

Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co Investment Fund LP  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Sanderling Venture Partners VI LP

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 Pacira Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [PCRX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O SANDERLING  
 VENTURES, 400 SOUTH EL  
 CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 03/15/2013

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_X\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

SAN MATEO, CA 94402

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_X\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/15/2013		J	1,000,000	D \$ 0 361,762	D (1) (6) (7)	
Common Stock	03/15/2013		J	200,000	A \$ 0 200,000	D (2) (6) (7)	
Common Stock					559,453	D (3) (6) (7)	
Common Stock					48,657	D (4) (6) (7)	
Common Stock					57,973	D (5) (6) (7)	

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Sanderling Venture Partners VI LP C/O SANDERLING VENTURES 400 SOUTH EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200 SAN MATEO, CA 94402		X		
Sanderling VI Beteiligungs GmbH & Co KG C/O SANDERLING VENTURES 400 SOUTH EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200 SAN MATEO, CA 94402		X		
Sanderling Ventures Management VI C/O SANDERLING VENTURES 400 SOUTH EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200 SAN MATEO, CA 94402		X		
Sanderling VI Limited Partnership C/O SANDERLING VENTURES 400 SOUTH EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200 SAN MATEO, CA 94402		X		
Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co Investment Fund LP C/O SANDERLING VENTURES 400 SOUTH EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200		X		

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## Signatures

/s/ See Exhibit  
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03/19/2013

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

(1) The securities are held directly by Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co-Investment Fund, L.P. On March 15, 2013, Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co-Investment Fund, L.P. distributed an aggregate of 1,000,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock pro rata to its partners for no consideration (the "Distribution"). The address for Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co-Investment Fund, L.P. is c/o Sanderling Ventures, 400 South El Camino Real, Suite 1200, San Mateo, CA 94402.

(2) The securities are held directly by Sanderling Ventures Management VI. On March 15, 2013, Sanderling Ventures Management VI received 200,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock as a result of the Distribution. The address for Sanderling Ventures Management VI is c/o Sanderling Ventures, 400 South El Camino Real, Suite 1200, San Mateo, CA 94402.

(3) The securities are held directly by Sanderling Venture Partners VI, L.P.

(4) The securities are held directly by Sanderling VI Beteiligungs GmbH & Co. KG. The address for Sanderling VI Beteiligungs GmbH & Co. KG is c/o Sanderling Ventures, 400 South El Camino Real, Suite 1200, San Mateo, CA 94402.

(5) The securities are held directly by Sanderling VI Limited Partnership. The address for Sanderling VI Limited Partnership is c/o Sanderling Ventures, 400 South El Camino Real, Suite 1200, San Mateo, CA 94402.

(6) Fred Middleton, a member of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, is a managing director of Middleton, McNeil, Mills & Associates VI, LLC, which has the ultimate voting and investment power over shares held of record by Sanderling Venture Partners VI, L.P., Sanderling VI Beteiligungs GmbH & Co. KG, Sanderling VI Limited Partnership and Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co-Investment Fund, L.P. and he may be deemed to have voting and investment power over shares held of record by Sanderling Venture Partners VI, L.P.,

(7) Sanderling VI Beteiligungs GmbH & Co. KG, Sanderling VI Limited Partnership and Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co-Investment Fund, L.P. Mr. Middleton is the owner of Sanderling Ventures Management VI and he may be deemed to have voting and investment power over shares held of record by Sanderling Ventures Management VI. Mr. Middleton disclaims beneficial ownership over the shares held by Sanderling Ventures and its affiliates, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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