MERRIMACK PHARMACEUTICALS INC Form SC 13G April 02, 2012

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934*

Merrimack Pharmaceuticals, Inc

(Name of Issuer)

COMMON STOCK, \$ 0.01 PAR VALUE (Title of Class of Securities)

590328100 (CUSIP Number)

March 29, 2012 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:
"Rule 13d-1 (b)
x Rule 13d-1 (c)
" Rule 13d-1 (d)

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^{*} The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person s initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page. The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Act) or otherwise to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSIP NO. 590328100

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1.	NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS
	I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)
2.	Sanofi CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (see instructions) (a) " (b) "
3.	SEC USE ONLY
4.	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
	The Republic of France 5. SOLE VOTING POWER
Numl Sha Benefi	5,217,391 shares 6. SHARED VOTING POWER
Owne Ea	7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
Repo Per Wi	son 5,217,391 shares 8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
9.	0 shares AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
10.	5,217,391 shares CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (see instructions) "

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

5.65%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (see instructions)

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Item 1(a). Name of Issuer: Merrimack Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
Item 1(b). Address of Issuer s Principal Executive Offices: One Kendall Square, Suite B7201, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139
Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing: Sanofi
Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office, or if none, Residence: 54, rue La Boétie, 75008 Paris, France
Item 2(c). Citizenship: The Republic of France
Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities: COMMON STOCK, \$ 0.01 PAR VALUE
Item 2(e). CUSIP Number: 590328100
Item 3. Item 3 is not applicable.
Item 4(a). Amount Beneficially Owned: 5,217,391 shares
Item 4(b). Percent of Class: 5.65%
Item 4(c). Number of shares as to which such person has: (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:
5,217,391 shares

(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:

0 shares

(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:
5,217,391 shares
(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:
0 shares
Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class: If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more that five percent of the class of securities, check the following ".
Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person: Item 6 is not applicable.
Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company: Item 7 is not applicable.
Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of a Group: Item 8 is not applicable.
Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group: Item 9 is not applicable.
Item 10. Certification: By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

SANOFI

Date: April 2, 2012 By: /s/ John FELITTI

John FELITTI

Associate Vice President

Corporate Law, Financial & Securities Law