

SPECTRUM PHARMACEUTICALS INC

Form 8-K

April 19, 2005

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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

April 19, 2005 (April 13, 2005)  
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

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**SPECTRUM PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**000-28782**  
(Commission File Number)

**93-0979187**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

**157 Technology Drive**  
**Irvine, California**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**92618**  
(Zip Code)

**(949) 788-6700**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**N/A**  
(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:

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
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**Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On April 13, 2005, we entered into a Distribution and Supply Agreement ( Agreement ) with Cura Pharmaceutical Co. Inc. ( Cura ), whereby we granted to Cura an exclusive right to distribute, promote and sell our carboplatin generic drug product in the United States when approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

Under the terms of the Agreement, Cura agreed to use its best efforts to promote, distribute and sell carboplatin in the United States at mutually agreed upon prices, and we agreed to cause a manufacturing partner to manufacture and supply carboplatin to Cura based on forecasts provided by Cura meeting certain conditions. Cura will purchase supplies of carboplatin at our manufacturing cost as defined in the Agreement. We and Cura will share any net profit margin at rates specified in the Agreement. The Agreement also contains provisions covering quality control, record keeping, ownership of intellectual property, audits and customary indemnification. The initial term of the Agreement is two years with a feature to automatically extend the term for two additional terms of two years each. The Agreement and press release are attached to this report as Exhibits 10.1 and 99.1 respectively and are incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits

Exhibits:	Description of Document
10.1*	Distribution and Supply Agreement, dated April 13, 2005, by and between the Registrant and Cura Pharmaceutical Co. Inc.
99.1	Press Release dated April 14, 2005

\* Confidential portions omitted and filed separately with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Rule 24b-2 promulgated under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

**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.

Date: April 19, 2005

SPECTRUM PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

By: /s/ Shyam K. Kumaria  
Name: Shyam K. Kumaria

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