

**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): August 11, 2021

RAPT Therapeutics, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

001-38997
(Commission
File Number)

47-3313701
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

561 Eccles Avenue
South San Francisco, CA
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

94080
(Zip Code)

(650) 489-9000
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable
(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 Instructions 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, \$0.0001 par value per share	RAPT	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC

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

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 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On August 11, 2021, RAPT Therapeutics, Inc. (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing its financial results for the second quarter and six months periods ended June 30, 2021. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

The information in this Item 2.02 and in the press release furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this current report shall not be deemed to be “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. The information contained in this Item 2.02 and in the press release furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this current report shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission made by the Company, whether made before or after the date hereof, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**(d) Exhibits**

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Exhibit Description</u>
99.1	<u>Press Release titled “RAPT Therapeutics Reports Second Quarter 2021 Financial Results” dated August 11, 2021.</u>

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: August 11, 2021

RAPT Therapeutics, Inc.

By: /s/ Rodney Young
Rodney Young
Chief Financial Officer



RAPT Therapeutics Reports Second Quarter 2021 Financial Results

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Calif. – August 11, 2021 – RAPT Therapeutics, Inc. (Nasdaq: RAPT), a clinical-stage, immunology-based biopharmaceutical company focused on discovering, developing and commercializing oral small molecule therapies for patients with significant unmet needs in oncology and inflammatory diseases, today reported financial results for the second quarter and six months ended June 30, 2021.

“The second quarter was filled with a number of important milestones,” said Brian Wong, M.D., Ph.D., President and Chief Executive Officer of RAPT Therapeutics. “We were thrilled to announce positive topline results from our Phase 1b clinical trial of RPT193 in atopic dermatitis in June. Shortly thereafter, we closed an underwritten public offering with net proceeds to RAPT of \$134.6 million, significantly bolstering our cash position. Having demonstrated early proof-of-concept of our two lead drug candidates, RPT193 and FLX475, in atopic dermatitis and cancer, respectively, we are well positioned to advance our product development efforts and look forward to reporting additional data as these programs progress.”

Financial Results for the Second Quarter Ended June 30, 2021

Second Quarter ended June 30, 2021

Net loss for the second quarter of 2021 was \$16.1 million, compared to \$12.4 million for the second quarter of 2020.

Research and development expenses for the second quarter of 2021 were \$13.2 million, compared to \$11.0 million for the same period in 2020. This increase was primarily due to increased clinical trial costs for FLX475 and increases in expenses for preclinical programs, laboratory supplies, stock-based compensation and facilities, offset by a decrease in clinical trial costs for RPT193.

General and administrative expenses for the second quarter of 2021 were \$3.8 million, compared to \$2.8 million for the same period of 2020. The increase was primarily due to increases in stock-based compensation expense, insurance expense and personnel costs.

Six Months Ended June 30, 2021

Net loss for the six months ended June 30, 2021 was \$32.6 million, compared to \$25.5 million for the same period in 2020.

Research and development expenses for the six months ended June 30, 2021 were \$27.0 million, compared to \$21.7 million for the same period in 2020. The increase was primarily due to increases in costs relating to the clinical trials of FLX475 and RPT193, as well as increases in stock-based compensation, personnel expenses, facilities costs and laboratory supplies spend.

General and administrative expenses for the six months ended June 30, 2021 were \$7.8 million, compared to \$6.1 million for the same period of 2020. The increase in general and administrative expenses was primarily due to increased stock-based compensation expense and personnel costs.

As of June 30, 2021, the Company had cash and cash equivalents and marketable securities of \$223.3 million, which includes net proceeds of approximately \$134.6 million from our recent public offering of 4,356,060 shares of common stock.

About RAPT Therapeutics, Inc.

RAPT Therapeutics is a clinical stage immunology-based biopharmaceutical company focused on discovering, developing and commercializing oral small molecule therapies for patients with significant unmet needs in oncology and inflammatory diseases. Utilizing its proprietary discovery and development engine, the Company is developing highly selective small molecules designed to modulate the critical immune drivers underlying these diseases. RAPT has discovered and advanced two unique drug candidates, FLX475 and RPT193, each targeting C-C motif chemokine receptor 4 (CCR4), for the treatment of cancer and inflammation, respectively. The Company is also pursuing a range of targets that are in the discovery stage of development.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release contains forward-looking statements. These statements relate to future events and involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause our actual results, performance or achievements to be materially different from any future performances or achievements expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements. Each of these statements is based only on current information, assumptions and expectations that are inherently subject to change and involve a number of risks and uncertainties. Forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements about the progress of RAPT's oncology and inflammation programs and the interpretation of topline results from the Phase 1b trial of RPT193. Detailed information regarding risk factors that may cause actual results to differ materially from the results expressed or implied by statements in this press release may be found in RAPT's Form 10-Q filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 11, 2021 and subsequent filings made by RAPT with the Securities and Exchange Commission. These forward-looking statements speak only as of the date hereof. RAPT disclaims any obligation to update these forward-looking statements.

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RAPT THERAPEUTICS INC.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND COMPREHENSIVE LOSS

(In thousands, except share per share data)

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
Revenue	\$ 869	\$ 1,277	\$ 2,091	\$ 2,212
Operating expenses:				
Research and development	13,190	10,986	26,961	21,669
General and administrative	3,760	2,802	7,772	6,091
Total operating expenses	16,950	13,788	34,733	27,760
Loss from operations	(16,081)	(12,511)	(32,642)	(25,548)
Other income (expense), net	(29)	391	18	526
Net loss before taxes	(16,110)	(12,120)	(32,624)	(25,022)
Provision for income taxes	—	267	—	504
Net loss	\$ (16,110)	\$ (12,387)	\$ (32,624)	\$ (25,526)
Other comprehensive income (loss):				
Foreign currency translation adjustment	70	(199)	108	5
Unrealized gain (loss) on marketable securities	(18)	369	(68)	152
Total comprehensive loss	\$ (16,058)	\$ (12,217)	\$ (32,584)	\$ (25,369)
Net loss per share, basic and diluted	\$ (0.63)	\$ (0.51)	\$ (1.29)	\$ (1.08)
Weighted average number of shares used in computing net loss per share, basic and diluted	25,589,947	24,336,102	25,217,542	23,743,058

RAPT THERAPEUTICS, INC.
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS
(In thousands)

	June 30, 2021 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2020 (1)
Assets		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 86,220	\$ 24,918
Marketable securities	137,084	86,592
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	4,651	4,088
Total current assets	227,955	115,598
Property and equipment, net	2,737	2,982
Other assets	389	389
Total assets	\$ 231,081	\$ 118,969
Liabilities and stockholders' equity		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 2,714	\$ 2,383
Accrued expenses	5,068	4,935
Deferred revenue, current	2,283	4,096
Other current liabilities	329	328
Total current liabilities	10,394	11,742
Deferred rent, net of current portion	2,141	2,185
Deferred revenue, non-current	967	863
Total liabilities	13,502	14,790
Commitments		
Stockholders' equity:		
Preferred stock	—	—
Common stock	3	2
Additional paid-in capital	465,179	319,196
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(137)	(177)
Accumulated deficit	(247,466)	(214,842)
Total stockholders' equity	217,579	104,179
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 231,081	\$ 118,969

(1) The condensed consolidated balance sheet for December 31, 2020 has been derived from audited consolidated financial statements included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2020