Edwards Lifesciences Corp Form 8-K April 20, 2011

# 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 20, 2011)

## **EDWARDS LIFESCIENCES CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-15525 (Commission file number) 36-4316614 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

One Edwards Way, Irvine, California (Address of principal executive offices)

**92614** (Zip Code)

(949) 250-2500

Registrant s telephone number, including area code

#### N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

	the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of lowing provisions:
o	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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0	Pre-Commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
0	Pre-Commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02.	Results of	Operations and	Financial	Condition.

This information furnished under this Item 2.02, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

On April 20, 2011, Edwards Lifesciences Corporation, a Delaware corporation ( Edwards ), issued a press release setting forth Edwards financial results for the first quarter of 2011. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits
- 99.1 Press release, dated April 20, 2011, reporting Edwards financial results for the first quarter of 2011.

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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.

Date: April 20, 2011

#### EDWARDS LIFESCIENCES CORPORATION

By: /s/ Thomas M. Abate Thomas M. Abate

Corporate Vice President, Chief Financial Officer

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#### **Exhibit Index**

Exhibit Number	Description		
99.1	Press release, dated April 20, 2011, reporting Edwards	financial results for the first quarter of 2011.	
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