LA JOLLA PHARMACEUTICAL CO Form 8-K November 03, 2006

# 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):

La Jolla Pharmaceutical Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

0-24274

(Commission

File Number)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

6455 Nancy Ridge Drive, San Diego, California

(Address of principal executive offices)

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:

[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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[] 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))

33-0361285

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

92121

(Zip Code)

(858) 452-6600

November 1, 2006

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#### <u>Top of the Form</u> Item 8.01 Other Events.

On November 1, 2006, La Jolla Pharmaceutical Company (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that Deirdre Y. Gillespie, M.D., the Company's President and Chief Executive Officer, will present on Monday, November 6th at the Rodman & Renshaw 8th Annual Healthcare Conference. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is filed with this report on Form 8-K:

Exhibit Number Description of Exhibit 99.1 Press Release, dated November 1, 2006

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#### 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.

La Jolla Pharmaceutical Company

November 1, 2006

By: /s/ Gail A. Sloan

Name: Gail A. Sloan Title: Vice President of Finance and Secretary

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Press Release, dated November 1, 2006