INOVIO BIOMEDICAL CORP Form 425 May 18, 2009

## **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): May 14, 2009

# **Inovio Biomedical Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

001-14888

(Commission

File Number)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

> 11494 Sorrento Valley Road, San Diego, California

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (858) 597-6006

Not Applicable

**33-0969592** (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

> 92121-1318 (Zip Code)

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Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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#### Item 8.01. Other Events.

On May 14, 2009, Inovio Biomedical Corporation issued a press release announcing its financial results for the three months ended March 31, 2009. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Investors of both Inovio and VGX and the public are encouraged to read the relevant registration and proxy solicitation related documents to be filed with the SEC in relation to the proposed merger between the registrant and VGX because they contain important information about the companies, the proposed merger, the securities to be issued and the expectations for the combined company. The joint registration statement/proxy statement filed on Form S-4, as amended, and other merger-related documents are available, without charge, from the SEC s web site (www.sec.gov) or can be obtained, free of charge, by requesting such documents, including any items incorporated by reference, from the registrant.

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

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated May 14, 2009.

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#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: May 15, 2009

#### INOVIO BIOMEDICAL CORPORATION

By:

/s/ Peter Kies Peter Kies, Chief Financial Officer

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