
**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): March 19, 2019

LANTHEUS HOLDINGS, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-36569
(Commission
File Number)

35-2318913
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

331 Treble Cove Road, North Billerica, MA
(Address of principal executive offices)

01862
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (978) 671-8001

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)
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- 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))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On March 19, 2019, Cesare Orlandi, M.D., the Chief Medical Officer of Lantheus Holdings, Inc. (the “*Company*”), informed the Company of his intention to retire, effective September 2, 2019.

A copy of the Company’s press release announcing Dr. Orlandi’s retirement is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On March 25, 2019, the Company announced its promotion of John Bolla from Senior Vice President, Technical Operations, to Chief Operations Officer of the Company, effective immediately.

A copy of the Company’s press release announcing Mr. Bolla’s promotion is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	<u>Press release of Lantheus Holdings, Inc. dated March 25, 2019, entitled “Lantheus Announces Upcoming Retirement of Chief Medical Officer in September 2019 and Promotion of Senior Vice President, Technical Operations to Chief Operations Officer”</u>

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.

LANTHEUS HOLDINGS, INC.

By: /s/ Michael P. Duffy

Name: Michael P. Duffy

Title: General Counsel, Senior Vice President, Law and
Public Policy, and Secretary

Date: March 25, 2019

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Lantheus Announces Upcoming Retirement of Chief Medical Officer in September 2019 and Promotion of Senior Vice President, Technical Operations to Chief Operations Officer

NORTH BILLERICA, Mass., March 25, 2019– Lantheus Holdings, Inc. (the “Company”) (NASDAQ: LNTH), parent company of Lantheus Medical Imaging, Inc. (“LMI”), a global leader in the development, manufacture and commercialization of innovative diagnostic imaging agents and products, today announced that Cesare Orlandi, M.D., Chief Medical Officer, will retire from the Company on September 2, 2019. In addition, John Bolla, the Company’s Senior Vice President, Technical Operations, has been promoted to the newly created position of Chief Operations Officer, effective immediately.

Dr. Orlandi will be employed by the Company in a full time capacity until his retirement date, and will continue in his role as Chief Medical Officer until his successor is appointed. The Company will commence a search to identify Dr. Orlandi’s successor.

“On behalf of the entire Lantheus team and Board of Directors, I thank Ces for his many years of dedicated service to the Company, and we look forward to working with him to continue progressing our clinical and pipeline programs while we work to identify his successor,” said Mary Anne Heino, President and Chief Executive Officer.

“My decision to retire this year has not been an easy one, but now is the right time for me to make this change personally and professionally,” said Dr. Orlandi. “I am very proud of what we have accomplished since I joined as Chief Medical Officer in 2013, and I am confident the Company will successfully carry forward the momentum we’ve created.”

As Chief Operations Officer, Mr. Bolla will lead the Company’s Technical Operations, Engineering & Facilities, Environment, Health & Safety, Human Resources, and Information Technology organizations in addition to his oversight of the Puerto Rico business unit.

“I am very pleased to announce John’s appointment to the newly created role of Chief Operations Officer,” said Ms. Heino. “Since joining Lantheus last May, he has demonstrated significant operational and cross-functional leadership. As we drive strategic change within the Company to better position us for growth, John is ideally suited to contribute in his new role.”

“I appreciate the confidence that Lantheus has shown in me and I’m excited to take on this new role,” said Mr. Bolla. “I look forward to the opportunity to participate in the growth of the Company as we drive operational excellence at this important time in our evolution.”

Prior to joining Lantheus in May 2018, Mr. Bolla spent 20 years at GlaxoSmithKline plc (GSK), a global branded pharmaceutical company. He held various senior leadership roles at GSK, including Vice President, Supply Chain, North America, where he was responsible for leading all manufacturing, supply planning, logistics and distribution for GSK's largest global market. He also held senior roles as Vice President and Site General Manager for a large GSK manufacturing facility in the U.S., as well as Vice President and Global Head of External Supply and Global Contract Manufacturing. He has also served in multiple senior procurement leadership roles at GSK. Mr. Bolla holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration/Accounting from The University of Central Florida.

About Lantheus Holdings, Inc. and Lantheus Medical Imaging, Inc.

Lantheus Holdings, Inc. is the parent company of Lantheus Medical Imaging, Inc. ("LMI"), a global leader in the development, manufacture and commercialization of innovative diagnostic imaging agents and products. LMI provides a broad portfolio of products, including the echocardiography contrast agent DEFINITY® Vial for (Perflutren Lipid Microsphere) Injectable Suspension and TechnoLite® (Technetium Tc99m Generator), a technetium-based generator that provides the essential medical isotope used in nuclear medicine procedures. The Company is headquartered in North Billerica, Massachusetts with offices in Puerto Rico and Canada. For more information, visit www.lantheus.com.

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