

MAP Pharmaceuticals, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
July 14, 2008

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

**WASHINGTON, DC 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): July 14, 2008

**MAP PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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

**001-33719**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**20-0507047**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**2400 Bayshore Parkway, Suite 200, Mountain**

**View, CA**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**94043**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (650) 386-3100

(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**

In a press release issued on July 14, 2008, MAP Pharmaceuticals, Inc. announced that it had initiated a Phase 3 clinical trial of its MAP0004 product candidate for the potential treatment of migraine. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>  |
|--------------------|---|
| 99.1               | Press Release of MAP Pharmaceuticals, Inc., dated July 14, 2008 |

**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.

Date: July 14, 2008

**MAP PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.**

By: /s/ Charlene A. Friedman  
Name: Charlene A. Friedman  
Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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