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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): October 4, 2017

CAREDX, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction **001-36536** (Commission

94-3316839 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

File Number) 3260 Bayshore Boulevard **Identification No.)**

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Brisbane, California 94005

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(415) 287-2300

Registrant s telephone number, including area code

N/A

(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:

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)) 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 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On October 4, 2017, CareDx, Inc. (the Company) entered into an underwriting agreement (the Underwriting Agreement) with Craig-Hallum Capital Group LLC (the Representative), as sole book-running manager and representative of the several underwriters named therein (the Underwriters), relating to an underwritten public offering (the Offering) of 4,341,600 shares of the Company s common stock (Common Stock). The public offering price is \$4.00 per share of Common Stock and the Underwriters have agreed to purchase the Common Stock pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement at a price of \$3.76 per share. Under the terms of the Underwriting Agreement, the Company also granted to the Underwriters an option, exercisable in whole or in part at any time for a period of 30 days from the date of the closing of the Offering, to purchase up to an additional 651,240 shares of Common Stock at a price of \$3.74 per share to cover over-allotments, if any.

The Offering is being made pursuant to the Company s registration statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-220319), which was declared effective by the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) on October 4, 2017, and the registration statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-22080) filed by the Company with the SEC on October 4, 2017, which became effective upon filing in accordance with Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act).

Net proceeds from the Offering are expected to be approximately \$15.9 million (excluding any sale of shares of Common Stock pursuant to the over-allotment option granted to the Underwriters), after deducting underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated Offering expenses payable by the Company. The purchase and sale of the Common Stock, and the closing of the Offering, is expected to take place on or about October 9, 2017, subject to the satisfaction of customary closing conditions.

The Underwriting Agreement contains customary representations, warranties and covenants made by the Company. It also provides for customary indemnification by each of the Company and the Underwriters, severally and not jointly, for losses or damages arising out of or in connection with the Offering, including for liabilities under the Securities Act, other obligations of the parties and termination provisions. In addition, pursuant to the terms of the Underwriting Agreement, each of the Company s directors and executive officers have entered into lock-up agreements with the Underwriters that generally prohibit, without the prior written consent of the Representative, the sale, transfer or other disposition of securities of the Company prior to January 2, 2018.

The foregoing description of the Underwriting Agreement does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the copy of the Underwriting Agreement, which is filed as Exhibit 1.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The representations, warranties and covenants contained in the Underwriting Agreement were made only for purposes of such agreement and as of specific dates, were solely for the benefit of the parties to the Underwriting Agreement, and may be subject to limitations agreed upon by the contracting parties. Accordingly, the Underwriting Agreement is incorporated herein by reference only to provide investors with information regarding the terms of the Underwriting Agreement, and not to provide investors with any other factual information regarding the Company or its business, and should be read in conjunction with the disclosures in the Company s periodic reports and other filings with the SEC.

Forward-Looking Statements

This Current Report on Form 8-K contains forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties, such as statements related to the anticipated closing of the Offering and the amount of proceeds expected from the Offering. The risks and uncertainties involved include the Company s ability to satisfy certain conditions to closing on a timely basis or at all, market conditions, and other risks detailed from time to time in the Company s periodic reports and

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other filings with the SEC. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on forward-looking statements, which are based on the Company s current expectations and assumptions and speak only as of the date of this Current Report on Form 8-K. The Company does not intend to revise or update any forward-looking statement in this Current Report on Form 8-K as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by law.

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On October 5, 2017, the Company issued a press release announcing the pricing of the Offering. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Number	Description
1.1	<u>Underwriting Agreement, dated as of October 4, 2017, by and between CareDx, Inc. and Craig-Hallum Capital Group LLC, as representative of the underwriters named therein.</u>
99.1	Press Release, dated October 5, 2017.

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.

Date: October 5, 2017 CAREDX, INC.

By: /s/ Michael Bell Michael Bell

Chief Financial Officer