

GILEAD SCIENCES INC  
Form 8-K  
April 29, 2005

**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):**

April 29, 2005

**GILEAD SCIENCES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**DELAWARE**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**0-19731**  
(Commission File Number)

**94-3047598**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**333 LAKESIDE DRIVE, FOSTER CITY, CALIFORNIA**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**94404**  
(Zip Code)

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(650) 574-3000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  
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  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**SECTION 8 OTHER EVENTS**

**Item 8.01 Other Events**

On April 29, 2005, Gilead Sciences, Inc., a Delaware corporation, issued a press release announcing the establishment of a stock trading plan under Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 by George P. Shultz, PhD, a member of Gilead's Board of Directors. A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

**SECTION 9 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release, issued by Gilead Sciences, Inc. on April 29, 2005

**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.

	<b>GILEAD SCIENCES, INC.</b>	
	(Registrant)	
	/s/ John F. Milligan	
	John F. Milligan Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer	

Date: April 29, 2005

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