

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): April 19, 2023

COMPASS PATHWAYS PLC
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

England and Wales
(State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-39522
(Commission
File Number)

Not applicable
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

33 Broadwick Street
London W1F 0DQ
United Kingdom
(Address of Principal Executive Offices; Zip Code)

+1 (716) 676-6461
(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 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
American Depositary Shares, each representing one ordinary share, nominal value £0.008 per share	CMPS	The Nasdaq Global Select Market

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 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

COMPASS Pathways plc (the "Company") is furnishing an updated corporate presentation, attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K (the "Corporate Presentation"), which the Company intends to post on the Company's website and to use from time to time at investor conferences and in meetings with investors and others beginning on April 19, 2023. The Corporate Presentation is current as of April 19, 2023, and the Company disclaims any obligation to update this material in the future.

The information contained in Item 7.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto, is being furnished and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section and shall not be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d)	Exhibits.	
	The following exhibits are filed herewith:	
	Exhibit No.	Description
	99.1	Corporate Presentation dated April 19, 2023
	104	Cover page interactive data file (embedded within Inline XBRL document)

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.

COMPASS PATHWAYS PLC

Date: April 19, 2023

By: /s/ Michael Falvey
Michael Falvey
Chief Financial Officer



Transforming Mental Health Care

April 19, 2023

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We're a mental health care company.

We're committed to developing innovative, evidence-based therapies that help patients and their families, and ease the burden on our overstretched healthcare systems.



We have a team of experts and leaders with a record of delivering visionary innovation in pharma and beyond




- 1. **Kabir Nath**
Chief Executive Officer
- 2. **Guy Goodwin, MD, PhD**
Chief Medical Officer
- 3. **Trevor Mill**
Chief Development Officer
- 4. **Anne Benedict**
Chief People Officer
- 5. **Mike Falvey**
Chief Financial Officer
- 6. **Matt Owens**
General Counsel and Chief Legal Officer
- 7. **Greg Ryslik** Chief Technical Officer
- 8. **Chris Williams**
Chief Communications Officer
- 9. **Ekaterina Malievskaia MD**
Chief Innovation Officer and Co-founder
- 10. **George Goldsmith**
Chairman and Co-founder



COMP360 psilocybin therapy includes three elements



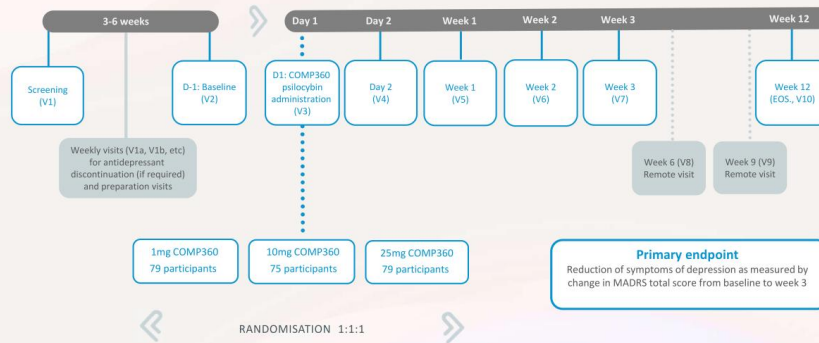
TRD treatment pathway: significant unmet need for 100 million patients

Treatment pathway stage	New onset depression Major depressive disorder (MDD)	Persistent depression Major depressive disorder (MDD)	Treatment-resistant depression (TRD)
Line of therapy	First line	Second line	Third line + 
Estimated number of patients (worldwide)	320 million	200 million	100 million (~1 in 3 of total) US health care cost approx. \$17-25k per patient/year
Available treatments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Antidepressants Psychological interventions, e.g., CBT* 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Antidepressants Antidepressant combinations Psychological interventions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Antidepressants Augmentation therapy (antidepressants, mood stabilizers, anticonvulsants, atypical antipsychotics, esketamine) Ketamine Somatic therapy (rTMS, tDCS, ECT, DBS)* High-intensity psychological interventions
% relapse	60-70%	50-75%	80-90%

*NOTE: CBT = cognitive behavioural therapy; rTMS = repetitive transcranial magnetic stimulation; tDCS = transcranial direct current stimulation; ECT = electroconvulsive therapy; DBS = deep brain stimulation
 SOURCE: Table adapted from Rush, A. J., Trivedi, M. H., Wisniewski, S. R., Nierenberg, A. A., Stewart, J. W., Warden, D., ... & Fava, M. (2006). Acute and longer-term outcomes in depressed outpatients requiring one or several treatment steps: a STAR*D report. *American Journal of Psychiatry*, 163(11), 1905-1917; Zhdanova A, Pilon D, Ghelerter L, et al. The prevalence and national burden of treatment-resistant depression and major depressive disorder in the United States. *J Clin Psychiatry*. 2021;82(2):20m13499.
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COMP001 phase 2b study design and primary endpoint (n=233)



Note: MADRS = Montgomery-Åsberg Depression Rating Scale; EOS = end of study; TRD = treatment-resistant depression; D = day; V = visit



Phase 2b trial: Results demonstrate the potential for a rapid, sustained response in TRD

Published in The NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL of MEDICINE

In a randomized, controlled, double-blind trial, three groups of participants were given a single dose (either 1 mg, 10 mg or 25 mg) of COMP360 psilocybin alongside psychological support.

Results were measured as a change on the MADRS[®] depression scale from baseline (a day prior to administration) over a 12-week period.

The primary endpoint of this study was the change from baseline in MADRS total score at week 3.



Efficacy: We saw a statistically significant and clinically meaningful reduction in depression symptoms.

Rapid onset of action: The effect occurred the day after the administration.

Durability: We saw a sustained response at week 12 – a positive indication for high potential as a monotherapy.



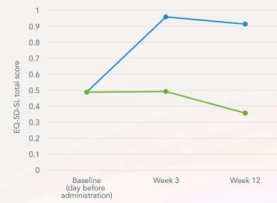
Phase 2b trial: Those participants who showed a sustained response also showed signs of improvement beyond the reduction of depression symptoms

Sustained responders are participants who responded ($\geq 50\%$ change in MADRS total score from baseline) at weeks 3 and 12, and at least one visit out of week 6 and 9, and who did not start new treatments for depression.

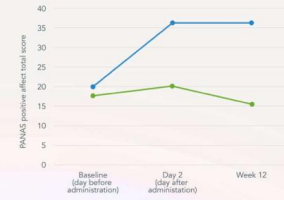
Sustained non-responders are participants who did not respond ($< 25\%$ change in MADRS total score from baseline) at weeks 3 and 12, and at least one visit out of week 6 or 9.

● Sustained responders (n=19)
● Sustained non-responders (n=21)

Quality of life: Sustained responders were found to have a clinically meaningful increase in quality of life from baseline at week 3 and week 12 with scores in the normal range after treatment



Positive affect: Sustained responders were found to have a clinically meaningful increase in positive affect from baseline on the day after the psilocybin session and at week 3



Phase 2b trial: COMP360 psilocybin therapy was generally well-tolerated

Treatment-emergent adverse events (TEAEs)

>90%

of TEAEs were of mild or moderate severity.

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most frequent TEAEs across the 10mg and 25mg doses were headaches, nausea, fatigue, insomnia and anxiety.

>77%

of TEAEs occurring on the day of administration resolved on the same or next day; most were mild or moderate.

There were no concerns with vital signs, ECG or clinical laboratory data in any of the treatment groups

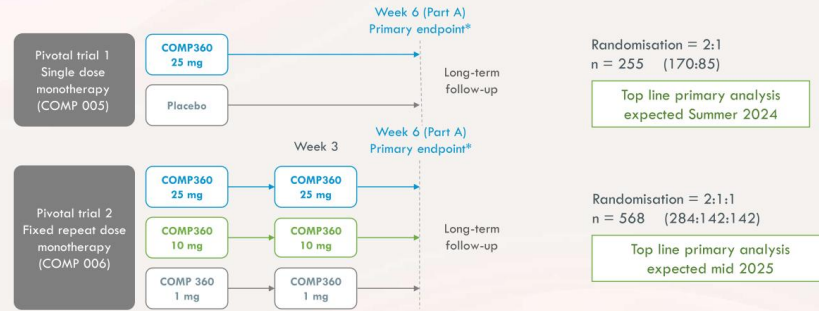
TEAEs involving hallucinations (which only occurred in the 25mg and 10mg groups) and illusions (all groups) started and resolved on the day of administration.

TEAEs of suicidal ideation, suicidal behavior and intentional self-injury were seen in all groups, as is regularly observed in a TRD population.

- All patients who experienced these events during the trial had said during screening that they had had suicidal thoughts prior to the trial.
- A case-by-case post-hoc analysis of safety data did not establish a causal relationship between these TEAEs and administration of COMP360 psilocybin. The majority occurred more than a week after the psilocybin session.



Phase 3 program: Overview of ongoing pivotal trial designs



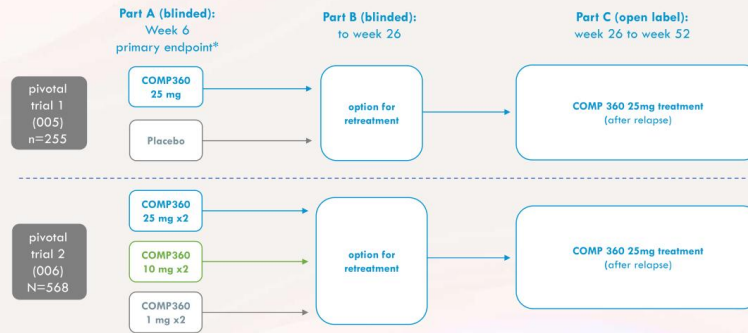
The phase 3 program will be conducted across approx. 150 sites in 12 countries. Key secondary endpoints include change in MADRS at week 9, 6 weeks following second dose. The participant population (TRD definition and core inclusion/exclusion criteria) remains unchanged compared to Phase 2b

*Primary endpoint - change from baseline in MADRS total score at Week 6

Notes: We received FDA feedback on the protocol amendments for the COMP 005 and COMP 006 trials. After considering the FDA feedback, we are continuing to conduct the phase 3 program in accordance with our previously announced study design, as revised and presented during our Q4 2022 results call.



Phase 3 program long-term follow up component



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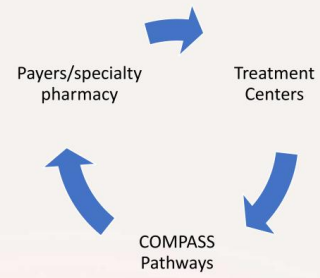


Preparing for scale at launch

COMPASS Pathways intends to deliver COMP360 (medicine) to **Treatment Centers** through specialty pharmacy channels, reimbursed by **Payers**

Our strategy for reimbursement is for **Treatment Centers** to be reimbursed by **Payers** with new reimbursement codes specific to psychedelic therapies*

Regulatory approval and payer coverage/reimbursement is the path to broad and equitable patient access



*New CPT III codes accepted by AMA for Psychedelic Drug Monitoring Services, expected to be released 7/1/23

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The infrastructure to deliver COMP360 psilocybin therapy already exists and is growing

- Specialty TRD centers, health systems, and integrated delivery networks (IDNs), some of which are clinical trial sites during phase 3, are already experienced in delivering interventional psychiatry treatments like ketamine, esketamine, transcranial magnetic stimulation (TMS) and electroconvulsive therapy (ECT) to tens of thousands of TRD patients
- These are delivered relatively frequently, requiring a cumulatively high number of hours of patient and provider time

TMS:
30-36 treatments

ketamine:
12-15 treatments



ECT:
6-12+ treatments

esketamine:
20-28 treatments

*treatment #s represent a typical course over 6 months

References: [1] ICER, 2019; [2] Ross, 2018; [3] Petrides, 2011; [4] Thirulli, 2020; [5] Voligt, 2017



Our digital tools provide educational support and guidance for patients and therapists, enabling the scalability and continuous optimization of our care model

Therapist COMPanion

Web-based portal
supporting therapists through
all phases of patient care

myPathfinder

Patient-facing app
providing guidance
throughout COMP360
psilocybin therapy



Our
integrated
technology
platform



Chanterelle

AI & analytics
infrastructure for
continuous optimization



We provide support to research institutions conducting investigator-initiated studies with COMP360 psilocybin

Listed here are signal-generating studies looking at indications in areas of serious unmet need with COMP360 psilocybin.

These studies may provide signals for new potential indications for COMP360 psilocybin that we can explore further and bring into our development pipeline.

COMPASS owns or has a license to new IP generated around COMP360 psilocybin.

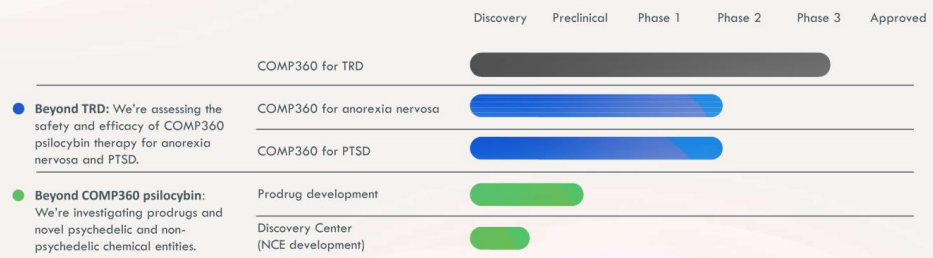
● Complete ● Ongoing

Indication	Institution	Status
MDD in cancer patients	Aquilino Cancer Center	●
MDD	University of Zurich	●
Chronic cluster headache	University of Copenhagen	●
Severe TRD	Sheppard Pratt	●
Anorexia nervosa	UC San Diego	●
Bipolar disorder II	Sheppard Pratt	●
Body dysmorphic disorder	Columbia University	●
Anorexia nervosa	Imperial College London	●
Suicidal ideation	Sheppard Pratt	●
Autism	King's College London*	●
TRD	Stanford	●
Obsessive compulsive disorder	Imperial College London	●
Rumination	Massachusetts General Hospital	●

NOTE: MDD = major depressive disorder ; *A research scientist employed by COMPASS Pathways who is a PhD student at King's College London is conducting the study
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We're continuing to develop a balanced and differentiated pipeline



COMPASS Financial Overview

Cash and cash equivalents

\$143.1 million

Issued shares

42.8 million

Financial guidance for cash used in operating activities

First quarter 2023:

\$24 – \$32 million

Full-year 2023:

\$85 - \$110 million

NOTE: Cash and cash equivalents at December 31, 2022. Issued shares as of March 31, 2023; guidance is provided as of February 28, 2023 only



We're a mental health care company.

- Lead product candidate: COMP360 psilocybin therapy
- Phase 2 TRD program published in *The New England Journal of Medicine*
- Phase 3 TRD program recruiting
 - Trial 1: top-line data expected Summer 2024
 - Trial 2: top-line data expected mid-2025
- Phase 2 PTSD study – data expected late 2023
- IIS programs expected to generate data



We're a mental health care company.

We're committed to developing innovative, evidence-based therapies that help patients and their families, and ease the burden on our overstretched healthcare systems.

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