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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)

May 22, 2014

# INOVIO PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

 $(Exact\ name\ of\ registrant\ as\ specified\ in\ its\ charter)$ 

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

**001-14888** (Commission

33-0969592 (I.R.S. Employer

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of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

1787 Sentry Parkway West

**Building 18, Suite 400** 

Blue Bell, Pennsylvania 19422
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (267) 440-4200

N/A

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

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### Item 8.01. Other Events.

As previously announced, on May 22, 2014 the Company s stockholders approved the proposal of a reverse split of the Company s common stock. The Company s Board of Directors subsequently approved the immediate implementation of a 1-for-4 reverse stock split of the Company s common stock, where each 4 shares of issued and outstanding common stock and equivalents will be converted into 1 share of common stock.

The 1-for-4 reverse stock split is scheduled to become effective as of 5 p.m., eastern time, Thursday, June 5, 2014, and the trading of Company s common stock on a post-reverse split basis is scheduled to commence on Friday, June 6, 2014.

# **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.

INOVIO PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

By: /s/ Peter Kies Peter Kies, Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 30, 2014