

CORNERSTONE THERAPEUTICS INC  
Form 8-K/A  
March 16, 2012

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K/A**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the**  
**Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): December 28, 2011**

**Cornerstone Therapeutics Inc.**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)**

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

**000-50767**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**

**04-3523569**  
**(IRS Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

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1255 Crescent Green Drive, Suite 250, Cary, NC

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (919) 678-6611

27518

(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:

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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Explanatory Note**

This Amendment No. 1 on Form 8-K/A for Cornerstone Therapeutics Inc., a Delaware corporation (the Company), amends our Current Report on Form 8-K initially filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on January 4, 2012 disclosing the Company's acquisition of Cardiokine, Inc. (the Original Form 8-K). This amended Current Report on Form 8-K provides the financial information required under parts (a) and (b) of Item 9.01 of Form 8-K and amends Item 9.01 of the Original Form 8-K. Except as set forth above, the Original Form 8-K has not been amended, updated or otherwise modified.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(a) Financial statements of business acquired

The audited consolidated financial statements of Cardiokine, Inc. as of and for the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2009 are filed as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference.

The audited consolidated financial statements of Cardiokine, Inc. as of and for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2010 are filed as Exhibit 99.2 and incorporated by reference.

The unaudited consolidated financial statements of Cardiokine, Inc. as of September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010 and for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 and 2010 are filed as Exhibit 99.3 and incorporated by reference.

(b) Pro forma financial information

The unaudited pro forma combined financial statements of the Company as of and for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 and the unaudited pro forma combined statement of income of the Company for the year ended December 31, 2010 are filed as Exhibit 99.4 and incorporated by reference.

(d) Exhibits

See the Exhibit Index attached hereto.

**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.

Cornerstone Therapeutics Inc.

March 16, 2012

By: /s/ Andrew K. W. Powell

Name: Andrew K. W. Powell

Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
2.1*	Agreement and Plan of Merger among Cornerstone Therapeutics Inc., Cohesion Merger Sub, Inc., Cardiokine, Inc. and Shareholder Representative Services LLC dated December 28, 2011
23.1	Consent of Ernst & Young LLP
99.1	Audited consolidated financial statements of Cardiokine, Inc. as of and for the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2009
99.2	Audited consolidated financial statements of Cardiokine, Inc. as of and for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2010
99.3	Unaudited consolidated financial statements of Cardiokine, Inc. as of September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010 and for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 and 2010
99.4	Unaudited pro forma combined financial statements of the Company as of and for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 and the unaudited pro forma combined statement of income of the Company for the year ended December 31, 2010

\* Filed with the Original Form 8-K, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on January 4, 2012.