

CAMDEN PARTNERS STRATEGIC II LLC

Form SC 13G

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Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
(Amendment No. _____)*

Pharmanetics, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

71713J107

(CUSIP Number)

April 30, 2003

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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Rule 13d-1(b)

Rule 13d-1(c)

Rule 13d-1(d)

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CUSIP No. 71713J107

1. Names of Reporting Persons: I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only):
Camden Partners Strategic II, LLC

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions):

(a)

(b)

3. SEC Use Only:

4. Source of Funds (See Instructions):
AF

5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e):

6. Citizenship or Place of Organization:
Delaware

Number of
Shares

Beneficially
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Each
Reporting
Person With

7. Sole Voting Power:

8. Shared Voting Power:
1,122,000

9. Sole Dispositive Power:

10. Shared Dispositive Power:
1,122,000

11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person:
1,122,000

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Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions):

x

13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11):

7.8%

14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions):

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1. Names of Reporting Persons: I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only):
Camden Partners Strategic Fund II-A, L.P

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WC

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1. Names of Reporting Persons: I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only):
Camden Partners Strategic Fund II-B, L.P

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1. Names of Reporting Persons: I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only):
David L. Warnock

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions):

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(b)

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1. Names of Reporting Persons: Donald W. Hughes I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only):

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1. Names of Reporting Persons: I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only):
Richard M. Johnston

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions):

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(b)

3. SEC Use Only:

4. Source of Funds (See Instructions):
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1. Names of Reporting Persons: I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only):
Richard M. Berkeley

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions):

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Item 1.

This Schedule 13G relates to the common stock, no par value per share (the Common Stock), Series B Convertible Preferred Stock, no par value per share (the Preferred Stock), and warrants issued in connection with the sale of the Preferred Stock (the Warrants) of Pharmanetics, Inc., a North Carolina corporation (the Company), having its principal place of business at 9401 Globe Center Drive, Suite 140, Morrisville, North Carolina 27560.

Item 2.

(a) This Schedule 13G is being filed by Camden Partners Strategic II, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (CPS II), Camden Partners Strategic Fund II-A, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership (CPS Fund II-A), Camden Partners Strategic Fund II-B, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership (CPS Fund II-B), and Messrs. David L. Warnock, Donald W. Hughes, Richard M. Johnston and Richard M. Berkeley (collectively, the Managing Members). CPS II is the general partner of each of CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B. Messrs. Warnock, Hughes, Johnston and Berkeley are the Managing Members of CPS II. CPS II, CPS Fund II-A, CPS Fund II-B and the Managing Members are sometimes referred to herein collectively, as the Reporting Persons. CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B are direct beneficial owners of the CPS II-A Shares and the CPS II-B Shares (each as defined in Item 4 herein), respectively. CPS II may be deemed an indirect beneficial owner of the Shares (as defined in Item 4 herein) by virtue of it being the sole general partner of each of CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B, to the extent of its pecuniary interest in each of CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B. Each of the Managing Members may be deemed to be an indirect beneficial owner of the Shares by virtue of being a Managing Member of CPS II, to the extent of his indirect pecuniary interest in the Shares beneficially owned by CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B. The Shares beneficially owned by each of CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B are set forth in the response to Item 4 of this Schedule 13G, which is incorporated by reference herein.

(b) The address of the principal business office of the Reporting Persons is One South Street, Suite 2150, Baltimore, Maryland 21202.

(c) Each of the Managing Members is a citizen of the United States. CPS II, CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B were each organized under the laws of the State of Delaware.

(d) Common Stock

(e) 71713J107

Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to §§240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:

(a) Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o).

(b) Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).

(c) Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).

(d) Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8).

(e) An investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);

(f) An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);

(g) A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);

(h) A savings associations as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);

(i) A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);

(j) Group, in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).

Item 4. Ownership.

(a) Amount Beneficially Owned: CPS Fund II-A is the direct beneficial owner of an aggregate of 1,059,168 shares of the Common Stock (consisting of 48,144 shares of the Preferred Stock currently convertible into 802,400 shares of the Common Stock, and 256,768 shares of the Common Stock issuable upon exercise of currently exercisable Warrants) (the CPS II-A Shares). CPS Fund II-B is the direct beneficial owner of an aggregate of 62,832 shares of the Common Stock (consisting of 2,856 shares of the Preferred Stock currently convertible into 47,600 shares of the Common Stock, and 15,232 shares of the Common Stock issuable upon exercise of currently exercisable Warrants) (the CPS II-B Shares and together with the CPS II-A Shares, the Shares).

By virtue of CPS II being the sole general partner of each of CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B and Messrs. Warnock, Hughes, Johnston, and Berkeley being the Managing Members of CPS II, CPS II and each Managing Member may be deemed to beneficially own the Shares directly beneficially owned by each of CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B, to the extent of the Reporting Person s respective pecuniary interest therein. Each of the Managing Members disclaims beneficial ownership of the Shares owned by CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B, except to the extent of their indirect pecuniary interest therein. CPS Fund II-A disclaims beneficial ownership of the CPS II-B Shares and CPS Fund II-B disclaims beneficial ownership of the CPS II-A Shares.

CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B are each parties to a certain Shareholders Agreement dated May 1, 2003 among the Company and certain other shareholders of the Company (the Shareholders Agreement). While the Shareholders Agreement only obliges the parties, to the extent required, to vote in favor of one director to be designated by the holders of the Preferred Stock, the Reporting Persons may be deemed to have the power to vote or to direct the vote of shares owned by other parties to the Shareholders Agreement. Each of CPS II, CPS Fund II-A, CPS Fund II-B and each Managing Member disclaims all beneficial ownership of all securities of the Company directly and indirectly beneficially owned by parties to the Shareholders Agreement (other than themselves in the cases of CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B) and any other agreement, except for its or his pecuniary interest in the Shares beneficially owned by CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-A.

(b) Percent of Class: CPS Fund II-A is the direct beneficial owner of the CPS II-A Shares which represent approximately 7.4% of the outstanding shares of the Common Stock of the Company and CPS Fund II-B is the direct beneficial owner of the CPS II-B Shares which represent approximately 0.4% of the outstanding shares of the Common Stock (on a fully diluted basis). The percentages of direct beneficial ownership are based on an aggregate of 14,441,617 shares of the Common Stock (on a fully diluted basis), consisting of, 9,746,386 shares of the Common Stock outstanding as of April 30, 2003, plus 2,406,665 shares of the Common Stock issuable on conversion of the Preferred Stock and other preferred stock of the Company and 2,288,566 shares of the Common Stock issuable on exercise of outstanding warrants and options.

(c) Number of shares as to which such Reporting Person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0 shares for each Reporting Person

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 1,122,000 shares for CPS II, CPS Fund II-A, and CPS Fund II-B (includes (on a fully converted basis): (i) 802,400 shares of the Common Stock issuable upon conversion of 48,144 shares of the Preferred Stock owned by CPS Fund II-A, (ii) 256,768 shares of the Common Stock issuable upon exercise of currently exercisable Warrants owned by CPS Fund II-A, (iii) 47,600 shares of the Common Stock issuable upon conversion of 2,856 shares of the Preferred Stock owned by CPS Fund II-B; (iv) 15,232 shares of the Common Stock issuable upon exercise of currently exercisable

Warrants owned by CPS Fund II-B. The foregoing share calculation of shared voting power does not include any shares held by parties to the Shareholders' Agreement other than the Reporting Persons as explained in Item 4(a) above. As described in Item 4(a) above, each of the Managing Members disclaims the power to vote or direct the vote of the Shares owned by CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B.

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0 shares for each Reporting Person

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 1,122,000 shares for CPS II, CPS Fund II-A, and CPS Fund II-B (includes (on a fully converted basis): (i) 802,400 shares of the Common Stock issuable upon conversion of 48,144 shares of the Preferred Stock owned by CPS Fund II-A, (ii) 256,768 shares of the Common Stock issuable upon exercise of currently exercisable Warrants owned by CPS Fund II-A, (iii) 47,600 shares of the Common Stock issuable upon conversion of 2,856 shares of the Preferred Stock owned by CPS Fund II-B; (iv) 15,232 shares of the Common Stock issuable upon exercise of currently exercisable Warrants owned by CPS Fund II-B. As described in Item 4(a) above, each of the Managing Members disclaims the power to dispose or direct the disposition of the Shares owned by CPS Fund II-A and CPS Fund II-B.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

Not Applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not Applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company

Not Applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group

Not Applicable.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group

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.

Exhibits

Exhibit 1 Agreement regarding filing of joint Schedule 13G (attached).

Exhibit 2 Power of Attorney for David L. Warnock (previously filed as Exhibit 2 to Schedule 13D/A filed by the Reporting Persons with respect to Concorde Career Colleges, Inc. on February 25, 2003, incorporated herein by reference).

Exhibit 3 Power of Attorney of Richard M. Johnston (attached).

Exhibit 4 Power of Attorney of Richard M. Berkeley (attached).

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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.

Dated: May 12, 2003

CAMDEN PARTNERS STRATEGIC FUND II-A, L.P.

By: Camden Partners Strategic II, LLC, its
general partner

/s/ Donald W. Hughes

Name: Donald W. Hughes
Title: Managing Member

CAMDEN PARTNERS STRATEGIC FUND II-B, L.P.

By: Camden Partners Strategic II, LLC, its
general partner

/s/ Donald W. Hughes

Name: Donald W. Hughes
Title: Managing Member

CAMDEN PARTNERS STRATEGIC II, LLC

/s/ Donald W. Hughes

Name: Donald W. Hughes
Title: Managing Member

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DAVID L. WARNOCK

/s/ Donald W. Hughes, as Attorney-in-Fact

Name: David L. Warnock

DONALD W. HUGHES

/s/ Donald W. Hughes

Name: Donald W. Hughes

RICHARD M. JOHNSTON

/s/ Donald W. Hughes, as Attorney-in-Fact

Name: Richard M. Johnston

RICHARD M. BERKELEY

/s/ Donald W. Hughes, as Attorney-in-Fact

Name: Richard M. Berkeley