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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT NO. 5

DATED August 25, 2014 (To Prospectus Dated August 7, 2014)

AMEDICA CORPORATION

2,326,409 Shares of Common Stock

This Prospectus Supplement No. 5, dated August 25, 2014 (Supplement No. 4), filed by Amedica Corporation (the Company), modifies and supplements certain information contained in the Company s prospectus, dated August 7, 2014 (as amended and supplemented from time to time, the Prospectus). This Supplement No. 5 is not complete without, and may not be delivered or used except in connection with, the Prospectus, including all amendments and supplements thereto. The Prospectus relates to the sale of up to 2,326,409 shares of our common stock by MG Partners II Ltd., or the Selling Stockholder, consisting of:

1,706,667 shares issued or issuable upon conversion of an aggregate principal amount of \$6.4 million of our senior convertible notes, including accrued interest, subject to adjustment;

50,853 shares issued to the Selling Stockholder in connection with a securities purchase agreement dated June 30, 2014; and

568,889 shares issued or issuable to the Selling Stockholder upon exercise of warrants at an exercise price of \$4.65 per share, subject to adjustment pursuant to the terms of the warrant.

This Supplement No. 5 incorporates into our prospectus the information contained in our attached current report on Form 8-K, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 25, 2014.

We may further amend or supplement the Prospectus from time to time by filing additional amendments or supplements as required. This prospectus supplement is qualified by reference to the Prospectus except to the extent that the information in this prospectus supplement supersedes the information contained in the Prospectus. You should read the entire Prospectus and any amendments or supplements carefully before you make an investment decision.

THESE SECURITIES ARE SPECULATIVE AND INVOLVE A HIGH DEGREE OF RISK AND SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ONLY BY PERSONS WHO CAN AFFORD THE LOSS OF THEIR ENTIRE INVESTMENT. PLEASE REFER TO RISK FACTORS BEGINNING ON PAGE 8 OF THE ORIGINAL PROSPECTUS.

THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION AND STATE SECURITIES REGULATORS HAVE NOT APPROVED OR DISAPPROVED THESE SECURITIES OR DETERMINED IF THE PROSPECTUS, OR ANY OF THE SUPPLEMENTS OR AMENDMENTS RELATING THERETO, IS TRUTHFUL OR COMPLETE. ANY REPRESENTATION TO THE CONTRARY IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.

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The date of this Supplement No. 5 is August 25, 2014

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): August 20, 2014

Amedica Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

001-33624 (Commission

84-1375299 (IRS Employer

 $of\ incorporation)$

File Number)

Identification No.)

1885 West 2100 South

Salt Lake City, UT

84119

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (801) 839-3500

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- " Pre-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))

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Departure of Max E. Link, Ph.D.

On August 20, 2014, Max E. Link, Ph.D., tendered his resignation as a member of the Board of Directors (the Board) of Amedica Corporation (the Company) and as Chairman of the Board effective immediately. On the date of Dr. Link s resignation as a Director, he was a member and Chairman of the Board s Nominating and Governance Committee. Dr. Link s resignation was not the result of any disagreement with the Company on any matter relating to its operations, policies or practices.

Appointment of B. Sonny Bal, M.D.

On August 21, 2014, the Board appointed B. Sonny Bal, M.D., who is currently a member of the Board, to serve as the Chairman of the Board of the Company, effective August 21, 2014.

SIGNATURE

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.

Date: August 22, 2014

AMEDICA CORPORATION

/s/ Kevin Ontiveros Kevin Ontiveros Chief Legal Officer