FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Howarth Alex G.					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MADRIGAL PHARMACEUTICALS,  INC. [ MDGL ]									ck all app Direc	licable)		Owner (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MADRIGAL PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 200 BARR HARBOR DRIVE, SUITE 200				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/16/2023									belov	,	belov ncial Officer	′ I		
(Street) WEST CONSH	OHOCKEN (St		19428 (ip)		4. If <i>I</i>	Amend	ment,	Date of	f Origina	al Filed	d (Month/Da	y/Year	-)	6. Inc Line) X	Form	filed by On	p Filing (Check e Reporting Pe re than One Ro	rson
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)			Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 5)				5. Amo Securit Benefic Owned Report	ies cially Following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)						
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or F	Price	Transa	ction(s) 3 and 4)		(
Common Stock 01/16/2			2023			A <sup>(1)</sup>		15,001	01 A \$		\$0.00	0 15,001		D				
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents a grant of restricted stock units, which vest as to 25% of the shares on each of January 13, 2024, January 13, 2025, January 13, 2026 and January 13, 2027, provided the Reporting Person continues in service with the Issuer on each such date

## Remarks:

\*\*As attorney-in-fact for Reporting Person

/s/ Brian J. Lynch\*\*

01/18/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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