

CYTOKINETICS INC  
Form 8-K  
October 18, 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): October 18, 2016**

**Cytokinetics, Incorporated**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**

**of incorporation)**

**280 East Grand Avenue, South San**

**000-50633**  
**(Commission**

**File Number)**

**94-3291317**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**

**Identification No.)**

**94080**

**Francisco, California**  
**(Address of principal executive offices)** **(Zip Code)**  
**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (650) 624 - 3000**

**Not Applicable**

**Former name or former address, if changed since last report**

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- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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.**

Cytokinetics, Inc. announced the first patient has been enrolled in VIGOR-ALS (Ventilatory Investigations in Global Open-Label Research in ALS), an open-label extension clinical trial designed to assess the long-term safety and tolerability of tirasemtiv, in patients with ALS who have completed their participation in VITALITY-ALS, the Phase 3 clinical trial designed to assess the effects of tirasemtiv versus placebo on slow vital capacity (SVC) and other measures of respiratory and skeletal muscle function.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K, and is incorporated herein by reference.

**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.

Cytokinetics, Incorporated

*October 18, 2016*

*By: /s/ Sharon A. Barbari*

*Name: Sharon A. Barbari*

*Title: Executive Vice President, Finance and  
Chief Financial Officer*

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<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release Dated October 18, 2016