

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

December 20, 2017

Matthew Onaitis Chief Financial Officer and General Counsel Cidara Therapeutics, Inc. 6310 Nancy Ridge Drive, Suite 101 San Diego, CA 92121

> Re: Cidara Therapeutics, Inc. Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2016 Filed March 15, 2017 File No. 001-36912

Dear Mr. Onaitis:

We have completed our review of your filings. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence by the staff.

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Healthcare & Insurance