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Washington, DC 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): November 5, 2026

Aquestive Therapeutics, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	**001-38599**	**82-3827296**
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	**(Commission File Number)**	**(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)**

184 Liberty Corner Road, Suite 305,
Warren, NJ 07059
(908) 941-1900
(Address, Including Zip Code, and Telephone Number, Including Area Code, of Registrant's Principal Executive Offices)

Not Applicable
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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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 $0.001 per share	AQST	Nasdaq Global Market

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).

Emerging growth company ☐

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 7.01 **Regulation FD Disclosure.**

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The information in this Item 7.01 (including Exhibit 99.1) shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of, Section 18 of the Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), nor shall it be deemed to be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in any such filing.

Item 9.01 **Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Aquestive Therapeutics, Inc. Corporate Presentation, dated November 2026
104	Cover Page Interaction Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

SIGNATURE

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

Dated: November 5, 2026

Aquestive Therapeutics, Inc.

By: /s/ A. Ernest Toth, Jr

Name: A. Ernest Toth, Jr.

Title: Chief Financial Officer

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Corporate Presentation

November 2026



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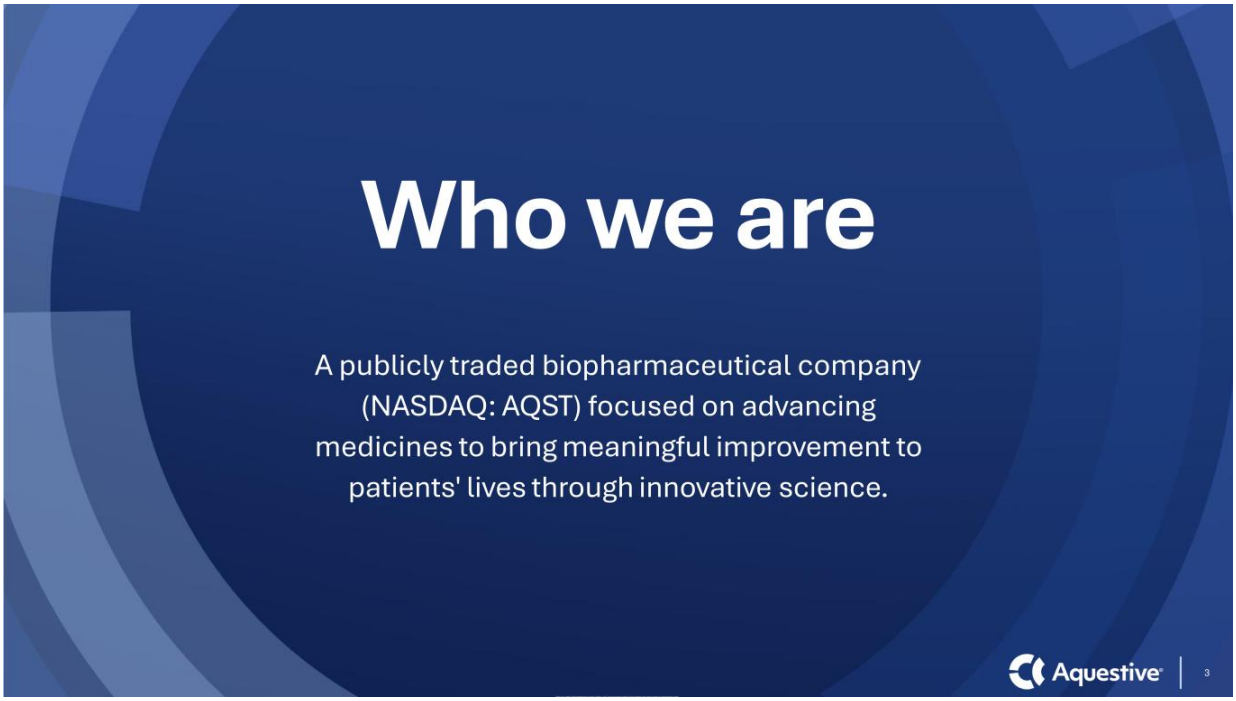
This presentation and the accompanying oral commentary have been prepared by Aquestive Therapeutics, Inc. ("Aquestive," the "Company," "we," "our" or "us") and contain "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, including statements made by management during the presentation and any question-and-answer session. Words such as "believe," "anticipate," "plan," "expect," "estimate," "intend," "may," "will," or the negative of those terms, and similar expressions, are intended to identify forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements regarding the advancement and related timing of our product candidate Anaphylm™ (dibutepinephrine) sublingual film through the regulatory review and approval process by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration ("FDA"); our belief that the New Drug Application ("NDA") resubmission addresses the matters identified by the FDA in the Complete Response Letter ("CRL") dated January 30, 2026; the FDA's review of the accepted Class 2 resubmission of the NDA and the Prescription Drug User Fee Act ("PDUFA") goal date of March 16, 2027; whether the FDA will determine that the resubmission adequately addresses the deficiencies identified in the CRL; the significance, interpretation and sufficiency of the human factors and pharmacokinetic study results and the pharmacokinetic and pharmacodynamic data supporting the NDA resubmission; and the potential approval of Anaphylm by the FDA, including by the PDUFA goal date, and the timing thereof. Forward-looking statements also include statements regarding the advancement and related timing of potential international regulatory filings and marketing authorizations for Anaphylm outside the United States, including the anticipated timing of submissions in Canada and the European Union; that Anaphylm will be the first and only non-invasive, orally delivered epinephrine product and may be accepted by patients, prescribers and payors as an alternative to existing standards of care, if approved by the FDA; our commercial launch strategy and launch readiness for Anaphylm, if approved by the FDA; the anticipated size and deployment of our sales force; the number and types of prescribers we intend to target; anticipated prescriber and market coverage; our patient support, affordability and product-fulfillment programs; our payer engagement and market-access strategy; and our ability to compete effectively in the market. These forward-looking statements further include statements regarding the advancement, growth and related timing of our AdrenaVerse™ pipeline, including AQST-108 (epinephrine) topical gel, through clinical development and the FDA regulatory approval process; the design, timing, conduct and data of clinical studies for AQST-108, including studies relating to atopic dermatitis and other potential dermatologic or immunologic indications; the mechanism of action and potential benefits of AQST-108, including its potential to reduce inflammation and itch; the ability of our PharmFilm® and AdrenaVerse technology platforms to support the development of additional product candidates and treatment indications; the timing and outcome of FDA review of Libervant® (diazepam) buccal film, including potential final approval, label expansion and commercial availability for epilepsy patients experiencing acute repetitive seizures, and the effect of the expiration of the orphan drug market exclusivity of an approved FDA product of another company; Eton Pharmaceuticals, Inc.'s ("Eton") U.S. commercialization of Libervant; our potential receipt of contingent regulatory and sales-based milestone payments and royalties from Eton; our manufacture and supply of Libervant to Eton; the future commercial opportunities for Anaphylm, Libervant and AQST-108; potential market growth, revenues and projected peak annual sales; the size, growth and projected value of the epinephrine and atopic dermatitis markets; the potential benefits our products and product candidates may provide to patients; and business strategies, market opportunities and other statements that are not historical facts. Such forward-looking statements also include statements regarding anticipated timelines, milestones and guidance relating to regulatory submissions, clinical studies, regulatory interactions and potential approvals, all of which are inherently uncertain and subject to change based on regulatory feedback, data sufficiency and other factors outside the Company's control. Forward-looking statements also include statements regarding our cash position, liquidity and capital resources; the availability, timing, amount and conditions of funding under our strategic funding agreement and debt facility, including funding contingent upon FDA approval of Anaphylm; our ability to satisfy applicable funding conditions and access such capital when needed; the sufficiency of available cash and financing to support planned operations, development programs and commercialization activities; the prevalence, severity, diagnosed population, actively managed population and unmet need associated with atopic dermatitis; the competitive profile, target product profile attributes, market receptivity and potential commercial positioning of AQST-108; potential expansion into additional indications; and projected market or portfolio revenues.

These forward-looking statements are based on our current expectations and beliefs and are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements. Such risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, the risk that the FDA may determine that the Anaphylm NDA resubmission does not adequately address the deficiencies identified in the CRL, or may otherwise delay or decline approval; the risk that the FDA may not complete its review or take action by the March 16, 2027 PDUFA goal date, including if the FDA extends the goal date or requests additional information; risks that preliminary, topline, interim or summary human factors, pharmacokinetic or pharmacodynamic results may differ from final analyses or may be interpreted differently by regulatory authorities; the possibility that the FDA may disagree with the Company's interpretation of study results, findings or conclusions, or may request additional information, analyses, human factors studies or clinical studies; risks associated with our ability to address the FDA's comments on and identified deficiencies in the Anaphylm NDA, including the concerns raised by the FDA in the CRL, and whether the FDA may request further information from us, including additional studies, disagree with our protocols, study designs or findings, or otherwise undertake a lengthy review of the resubmitted NDA; the risk that the FDA may consider issues raised in one or more citizen petitions or similar submissions relating to Anaphylm; risks relating to FDA inspections of manufacturing and clinical-study sites; risks associated with our development activities, including delays or changes to the timing, design, cost, conduct, data or success of our product-development programs and clinical studies for Anaphylm and AQST-108; Additional risks include the possibility that financing expected to become available upon FDA approval or other milestones may not become available when anticipated or at all; that estimates of atopic dermatitis prevalence and active management may be materially inaccurate; that claims analyses may not reflect current treatment patterns; that AQST-108 may not demonstrate the proposed mechanism, localized activity, efficacy, safety, durability or commercial differentiation suggested by early-stage observations; and that development in atopic dermatitis or any additional indication may require additional studies and may not result in regulatory approval or a commercially viable product; risks of delays in, or failure to obtain, regulatory approval of Anaphylm, Libervant or AQST-108, including final approval and label expansion for Libervant and the effect of changes in regulatory requirements or competing products' exclusivity; risks relating to our license of Libervant to Eton, including Eton's commercialization costs and execution, whether and when contingent milestone events are achieved (which depend on FDA actions and Eton's commercialization efforts), the amount of any royalties (which depends on net sales), and Eton's right to terminate the license agreement; risks related to government shutdowns, reductions in government workforce or other governmental resource constraints that may adversely affect the FDA's ability to review or act upon regulatory submissions in a timely manner or at all; and the risk of delays in the regulatory approval process outside the United States, including the risk that foreign regulatory authorities may require different, additional or more extensive clinical, nonclinical, human factors, pharmacokinetic, manufacturing or other data than anticipated or may not accept data generated for U.S. regulatory purposes. Further risks and uncertainties include challenges associated with the potential commercial launch of Anaphylm, if approved by the FDA, including with respect to reimbursement and the manufacturing and supply of Anaphylm; risks inherent in commercializing a new product, including technology, financial, market, implementation and regulatory risks; risks associated with developing and maintaining the sales, marketing, patient-support, distribution and other capabilities necessary to commercialize our products and product candidates; the risk that our planned sales-force size and deployment, prescriber targeting, patient-support and affordability programs, payer engagement, market-access strategy and product-fulfillment arrangements may not achieve the coverage, access, adoption or financial returns we anticipate; risks relating to competition and the success of competing products, including generics; and the rate and degree of market acceptance of our products and product candidates by patients, prescribers and payors. Projected peak annual sales, market size, market growth, potential revenues, prescriber coverage and other commercial estimates may prove materially inaccurate because they are based on assumptions regarding regulatory approval, product labeling, pricing, reimbursement, competition, prescribing behavior, patient preference, market adoption and other factors, as well as internal estimates and third-party data that we have not independently verified. Survey results, market research findings and stated preferences may not predict actual prescribing, utilization, adherence, clinical outcomes or market adoption. Target product profile attributes for AQST-108 reflect our current expectations and may not be achieved in clinical development or be reflected in any approved labeling. Other risks and uncertainties include risks concerning our ability to maintain sufficient capital and cash resources, and access available debt and equity financing to satisfy our short-term and longer-term liquidity requirements and fund our business operations, key initiatives, clinical-development activities and potential commercialization activities; the possibility that assumptions underlying projected liquidity or capital sufficiency may prove incorrect; risks relating to our manufacturing capacity and supply chain; risks associated with intellectual-property rights and infringement claims; risks relating to legislation, regulatory actions and changes in laws or regulations affecting our business, including product pricing, reimbursement and market access; risks relating to claims, citizen petitions, investigations and legal proceedings; risks associated with information-technology and cybersecurity disruptions; risks relating to general economic, political, business, industry, regulatory, financial and market conditions; uncertainty regarding presidential-administration initiatives, including tariffs and trade restrictions; and the other uncertainties described in the "Risk Factors" section and other sections of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Current Reports on Form 8-K filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

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Who we are
A publicly traded biopharmaceutical company (NASDAQ: AQST) focused on advancing medicines to bring meaningful improvement to patients' lives through innovative science.
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Advancing Medicines to Bring Meaningful Improvement to Patients' Lives

6 FDA approvals
with products available on six continents

2.5+ billion
PharmFilm® doses shipped worldwide

100+ patent applications
filed in the U.S. and worldwide

20+ years
Since the company was founded

2 core technologies:
PharmFilm and AdrenaVerse™

$1.5+ billion[1]
in potential peak annual net sales from pipeline assets

1. Company estimate of potential peak annual net sales in a given year, assuming regulatory approval and successful commercialization; not a revenue forecast. Includes potential Libervant net sales to be recorded by our licensee; Aquestive would receive milestones, royalties, and supply revenue rather than product sales.

Our Technologies

PharmFilm®





PharmFilm® is a unique and versatile technology for high-performance drug delivery. Aquestive scientists combine the customizable features of PharmFilm® with patented formulation and engineering processes to optimize the delivery of active pharmaceutical ingredients (APIs).

AdrenaVerse™



The AdrenaVerse™ platform contains a library of over 20 epinephrine prodrugs that demonstrate control of absorption and conversion rates across a variety of dosage forms including lotions, creams, and ointments (LCOs) and delivery sites. The AdrenaVerse platform enables us to pursue a variety of allergy and dermatology indications.

Our Products

Aquestive is the go-to formulation development and commercial manufacturing partner for oral thin film products worldwide

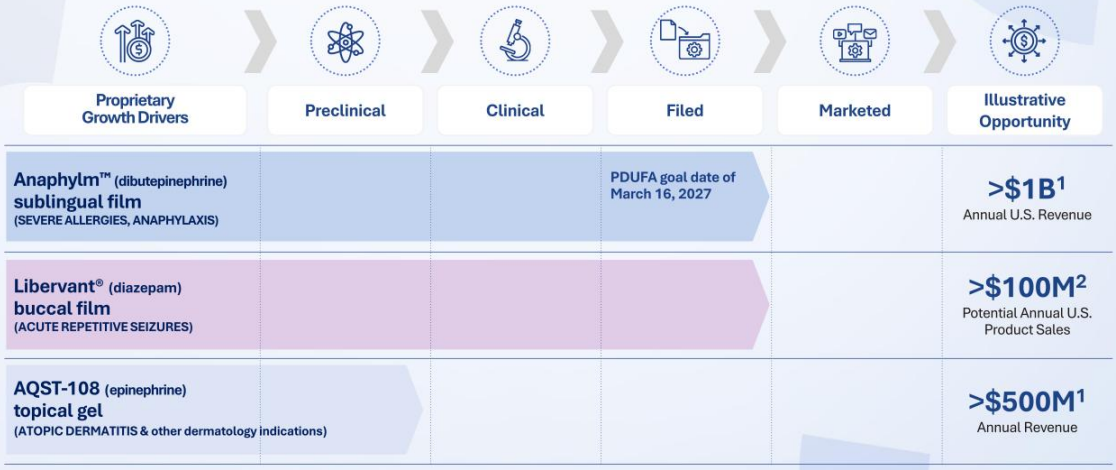
Validation from

4 licensed commercial products [1-4]



1. Ondif collaboration with Hypera-Pharma (Brazil). 2. Sympazan collaboration with Cosette Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (worldwide). 3. Emylif collaboration with Zambon (EU).
4. Suboxone collaboration with Indivior (worldwide).

Diversified Pipeline Fuels Our Growth Plan



1. Company estimates of potential peak annual net sales and annual U.S. product sales, as applicable, in a given year, assuming regulatory approval and successful commercialization; not forecasts of revenue for any period. Actual results may differ materially. 2. Libervant is licensed to Eton Pharmaceuticals, Inc., which is responsible for U.S. commercialization. Aquestive's economics consist of contingent milestone payments, royalties on Eton's net sales, and supply revenue from manufacturing Libervant for Eton.

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Dedicated and Experienced Leadership Team



Daniel Barber
President, CEO & Director



Peter Boyd
Chief People Officer



Melina Cioffi
SVP, Regulatory Affairs



Matthew Davis
Chief Development Officer



Matthew Greenhawt
Chief Medical Officer



Cassie Jung
Chief Operating Officer



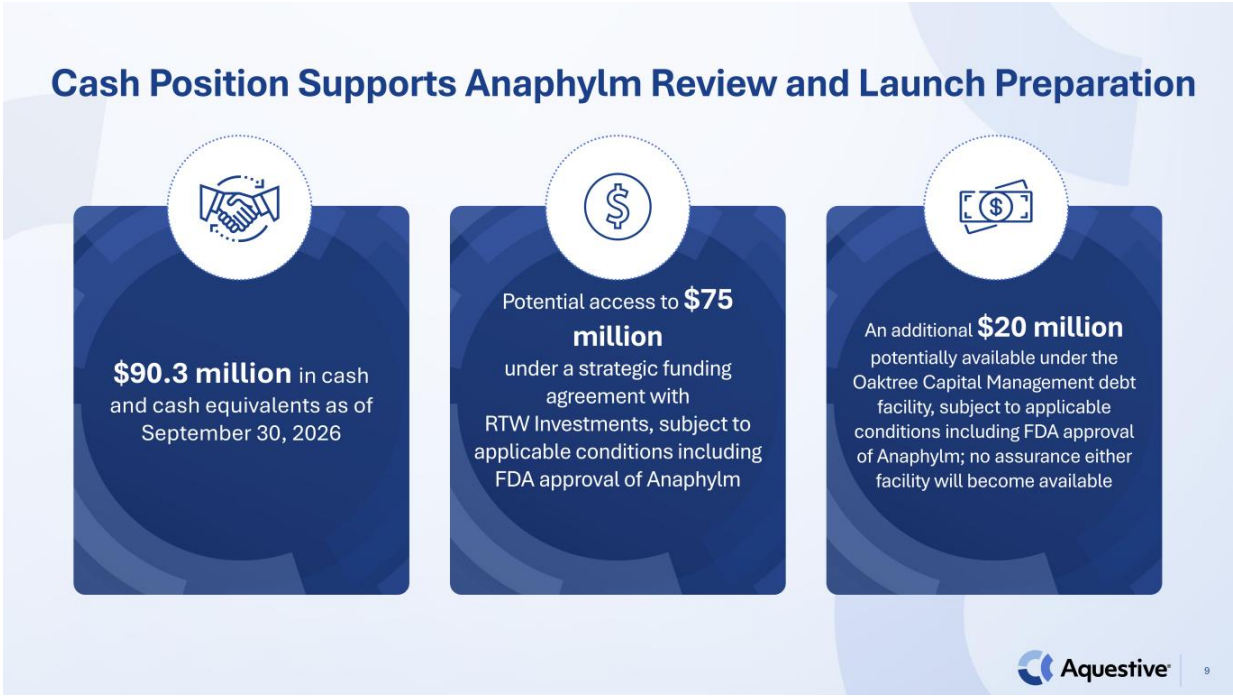
Sherry Korczynski
Chief Commercial Officer



Ernie Toth
Chief Financial Officer



Thomas A. Zalewski
Chief Legal Officer,
Chief Compliance Officer


Cash Position Supports Anaphylm Review and Launch Preparation
$90.3 million in cash and cash equivalents as of September 30, 2026
Potential access to $75 million under a strategic funding agreement with RTW Investments, subject to applicable conditions including FDA approval of Anaphylm
An additional $20 million potentially available under the Oaktree Capital Management debt facility, subject to applicable conditions including FDA approval of Anaphylm; no assurance either facility will become available
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Lead Asset

Anaphylm™ (dibutepinephrine) sublingual film

ANAPHYLM™ (dibutepinephrine) sublingual film is an investigational product candidate that has not been approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration. Safety and efficacy have not been established. Statements regarding potential benefits, clinical performance, market opportunity, commercialization plans and regulatory timing are subject to FDA review and approval.

A Novel Approach to Epinephrine Delivery



Anaphylm™ (dibutepinephrine) sublingual film

First and only non-device, orally delivered epinephrine product candidate



Device-Free
Easy to Carry



Needle-Free
Easy to Use



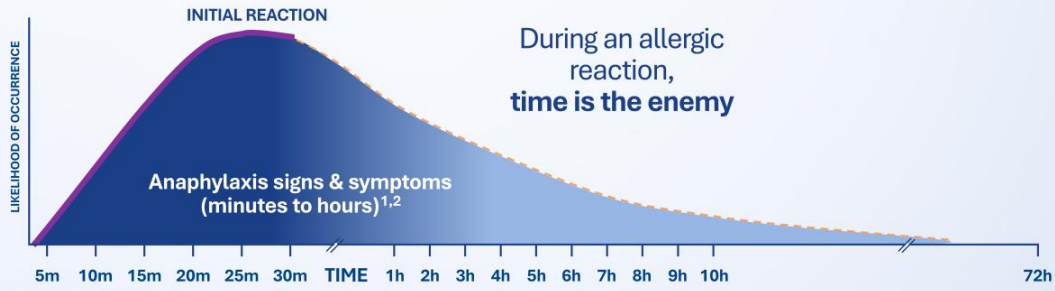
Designed to
Work Quickly[1]

1. Aquestive Therapeutics data on file.

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Anaphylaxis:

A rapid-onset, life-threatening allergic reaction requiring immediate intervention



During an allergic reaction,
time is the enemy

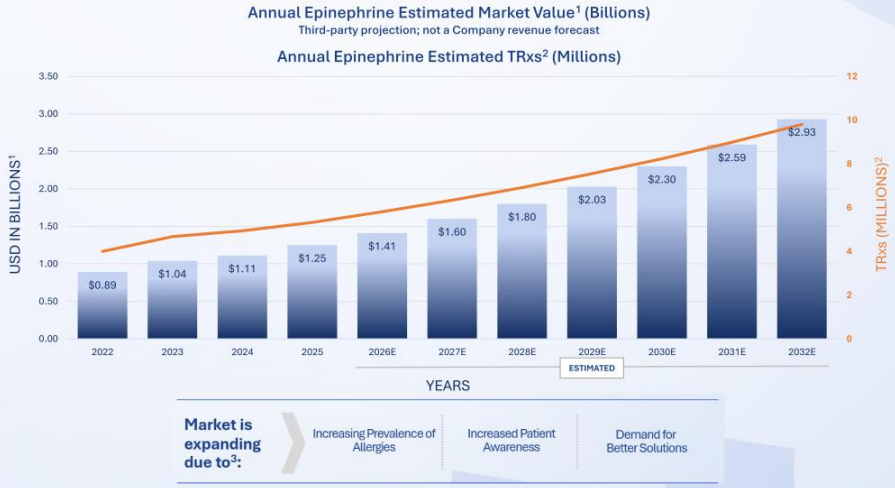
30+ minute delay = **Triple risk**[1]

Benefits of epinephrine
far outweigh the risks[2]

1. Xiaowei Liu , Sangil Lee , Christine M Lohse , Cassandra T Hardy , Ronna L Campbell Biphasic Reactions in Emergency Department Anaphylaxis Patients: A Prospective Cohort Study, DOI: 10.1016/j.jaip.2019.10.027 2. Shaw, Maggie L, Gaps in Anaphylaxis Care, Epinephrine Use Highlight Resource Need, Nov. 6, 2021.

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The epinephrine market continues to grow; could reach ~7.5M TRxs and ~$2.03B by 2029



Market is expanding due to[3]:

- Increasing Prevalence of Allergies
- Increased Patient Awareness
- Demand for Better Solutions

1. U.S. Epinephrine for Anaphylaxis Treatment Market Size, Share & Industry Analysis; Fortune Business Insights, Mar 23, 2026; https://www.fortunebusinessinsights.com/u-s-epinephrine-for-anaphylaxis-treatment-market-110494 2. Symphony Health Data through 12/31/2025, Metys National Projected Data, All Market Data is limited to US & Surrounding Territories. 3. Aquestive Therapeutics data on file; Precedence Research, "Epinephrine Market Size, Share and Trends 2025–2034"

Challenges with Current Epinephrine Auto-Injectors (EAIs)

EAI device-related issues deter device carriage, increase the chances of leaving them at home, make them less accessible when needed and reduce the likelihood of carrying two devices.[1-6]



Inconvenient size and shape of EAI device and/or carrying case



Complicated administration leading to improper use, EAI device malfunctions, and hesitancy to use an EAI device



Social stigma and/or forgetfulness



Needle phobia and anxiety

1. Golden DBK, et al. (2024). *Ann Allergy Asthma Immunol*, *132*(2), 124–176.
2. Pouessel G, et al. (2025). *Clin Exp Allergy*, *55*(1), 36–51.
3. Lieberman JA, et al. (2023). *Ann Allergy Asthma Immunol*, *131*(2), 185–193.e10.
4. Wang J. (2024). *J Food Allergy*, *6*(1), 32–36.
5. Portnoy J, et al. (2019). *J Allergy Clin Immunol Pract*, *7*(7), 2252–2261.
6. Curtis C, et al. (2014). *Ann Allergy Asthma Immunol*, *112*(6), 560–562.

Rapid Relief Needed When It Matters Most[1]

Anaphylm reaches peak absorption in just **12 minutes**



12 MIN



20 MIN



30 MIN



30 MIN



50 MIN

5 MINUTES

Therapeutic blood concentrations **in as little as 5 minutes** (over 100 pg/ml)

12 MINUTES

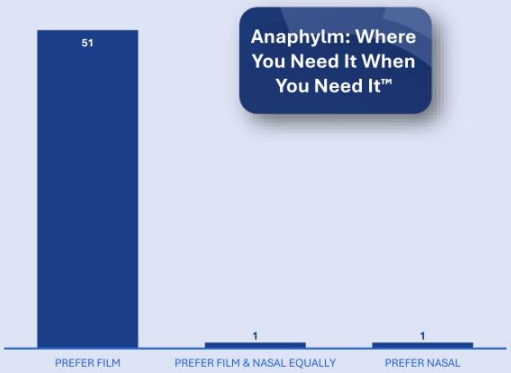
Median T-max of 12 minutes

1. Aquestive data on file; Neffy® T-max data are from its approved labeling. Cross-study comparisons are not head-to-head, and no conclusions regarding comparative efficacy, equivalence or superiority should be drawn. Therapeutic blood concentrations do not establish clinical onset or treatment effect. Anaphylm is investigational; safety and efficacy have not been established.

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96% of Survey Respondents Preferred Film in a Hands-on Preference Survey[1,2]

Survey Results



Survey Methodology:

- Double-blinded survey with 27 adult patients and 26 caregivers of pediatric patients at risk for anaphylaxis
- Respondents were mailed an envelope containing one empty, non-labeled nasal spray device and one non-labeled placebo film strip
- Respondents kept envelopes sealed until an on-camera interview video call was conducted during which they opened the envelope[2]
- Respondents were asked to assume that, if these products were made available for prescribing by their health care prescriber (HCP), both products would be:
  - Equal in general efficacy and safety to each other and to their current epinephrine auto-injector (EAI)
  - Endorsed by their HCP
  - Equal in out-of-pocket cost to each other

1. Aquestive Therapeutics data on file. 2. Survey results reflect stated respondent preferences under controlled survey conditions and should not be interpreted as evidence of actual prescribing, utilization, adherence, clinical outcomes or market adoption. Anaphylm is investigational; safety and efficacy have not been established.

Launch Readiness Planning, if Anaphylm is Approved

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Launch Readiness

- Unbranded medical education
- Continue unbranded disease-state awareness
- Identifying epinephrine prescribers
- Continue non-promotional payer engagement
- Engagement with advocacy groups
- Congress attendance
- Publications
- Commercial Infrastructure is built

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Potential Commercial Launch Planning

- Planning potential payer access
- Identifying key prescribers for a potential launch
- Planning engagement with HCPs, patients, caregivers and advocacy groups, if approved
- Preparing a focused potential marketing mix, if approved

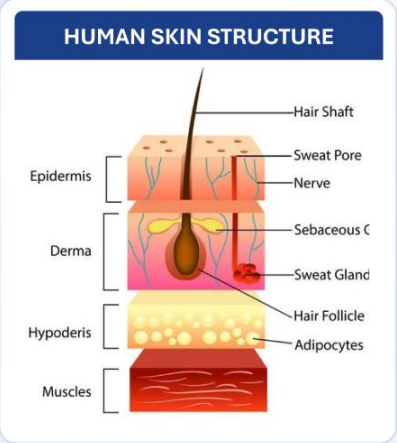
Anaphylm Regulatory Milestones



- Anaphylm advances toward a March 16, 2027, PDUFA goal date following FDA acceptance of the NDA resubmission.
- Ex-U.S. filings are targeted for Canada by year-end 2026 and the E.U. in Q1 2027; timing remains subject to regulatory requirements and change

AQST-108 (epinephrine) Topical Gel

AQST-108 (epinephrine) Topical Gel



- The utility of exogeneous epinephrine for the treatment of medical conditions has been limited due to the molecule's five-minute half-life as well as poor absorption capabilities[1]
- Aquestive's AdrenaVerse™ technology has the potential to address both problems[2,3]
- Pursuing atopic dermatitis (AD) as a potential initial indication
- Potential to evaluate additional dermatologic and immunologic indications

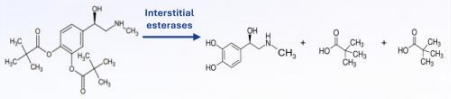
1. Jeong, W.Y., Kwon, M., Choi, H.E. et al. Recent advances in transdermal drug delivery systems: a review. Biomater Res 25, 24 (2021). 2. Aquestive Therapeutics data on file. 3. See Investor Day Presentation dated September 27, 2024, located at Aquestive.com/investors/eventsandpresentations for more detail on clinical development and the commercial overview.

AQST-108 has the potential to harness the benefits of a topical gel with prodrug technology[1]

Administration process

- Topical gel applied to affected skin (epidermis)
- AQST-108 penetrates to dermis layer and converts slowly over time
- AQST-108 is hypothesized to convert via interstitial esterases
- Early observations suggest limited conversion to **systemic** epinephrine

AQST-108 structure & conversion



L-Dipivefrin
Pivaloyl ester of L-epinephrine

L-epinephrine
(active)

Pivalic Acid
(inactive)

Pivalic Acid
(inactive)

Early observations

AQST-108 topical gel
Dipivefrin prodrug

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Local epinephrine in skin
Carboxylesterase conversion

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Clinical – seen in AD patients, 108103

- **TSLP suppression** ↓ direct sensory-nerve firing
- **Chemokine reduction** ↓ CCL3, CCL4 in patients

Preclinical and human-cell in vitro

- **Mast-cell stabilization** ↓ histamine, tryptase, MRGPRX2
- **NF-κB modulation** ↓ IL-31, the itch cytokine
- **Th2/Th1 rebalancing** ↓ IL-4/IL-13 nerve priming
- **Less immune-cell traffic** ↓ VCAM-1, TNFα, ITAC, IL-8

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Target clinical outcome (not established)

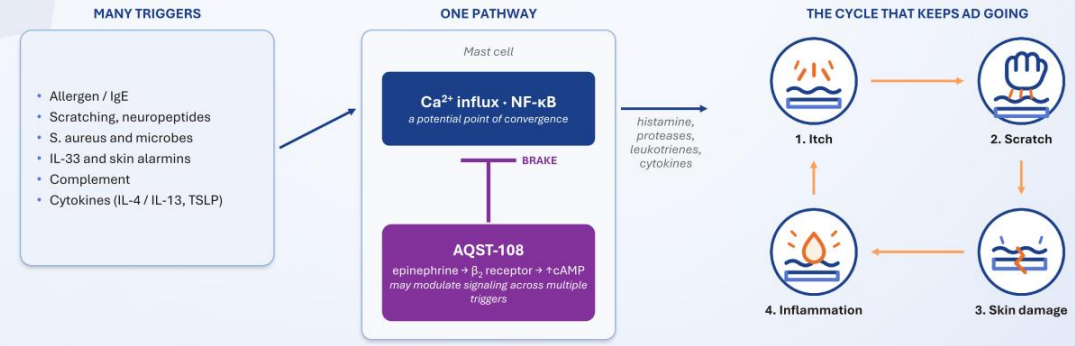
Reduced itch
≥4-point WI-NRS reduction vs placebo

1. Aquestive Therapeutics data on file. AQST-108 is an investigational product candidate. Early-stage, preclinical, in vitro and clinical observations may not predict future clinical outcomes or regulatory approval. Safety and efficacy have not been established.

AQST-108 Activity Where AD Triggers Converge

Topical epinephrine prodrug: hypothesized modulation of a mast-cell pathway

Other AD therapies address selected triggers or mediators. AQST-108 is hypothesized to act at a point of convergence.



Epinephrine also acts directly in skin: β_2 signaling on keratinocytes and sensory nerves may support barrier repair and quiet itch.

AQST-108 is investigational. Mechanistic rationale is based on preclinical and literature evidence; clinical benefit in atopic dermatitis has not been established.
AD, atopic dermatitis; cAMP, cyclic AMP; NF-κB, nuclear factor κB; TSLP, thymic stromal lymphopoietin.

Atopic Dermatitis (AD) Treatment Landscape

~27.5M prevalent AD patients, ~3M of whom are actively managed; ~90% of patients have mild-moderate AD, which is historically pharmacologically underserved

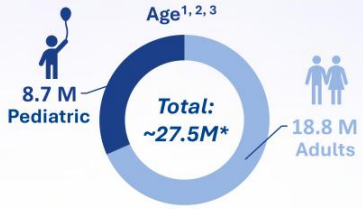
AD Treated Population



Claims analysis estimates ~3M actively managed AD patients

- Claims analysis may exclude patients treated only with OTCs. Prevalence and management estimates do not represent an addressable or obtainable market.

AD Treated Population



Severity[1]



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The AD market remains receptive to therapies that address unmet needs

Product Attributes of Branded Topicals

Later Entry to AD Market

	Opzelura® (ruxolitinib) cream 1.5%	ZORYVE® (roflumilast) cream	VTAMA® (tapinarof) cream 1%
Patient Age at Launch	12+ years	**6+ years**	**2+ years**
Severity	Mild-to-Mod	Mild-to-Mod	**Not restricted by severity***
MOA	**First topical JAK approved**	PDE4	**First topical AhR approved**
Dosing	Twice Daily	**Once Daily**	Once Daily
ROA	Topical Cream		
Efficacy	**62%**	45%	57%
Durability	Non-continuous treatment	No long-term claim	**Treatment-free effect claim**
Safety (% TEAEs)	27% + ***Black Box Warning***	**22%**	41%

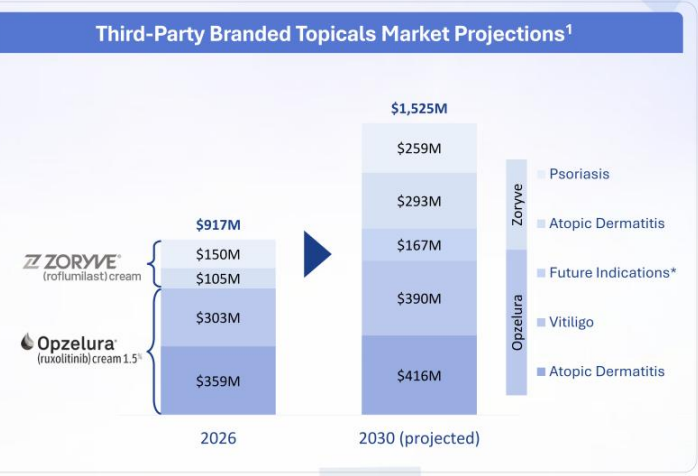
No Improvement / Neutral

Improvement over Previously Approved Branded Topicals

*Does not specify mild-moderate on-label
TEAEs = Treatment-Emergent Adverse Events; FDA on-label indications, accessed May 2026; AQST-108 TPP; Market Research Interviews conducted June-July 2026, N=20 HCPs and N=10 Patients/Caregivers

Potential Future Market Context Across Dermatologic and Immunologic Indications

Existing topical dermatological franchises highlight the commercial potential of addressing multiple dermatologic and immunologic indications over time



1. EvaluatePharma, accessed July 2026. Third-party market projections; not Aquestive revenue forecasts or projected AQST-108 revenue. Vtama sales not reported by EP. *Future indications are not currently in development.


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