

ROCKWELL MEDICAL, INC.
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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
CHIOINI ROBERT L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ROCKWELL MEDICAL, INC. [RMTI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
30142 WIXOM ROAD

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/21/2017

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman, President and CEO

WIXOM, MI 48393

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	03/21/2017		A		200,000 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 0 2,618,933 D
Common Stock	03/21/2017		A		45,000 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 0 2,663,933 D

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CHIOINI ROBERT L 30142 WIXOM ROAD WIXOM, MI 48393	X		Chairman, President and CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Thomas E. Klema, attorney-in-fact for Robert L. Chioini 03/23/2017

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Performance-based stock grant. This grant vests upon the earliest to occur of any of the following (a) reported net sales of the company in any four consecutive calendar quarters equals or exceeds \$100,000,000, (b) the market capitalization of the company is greater than \$600,000,000 for ten consecutive trading days, or (c) one year following the date the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services assign the company transitional add on reimbursement payment status for the drug product, Triferic.

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