

ANIKA THERAPEUTICS INC  
Form 8-K  
September 27, 2006

**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): **September 27, 2006**

**Anika Therapeutics, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Massachusetts**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**000-21326**  
Commission file number

**04-314-5961**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**160 New Boston Street, Woburn, MA 01801**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **781-932-6616**

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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

Charles H. Sherwood, Ph.D., President and CEO of Anika Therapeutics, Inc., intends to make a slide presentation at the UBS Global Life Sciences Conference in New York at 4:30 p.m. local time on September 27, 2006. A copy of the slide presentation is furnished with this report as Exhibit 99.1.

As Anika has previously announced, while attendance is by invitation only, an audio-only webcast of Anika's presentation at the UBS Global Life Sciences Conference may be accessed through the Company's website at [www.anikatherapeutics.com](http://www.anikatherapeutics.com). An archived replay of the presentation will be available approximately 3 hours after the live presentation and can also be accessed at [www.anikatherapeutics.com](http://www.anikatherapeutics.com).

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>                      |
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| 99.1               | Slide Presentation, September 27, 2006. |

**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.

Anika Therapeutics, Inc.

September 27, 2006

By: /s/ Charles H. Sherwood  
Name: Charles H. Sherwood  
Title: President and Chief  
Executive Officer

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