Esperion Therapeutics, Inc. Form 8-K July 24, 2014

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): July 24, 2014

Esperion Therapeutics, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-35986 (Commission File Number) **26-1870780** (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

3891 Ranchero Drive, Suite 150

Ann Arbor, MI (Address of principal executive offices) **48108** (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (734) 862-4840

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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Item 8.01. Other Events

On July 24, 2014, Esperion Therapeutics, Inc. issued a press release titled Esperion Therapeutics Announces Initiation of a Phase 2 Clinical Study of ETC-1002 in Patients with Hypercholesterolemia and Hypertension . A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

 Exhibit No.
 Description

 99.1
 Press Release dated July 24, 2014.

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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.

Date: July 24, 2014

Esperion Therapeutics, Inc.

By:

/s/ Tim M. Mayleben Tim M. Mayleben President and Chief Executive Officer

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99.1 Press Release dated July 24, 2014.

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