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BIOCRYST PHARMACEUTICALS INC Form 3 April 23, 2012 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> BAKER BROS ADVISORS LLC			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 04/12/2012	nt Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trad BIOCRYST PHARMACEU ear)				
(Last) 667 MADISO	(First)	(Middle)		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Origina Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
FLOOR		022101		(Check all applicable)				
NEW YORK,	(Street) NY U	JS 10065		Director Officer (give title below	Other		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Jon-Dorivet	ivo Socuriti	os Roi	Reporting Person neficially Owned	
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Warrants	(5)	08/09/2012 <u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	0 (1)	\$ 10.25	Ι	See Footnote (2) (3) (4) (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BAKER BROS ADVISORS LLC 667 MADISON AVENUE 21ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY US 10065	Â	ÂX	Â	Â			
Signatures							
BAKER BROS. ADVISORS, LLC, Name: Lessing	04/23/2012						

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

**Signature of Reporting Person

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Baker Bros. Advisors, LLC ("the Adviser") serves as the Investment Adviser to Baker Brothers Life Sciences, L.P. (direct holder of 3,841,124 shares and 1,120,142 shares underlying warrants), 14159, L.P. (direct holder of 120,828 shares and 35,611 shares underlying warrants), 667, L.P. (direct holder of 1,522,015 shares and 424,726 shares underlying warrants), Baker Bros. Investments II, L.P. (direct

(1) warrants), 607, E.F. (uncer holder of 1,522,015 shares and 424,726 shares underlying warrants), Baker Bros. Investments, L.P. (direct the holder of 34,046 shares), and Baker Tisch Investments, L.P. (direct holder of 17,241 shares) ("the Funds"). In connection with the services provided by the Adviser, the Adviser receives an asset-based management fee that does not confer any pecuniary interest.

On April 12, 2012, the Adviser, the Funds, and the general partners of the Funds entered into an amended and restated management

agreement which gave the Adviser complete and unlimited discretion and authority with respect to the Funds' investments and voting power over investments. The general partners of the Funds relinquished all discretion and authority with respect to the Funds' investments and voting power over investments.

Julian C. Baker and Felix J. Baker each may be deemed to control the Adviser and to indirectly beneficially own the shares beneficially owned by it. Julian C. Baker and Felix J. Baker disclaim beneficial ownership of these securities, except to the extent of their pecuniary

- (3) owned by it. Junar C. Baker and Feirx J. Baker disertain bencherar ownership of these securities, except to the extent of their peculiary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that Felix J. Baker or Julian C. Baker is the beneficial owner of the above referenced securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (4) The securities over which the Adviser is reporting have already been reported by Felix J. Baker and Julian C. Baker in their own Forms 3 and 4. In the future, the Adviser may jointly file Section 16 reports with Julian C. Baker and Felix J. Baker.
- (5) Exercisable immediately.

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