FORM 3

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     New Leaf Ventures II, L.P.	2. Date of Ever Requiring State (Month/Day/Ye 04/10/2013	ement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CHIMERIX INC [ CMRX ]					
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)		2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)								
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		ate	3. Title and Amount of Securiti Underlying Derivative Security				6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Series F Preferred Stock	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	2,410,551	(1)	I	See Footnote <sup>(2)</sup>	
Warrant	(3)	02/07/2018	Common Stock	602,637	7.26	I	See Footnote <sup>(2)</sup>	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The Series F Preferred Stock has no expiration date and is convertible at any time at the option of the holder and will automatically convert upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, at a conversion ratio of 1 share of Common Stock for every 3.55 shares of Series F Preferred Stock, for no additional consideration.
- 2. See attached Exhibit 99.1
- 3. The warrant is immediately exercisable.

/s/ Craig L. Slutzkin, Chief Financial Officer 04/10/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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(2) James Niedel, one of the Issuer's directors, Srinivas Akkaraju, Philippe O. Chambon, Jeani Delagardelle, Ronald M. Hunt and Vijay K. Lathi, the members of the investment committee of New Leaf Venture Associates II, L.P., which is the General Partner of the Reporting Person, have the power to vote or dispose of the securities held by the Reporting Person and therefore each of the foregoing members of the investment committee may be deemed to have voting and investment power with respect to such securities. Each of the foregoing members of the investment committee disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of his or her pecuniary interest therein.