

Pacira Pharmaceuticals, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
May 29, 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): **May 29, 2013**

**PACIRA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-35060**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**51-0619477**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**5 Sylvan Way, Suite 100, Parsippany, New Jersey 07054**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

**(973) 254-3560**

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On May 29, 2013, Pacira Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the Company ) issued a press release announcing findings from the completed first part of its Phase 2/3 clinical trial assessing the use and administration of EXPAREL® (bupivacaine liposome injectable suspension) as a single-dose injection femoral nerve block for total knee arthroplasty surgery. The full text of the press release issued in connection with the announcement is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

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

(d) Exhibits.

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release dated May 29, 2013

**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.

Pacira Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Date: May 29, 2013

By: */s/ James Scibetta*  
James Scibetta  
Chief Financial Officer