
**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 17, 2019

Merrimack Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

001-35409
(Commission
File Number)

04-3210530
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

**One Broadway, 14th Floor
Cambridge, MA**
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

02142
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (617) 441-1000

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- ☐ 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))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common stock, \$0.01 par value	MACK	Nasdaq Global Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR 230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR 240.12b-2).

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 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

At the 2019 Annual Meeting of Stockholders of Merrimack Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the “Company”) held on October 17, 2019, the Company’s stockholders voted as follows:

1. The stockholders elected the nominees listed below to the Company’s board of directors (the “Board”), each for a one year term ending at the Company’s 2020 annual meeting of stockholders.

<u>Nominees</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Withheld</u>	<u>Broker Non-Votes</u>
Gary L. Crocker	4,571,618	1,903,401	4,222,999
Eric D. Andersen	4,616,802	1,858,217	4,222,999
Noah G. Levy	4,617,233	1,857,786	4,222,999
Ulrik B. Nielsen, Ph.D.	3,974,666	2,500,353	4,222,999
Russell T. Ray	4,585,769	1,889,250	4,222,999

2. The stockholders approved, on a non-binding advisory basis, the compensation of the Company’s named executive officers.

For:	4,111,920
Against:	2,333,612
Abstain:	29,487
Broker Non-Votes:	4,222,999

3. The stockholders ratified the selection of Marcum LLP as the Company’s independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2019.

For:	9,250,980
Against:	1,433,499
Abstain:	13,539

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.

MERRIMACK PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

Date: October 21, 2019

By: /s/ Gary L. Crocker

Gary L. Crocker

President