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): July 15, 2019

BIOCEPT, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-36284 (Commission File Number) 80-0943522 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

5810 Nancy Ridge Drive, San Diego, CA (Address of principal executive offices) 92121 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (858) 320-8200

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

□ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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Dere-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

| Title of each class | Trading Symbol(s) | Name of each exchange on which registered |
|--|-------------------|---|
| Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share | BIOC | The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC |

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

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If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On July 15, 2019, Biocept, Inc. (the "Company") entered into amendments (the "Amendments") to the Warrant Exercise Agreements (the "Exercise Agreements") the Company previously entered into on May 28, 2019 with certain holders (the "Exercising Holders") of warrants (the "Existing Warrants") to purchase common stock of the Company, par value \$0.0001 per share ("Common Stock"), as previously disclosed in the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 29, 2019, the contents of which are incorporated herein by reference.

Pursuant to the Amendments, the period during which the Exercising Holders may elect to exercise for cash the Existing Warrants in exchange for new warrants to purchase Common Stock to be issued in an amount equal to 75% of the number of shares of Common Stock exercised under the Existing Warrants was extended from July 15, 2019 to July 31, 2019, and the period during which the Company agreed it shall not issue, enter into any agreement to issue or announce the issuance of any shares of Common Stock or Common Stock Equivalents (as defined in the Exercise Agreements) was extended from July 25, 2019 to August 10, 2019.

The foregoing is only a summary of the material terms of the Amendments, does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the form of Amendment, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 10.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

| Exhibit Number | Description |
|----------------|--|
| 10.1 | Form of <u>Amendment to Warrant Exercise Agreement</u> |

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.

Biocept, Inc.

Date: July 18, 2019

By: /s/ Michael W. Nall

Michael W. Nall Chief Executive Officer

AMENDMENT TO WARRANT EXERCISE AGREEMENT

This Amendment to Warrant Exercise Agreement (this "<u>Amendment</u>"), dated July 15, 2019, is by and between Biocept, Inc., a Delaware Corporation (the "<u>Company</u>") and the undersigned holder (the "<u>Holder</u>") of warrants to purchase shares of the Company's common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share. The Company and the Holder hereby agree to amend that certain Warrant Exercise Agreement, dated May 28, 2019, by and between the Company and the Holder (the "<u>Agreement</u>") as set forth below. Capitalized terms used and not otherwise defined in this Amendment have the meanings set forth in the Agreement.

1. Amendment to Section 2.1(b). Section 2.1(b) of the Agreement is hereby amended and restated in its entirety as follows:

(b) For a period of sixty-one (61) days after the Closing Date (as such date may be extended pursuant to the last sentence of this paragraph, the "<u>Option Period</u>"), while any of the Original Warrants are outstanding, the Holder may elect to exercise for cash any such number of the remaining Original Warrants then held by it by delivery of a Notice of Exercise pursuant to the terms and conditions of the applicable Original Warrants. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth herein, if at any time after the date hereof and prior to the end of the Option Period, any resale registration statement with respect to the Common Stock underlying any of the Original Warrants is not available for the resale of any such Common Stock, for each calendar day of such unavailability, the Option Period shall be extended by one calendar day.

2. Miscellaneous.

(a) Except as set forth herein, the Agreement remains unchanged and in full force and effect.

(b) <u>Disclosure</u>. The Company shall, on or before 5:30 p.m., New York City time, on July 19, 2019, issue a Current Report on Form 8-K (the "<u>8-K Filing</u>") disclosing all material terms of the transactions contemplated hereby. From and after the issuance of the 8-K Filing, the Holder shall not be in possession of any material, nonpublic information received from the Company or any of its respective officers, directors, employees or agents that is not disclosed in the 8-K Filing. The Company shall not, and shall cause its officers, directors, employees and agents, not to, provide the Holder with any material, nonpublic information regarding the Company from and after the filing of the 8-K Filing without the express written consent of the Holder. The Company shall not disclose the name of the Holder in any filing, announcement, release or otherwise, unless such disclosure is required by law or regulation. In addition, effective upon the filing of the 8-K Filing, the Company acknowledges and agrees that any and all confidentiality or similar obligations under any agreement, whether written or oral, between the Company, any of its subsidiaries or any of their respective officers, directors, affiliates, employees or agents, on the one hand, and the Holder or any of its affiliates, on the other hand, shall terminate. (c) <u>Notices</u>. Any and all notices or other communications or deliveries required or permitted to be provided hereunder shall be made by email to (i) the email address of the Holder set forth on Holders' signature page to the Agreement or (ii) the email address of the Company set forth on the Company's signature page to the Agreement, as applicable.

(d) <u>Execution</u>. This Amendment may be executed in two or more counterparts, all of which when taken together shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to the other party, it being understood that both parties need not sign the same counterpart. In the event that any signature is delivered by facsimile transmission, such signature shall create a valid and binding obligation of the party executing (or on whose behalf such signature is executed) with the same force and effect as if such facsimile signature page were an original thereof.

(e) <u>Governing Law</u>. All questions concerning the construction, validity, enforcement and interpretation of this Amendment shall be determined pursuant to the Governing Law provision of the New Warrants.

(f) <u>Construction</u>. The headings herein are for convenience only, do not constitute a part of this Amendment and shall not be deemed to limit or affect any of the provisions hereof. The language used in this Amendment will be deemed to be the language chosen by the parties to express their mutual intent, and no rules of strict construction will be applied against any party.

(g) <u>Fees and Expenses</u>. Except as expressly set forth herein, each party shall pay the fees and expenses of its advisers, counsel, accountants and other expenses. Except as expressly set forth herein, each party shall pay the fees and expenses of its advisers, and performance of this Amendment.

[Signature Pages Follow]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Amendment to Warrant Exercise Agreement as of the date first written above.

COMPANY:

BIOCEPT, INC.

By: Name: Title: IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have caused this Amendment to Warrant Exercise Agreement to be duly executed by their respective authorized signatories as of the date first written above.

Name of Holder:

Signature of Authorized Signatory of Holder:

Name of Authorized Signatory:

Title of Authorized Signatory: