

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Avalyn Pharma Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Voting Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

(CUSIP Number)

06/30/2026

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- ☐ Rule 13d-1(b)
- ☐ Rule 13d-1(c)
- ☒ Rule 13d-1(d)

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	Names of Reporting Persons	
1	Novo Holdings A/S	
	Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group (see instructions)	
2	☐ (a)	
	☐ (b)	
3	Sec Use Only	
	Citizenship or Place of Organization	
4	DENMARK	
Number of	Sole Voting Power	
Shares	5	
Beneficially	3,883,289.00	

Owned by Each Reporting Person With:	6	Shared Voting Power
	0.00	
		Sole Dispositive Power
	7	
	3,883,289.00	
		Shared Dispositive Power
	8	
	0.00	
	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	
9	3,883,289.00	
10	Check box if the aggregate amount in row (9) excludes certain shares (See Instructions)	
	☐	
	Percent of class represented by amount in row (9)	
11	8.8 %	
12	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)	
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Item 1.

- (a) Name of issuer:
- Avalyn Pharma Inc.
- (b) Address of issuer's principal executive offices:
- 105 W First Street, Boston, MA, 02127.

Item 2.

- Name of person filing:
- (a) Novo Holdings A/S, a Danish corporation, is an investment firm focused on life sciences and finance that is wholly owned by Novo Nordisk Foundation (the "Foundation"), a Danish commercial foundation. Novo Holdings A/S is the holding company in the group of Novo companies, currently comprised of Novo Nordisk A/S and Novonesis A/S, and is responsible for managing the Foundation's assets, including its financial assets. Based on the governance structure of Novo Holdings A/S and the Foundation, the Foundation is not deemed to have any beneficial ownership of the securities of the Issuer held by Novo Holdings A/S.
- (b) Address or principal business office or, if none, residence:
- Tuborg Havnevej 19 2900 Hellerup, Denmark
- (c) Citizenship:
- Denmark
- (d) Title of class of securities:
- Voting Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share
- (e) CUSIP No.:

Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to §§ 240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:

- (a) ☐ Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o);
- (b) ☐ Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
- (c) ☐ Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
- (d) ☐ Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);
- (e) ☐ An investment adviser in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
- (f) ☐ An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
- (g) ☐ A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);

- (h) ☐ A savings associations as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
- (i) ☐ A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
- (j) ☐ A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J). If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of institution:
- (k) ☐ Group, in accordance with Rule 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).

Item 4. Ownership

Amount beneficially owned:

- (a) 3,883,289
- Percent of class:
- (b) 8.8% %
- (c) Number of shares as to which the person has:
- (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:
- 3,883,289
- (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:
- 0
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:
- 3,883,289
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:
- 0

Item 5. Ownership of 5 Percent or Less of a Class.

Item 6. Ownership of more than 5 Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not Applicable

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company or Control Person.

Not Applicable

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable

Item 10. Certifications:

Not Applicable

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Novo Holdings A/S

Signature: Barbara Fiorini

Name/Title: Barbara Fiorini, General Counsel, Finance & Operations

Date: 08/14/2026