AGENUS INC Form 8-K June 27, 2014

#### 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 June 26, 2014 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

#### AGENUS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

| <b>DELAWARE</b> (State or other jurisdiction  | <b>000-29089</b> (Commission | <b>06-1562417</b><br>(IRS Employer |
|---|------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| of incorporation)<br><b>3 Forbes Road</b>   | File Number)                 | Identification No.)                |
| Lexington, MA   |                              | <b>02421</b><br>(Zip               |
| (Address of principal executive offices)<br><b>781-674-4400</b><br>(Registrant's telephone number, including an |                              | Code)                              |

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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## Item 8.01 Other events

Agenus Inc. announced promising Phase 2 results for HerpV, a synthetic vaccine candidate for the treatment of patients with genital Herpes Simplex Virus-2 (HSV-2). HerpV contains a defined mixture of peptides representing HSV-2 antigens plus Agenus' QS-21 Stimulor® adjuvant.

The full text of the press release issued in connection with the announcement is being filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this current report on Form 8-K.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is filed herewith:

99.1 Press Release dated June 26, 2014

### 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.

### AGENUS INC.

By:

Date: June 27, 2014

/s/ Garo H. Armen

Garo H. Armen Chief Executive Officer

# EXHIBIT INDEX

- Exhibit No. Description of Exhibit
- 99.1 Press Release dated June 26, 2014