

**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 29, 2016**

**Acorda Therapeutics, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**000-50513**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**13-3831168**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**420 Saw Mill River Road,**  
**Ardsley, NY**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**10502**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(914) 347-4300**

**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:

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01****Other Events**

Acorda Therapeutics, Inc. (the “Company”) is reporting that it has completed Phase 1 single-dose pharmacokinetic (PK) studies for three separate once-daily (QD) formulations of dalfampridine, at least one of which has met all of the Company’s success criteria. The Company expects to move forward with multi-dose PK studies for one or more of these formulations in the second quarter of 2016. The Company is exploring the potential use of a QD formulation in its post-stroke walking deficits development program.

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## 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.

March 29, 2016

**Acorda Therapeutics, Inc.**

By: /s/ Michael Rogers  
Name: Michael Rogers  
Title: Chief Financial Officer