FIBROGEN INC Form 8-K April 01, 2016

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

FibroGen, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

 $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{001-36740} \\ \textbf{(Commission} \end{array}$

77-0357827 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number) FibroGen, Inc.

Identification No.)

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409 Illinois Street

San Francisco, CA 94158

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(415) 978-1200

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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

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- "Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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

(d) Designation of Chief Medical Officer

FibroGen, Inc. (the Company) announced that as of April 1, 2016, K. Peony Yu, M.D., the Company s Vice President of Clinical Development, has been appointed as Chief Medical Officer, succeeding Frank Valone, M.D. Dr. Valone has decided to step down and will remain with the Company, transitioning to the role of Senior Fellow, Clinical Development and retaining responsibility for a portion of his prior duties.

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.

FIBROGEN, INC.

Dated: April 1, 2016

By: /s/ Michael Lowenstein Michael Lowenstein Vice President, Legal Affairs