

ANGIODYNAMICS INC  
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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 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): January 30, 2012

AngioDynamics, Inc.  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

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| Delaware                                          | 000-50761                | 11-3146460                        |
| (State or Other Jurisdiction of<br>Incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (IRS Employer Identification No.) |

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|------------------------------------------|------------|
| 14 Plaza Drive Latham, New York          | 12110      |
| (Address of Principal Executive Offices) | (Zip Code) |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (518) 795-1400

(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 Instruction A.2. below):

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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))
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Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On January 31, 2012, AngioDynamics, Inc. (“AngioDynamics”) held an investor conference call. A copy of the presentation slides used during the investor conference call is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The information set forth in Item 7.01 of this Form 8-K (including Exhibit 99.1) shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”), or 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 a filing.

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On January 31, 2012, AngioDynamics issued a press release announcing the execution of a Stock Purchase Agreement, dated as of January 30, 2012, by and among AngioDynamics, NM Holding Company, Inc. (“Navilyst”), the stockholders of Navilyst who are, or will be before the closing set forth on the signature pages thereto, solely with respect to, and as specified in, Sections 2.4 and 7.11(b) thereof, the Optionholders who execute joinder agreements thereto, and, solely with respect to, and as specified in, Section 2.6 and Article XII thereof, Avista Capital Partners GP, LLC, in its capacity as sellers’ representative. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2.

Safe Harbor

This document includes “forward-looking statements” intended to qualify for the safe harbor from liability established by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Investors can identify these statements by the fact that they do not relate strictly to historical or current facts. These statements contain words such as “expect,” “reaffirm,” “anticipate,” “plan,” “believe,” “estimate,” “may,” “will,” “predict,” “project,” “might,” “intend,” “potential,” “could,” “would,” “should,” “continue,” “pursue,” or “our future success depends,” or the negative or other variations thereof or comparable terminology, are intended to identify such forward-looking statements. In particular, they include statements relating to, among other things, future actions, strategies, future performance and future financial results of AngioDynamics. These forward-looking statements are based on current expectations and projections about future events. The forward-looking statements in this document include those with respect to the expected timing of the completion of the transaction.

Investors are cautioned that forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance or results and involve risks and uncertainties that cannot be predicted or quantified and, consequently, the actual performance or results of AngioDynamics may differ materially from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. Such risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, the factors described from time to time in AngioDynamics’ reports filed with the SEC, including AngioDynamics’ Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended May 31, 2011 and AngioDynamics’ Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended November 30, 2011; the ability of AngioDynamics to develop its existing and new products; financial community and rating agency perceptions of AngioDynamics; third-party relations and approvals; technological advances and patents attained by competitors; challenges inherent in new product development, including obtaining regulatory approvals; the ability of AngioDynamics to develop its products; future actions by the FDA or other regulatory agencies; domestic and foreign health care reforms and governmental laws and regulations; results of pending or future clinical trials; overall economic conditions; the results of ongoing litigation; the effects of economic, credit and capital market conditions on the economy in general, and on medical device companies in particular; general market conditions; market acceptance; foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations; the effects on pricing from group purchasing organizations and competition and the ability of AngioDynamics to integrate purchased businesses. Risk and uncertainties related to the proposed transaction include, but are not limited to delays in or failure to obtain any required governmental and regulatory approvals with respect to the transaction; failure to obtain stockholder approval of the issuance of the

AngioDynamics common stock in connection with the transaction; failure to consummate or delay in consummating the transaction for other reasons; the possibility that the expected benefits of the transaction, including projected synergies and tax benefits, may not materialize as expected; disruption from the proposed transaction making it more difficult to maintain business and operational relationships; and the failure to successfully integrate the products, R&D capabilities, infrastructure and employees of AngioDynamics and Navilyst.

Any forward-looking statements are made pursuant to the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 and, as such, speak only as of the date made. AngioDynamics disclaims any obligation to update the forward-looking statements. Investors are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements which speak only as of the date stated, or if no date is stated, as of the date of this document.

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#### Additional Information

AngioDynamics intends to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) a proxy statement regarding the issuance of the AngioDynamics common stock in connection with the proposed transaction. The proxy statement will be mailed to AngioDynamics’ stockholders. **INVESTORS AND STOCKHOLDERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO READ THE PROXY STATEMENT AND OTHER RELEVANT MATERIALS WHEN THEY BECOME AVAILABLE BECAUSE THEY WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT ANGIODYNAMICS AND THE PROPOSED TRANSACTION.** Investors and stockholders will also be able to obtain a free copy of these documents (when they are available), as well as other filings made by AngioDynamics, without charge, at the SEC’s web site at <http://www.sec.gov>. In addition, the documents filed by AngioDynamics with the SEC may be obtained free of charge by contacting AngioDynamics’ investor relations firm: EVC Group, 60 East 42nd Street, Suite 936, New York, NY 10165.

AngioDynamics, Avista Capital Partners, Navilyst Medical and their respective executive officers, directors and other persons may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies from AngioDynamics’ stockholders with respect to the issuance of the AngioDynamics common stock in connection with the proposed transaction. Information regarding the officers and directors of AngioDynamics and their ownership of AngioDynamics common stock is set forth in AngioDynamics’ proxy statement for its most recent annual meeting, which was filed with the SEC on September 6, 2011. Other information regarding the participants in the solicitation and a description of their direct and indirect interests, by security holdings or otherwise, will be contained in the proxy statement and other relevant materials to be filed with the SEC regarding the issuance of the AngioDynamics common stock in connection with the proposed transaction.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

##### (d) Exhibits.

- 99.1 Investor Presentation, dated January 31, 2012.
- 99.2 Press Release, dated January 31, 2012.

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.

ANGIODYNAMICS, INC.

Date: January 31, 2012

/s/ D. Joseph Gersuk  
D. Joseph Gersuk  
Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

| Exhibit No. | Description                                    | Paper (P) or<br>Electronic (E) |
|-------------|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
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