several Underwriters

5.1 Opinion of Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP

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23.1 Consent of Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP (contained in Exhibit 5.1 above)

99.1 Press release issued by the Company on August 13, 2013

**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.

THE MEDICINES COMPANY

Date: August 14, 2013

By: /s/ Paul M. Antinori  
Name: Paul M. Antinori  
Title: Senior Vice President and General Counsel

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