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200 BERKELEY STREET, 18TH FLOOR

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FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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| | | | | | of the Investment Company | | | 1004 | | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------|--|---|---|------------|---|------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|
| 1. Name and A RA CAPI MANAG | Reporting Persor | Requirir | of Event ng Statement Day/Year) 2024 | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Bicara Therapeutics Inc. [BCAX] | | | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | | | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner | | | • | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | |
| 200 BERKELEY STREET, 18TH FLOOR | | | | | Officer (give title below) | V | | (specify | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person | |
| (Street) BOSTON | MA | 02116 | | | | | | | [| | by More than One Person |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Sec | ·. 4) | | | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Ins 4) | Instr. Form: [| | Direct Owr | | Nature of Indirect Beneficial nership (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 Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of | | 5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | |
| | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or | | Derivative Security | | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 9, |
| Series B Pre | ferred Sto | ock | (1) | (1) | Common Stock | 1,99 | 91,642 | (1) | | I | See Footnotes ⁽²⁾ |
| Series B Preferred Stock | | (1) | (1) | Common Stock | 1,327,761 | | (1) | | I | See Footnotes ⁽²⁾ | |
| Series C Preferred Stock | | (1) | (1) | Common Stock | 63 | 31,256 (1) | | | I | See Footnotes ⁽²⁾ | |
| Series C Preferred Stock | | | (1) | (1) | Common Stock | 1,172,334 | | | I | See Footnotes ⁽²⁾ | |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* RA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P. | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | Reporting Persor hcare Fund | | | | | | | | | |

| BOSTON | MA | 02116 | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* RA Capital Nexus Fund III, L.P. | | | | | | | | | |
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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Kolchinsky Peter</u> | | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O RA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P. 200 BERKELEY STREET, 18TH FLOOR | | | | | | | | | |
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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Shah Rajeev M. | | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | | | | | | | |
| C/O RA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P. 200 BERKELEY STREET, 18TH FLOOR | | | | | | | | | |
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each share of Series B Preferred Stock and Series C Preferred Stock (collectively, the "Preferred Stock") is convertible into shares of Common Stock of the Issuer on a one-for-9.2435 basis without payment of further consideration. Upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, the Preferred Stock will convert into the number of shares of Common Stock of the Issuer shown in column 3. The Preferred Stock has no expiration date.
- 2. RA Capital Management, L.P. (the "Adviser") is the investment manager for RA Capital Healthcare Fund, L.P. (the "Fund") and RA Capital Nexus Fund III, L.P. (the "Nexus Fund III"). The general partner of the Adviser is RA Capital Management GP, LLC (the "Adviser GP"), of which Dr. Peter Kolchinsky and Mr. Rajeev Shah are the managing members. Each of the Adviser, the Adviser GP, the Fund, the Nexus Fund III, Dr. Kolchinsky and Mr. Shah disclaims beneficial ownership of any of the reported securities, except to the extent of its or his respective pecuniary interest therein.
- 3. Held directly by the Fund.
- 4. Held directly by the Nexus Fund III.

Remarks

Dr. Jake Simson, a Partner of the Adviser, serves on the Issuer's board of directors.

/s/ Peter Kolchinsky, Manager of RA Capital 09/12/2024 Management, L.P. /s/ Peter Kolchinsky, Manager of RA Capital Healthcare Fund GP, LLC, 09/12/2024 the General Partner of RA Capital Healthcare Fund, L.P. /s/ Peter Kolchinsky, Manager of RA Capital Nexus Fund III GP, LLC 09/12/2024 the General Partner of RA Capital Nexus Fund III <u>L.P.</u>

/s/ Peter Kolchinsky,

individually

/s/ Rajeev Shah, individually 09/12/2024

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

09/12/2024

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 5 (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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