

MEDICINOVA INC  
Form 8-K  
February 15, 2012

**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): February 15, 2012**

**MEDICINOVA, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**001-33185**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**33-0927979**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

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4350 LA JOLLA VILLAGE DRIVE,

SUITE 950, SAN DIEGO, CA  
(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (858) 373-1500

92122  
(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- .. Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On February 15, 2012, MediciNova, Inc. (the Company ) updated the slide presentation to be used by the Company at investor meetings. A copy of the revised slide presentation is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) *Exhibits.*

**Exhibit**

| <b>No.</b> | <b>Description</b>                 |
|------------|------------------------------------|
| 99.1       | Slide presentation of the Company. |

**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.

**MEDICINOVA, INC.**

By: /s/ Michael Coffee  
Michael Coffee  
*Chief Business Officer*

Date: February 15, 2012

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