# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## **SCHEDULE 13G**

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. )

(Amendment No. )					
PLIANT THERAPEUTICS, INC.					
(Name of Issuer)					
Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value					
(Title of Class of Securities)					
729139 105					
(CUSIP Number)					
June 5, 2020					
(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)					
* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.					
The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).					

#### CUSIP No. 729139 105

1	Name of Reporting Person				
_	Redmile Group, LLC				
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)				
	(A) 🗆				
	(B) □				
3	SEC Use Only				
4	CITIZENSHIP OR P	LACE OF	Organization		
	Delaware				
		5	Sole Voting Power		
NU	MBER OF				
S	SHARES		Shared Voting Power		
BENEFICIALLY			3,410,657 (1)		
	OWNED BY		Sole Dispositive Power		
EACH			0		
REPORTING		8	Shared Dispositive Power		
PERSON WITH			<b>3,410,657</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		
9	Aggregate Amo	DUNT BE	NEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	<b>3,410,657</b> <sup>(1)</sup>				
10	Снеск іг тне Ас	GGREGAT	E Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions)		
11	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)				
	9.6% <sup>(2)</sup>				
12	Type of Report	ING PERS	son (See Instructions)		
	IA, 00				

<sup>(1)</sup> Redmile Group, LLC's beneficial ownership of the Issuer's common stock ("Common Stock") is comprised of: (i) 1,910,657 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P., (ii) 39,900 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Capital Offshore Fund (ERISA), Ltd., (iii) 92,300 shares of Common Stock held by Map 20 Segregated Portfolio, a segregated portfolio of LMA SPC, (iv) 150,000 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Capital Offshore II Master Fund, Ltd., (v) 745,200 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Capital Fund, LP, and (vii) 165,900 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Strategic Master Fund, LP. Redmile Group, LLC is the investment manager/adviser to each of the private investment vehicles listed in items (i) through (vii) (collectively, the "Redmile Affiliates") and, in such capacity, exercises sole voting and investment power over all of the shares held by the Redmile Affiliates and may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of these shares are step to the extent of its or his recurring the shares if any

Green serves as the principal of Redmile Group, LLC and also may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of these shares. Redmile Group, LLC and Mr. Green each disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of its or his pecuniary interest in such shares, if any.

(2) Percentage based on 34,201,346 shares of Common Stock outstanding after the Issuer's initial public offering, as disclosed in the Issuer's final prospectus filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Rule 424(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, on June 3, 2020 (the "Final Prospectus"), plus 1,350,000 shares of Common Stock issued in the Issuer's initial public offering pursuant to the full exercise of the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares.

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1	Name of Reporting Person				
	Jeremy C. Green				
2	Снеск тне Аррі	ROPRIATE	Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)		
	(A) 🗆				
	(B) □				
3	SEC Use Only				
	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION				
4	United Kingdo	m			
		5	Sole Voting Power		
NU	NUMBER OF		0		
5	SHARES	6	Shared Voting Power		
	BENEFICIALLY		3,410,657 <sup>(3)</sup>		
O	OWNED BY		Sole Dispositive Power		
EACH			0		
	REPORTING		Shared Dispositive Power		
PER	RSON WITH		3,410,657 <sup>(3)</sup>		
9	Aggregate Am	OUNT BE	NEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	3,410,657 <sup>(3)</sup>				
10	Снеск іг тне А	GGREGAT	E Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions)		
11	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)				
	$9.6\%^{(4)}$				
12	Type of Report	ING PERS	SON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)		
	IN, HC				

<sup>(3)</sup> Jeremy C. Green's beneficial ownership of Common Stock is comprised of: (i) 1,910,657 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P., (ii) 39,900 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Capital Offshore Fund (ERISA), Ltd., (iii) 92,300 shares of Common Stock held by Map 20 Segregated Portfolio, a segregated portfolio of LMA SPC, (iv) 150,000 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Capital Offshore II Master Fund, Ltd., (v) 745,200 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Capital Offshore Master Fund, Ltd., (vi) 306,700 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Capital Fund, LP, and (vii) 165,900 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Strategic Master Fund, LP. Redmile Group, LLC is the investment manager/adviser to each of the private investment vehicles listed in items (i) through (vii) and, in such capacity, exercises sole voting and investment power over all of the shares held by the Redmile Affiliates and may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of these shares. Jeremy C. Green serves as the principal of Redmile Group, LLC and also may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of these shares. Redmile Group, LLC and Mr. Green each disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of its or his pecuniary interest in such shares, if any.

<sup>(4)</sup> Percentage based on 34,201,346 shares of Common Stock outstanding after the Issuer's initial public offering, as disclosed in the Final Prospectus, plus 1,350,000 shares of Common Stock issued in the Issuer's initial public offering pursuant to the full exercise of the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares.

## CUSIP No. 729139 105

1	Name of Reporting Person						
	Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P.						
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)						
	(A) $\square$						
	(B) □	(B) $\square$					
3	SEC Use Only						
4	CITIZENSHIP OR P	LACE OF	Organization				
	Delaware						
		5	Sole Voting Power				
NUMBER OF							
SHARES		6	Shared Voting Power				
	BENEFICIALLY		1,910,657				
OWNED BY EACH		7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
REPORTING			0				
PERSON WITH		8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
		Ü	1,910,657				
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON						
	1,910,657						
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)						
11	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)						
	5.4% <sup>(5)</sup>						
12	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)						
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<sup>(5)</sup> Percentage based on 34,201,346 shares of Common Stock outstanding after the Issuer's initial public offering, as disclosed in the Final Prospectus, plus 1,350,000 shares of Common Stock issued in the Issuer's initial public offering pursuant to the full exercise of the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares.

## Item 1.

(a) Name of Issuer

Pliant Therapeutics, Inc.

(b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices

260 Littlefield Avenue South San Francisco, CA 94080

#### Item 2.

(a) Names of Persons Filing

Redmile Group, LLC Jeremy C. Green Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P.

(b) Address of Principal Business office or, if None, Residence

Redmile Group, LLC One Letterman Drive Building D, Suite D3-300 The Presidio of San Francisco San Francisco, California 94129

Jeremy C. Green c/o Redmile Group, LLC One Letterman Drive Building D, Suite D3-300 The Presidio of San Francisco San Francisco, California 94129

Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P. c/o Redmile Group, LLC One Letterman Drive Building D, Suite D3-300 The Presidio of San Francisco San Francisco, California 94129

(c) Citizenship

Redmile Group, LLC: Delaware Jeremy C. Green: United Kingdom Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P.: Delaware

(d) Title of Class of Securities

Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value

(e) CUSIP Number

729139 105

Item 3.	<b>3.</b> 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) $\square$ Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780);						
	(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);					
	(k) □	Group, in accordance with $\S$ 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K). If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with $\S$ 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of institution:					
Item 4.	Owners	ship.					
	(a) An	nount beneficially owned:					
	Jeremy	e Group, LLC – 3,410,657 (1) C. Green – 3,410,657 (1) e Biopharma Investments II, L.P. – 1,910,657 (2)					
	(b) Per	cent of class:					
	Redmile Group, LLC – 9.6% (3) Jeremy C. Green – 9.6% (3) Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P. – 5.4% (3)						
	(c) Nu	mber of shares as to which Redmile Group, LLC has:					
	(i)	Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:					
		0					
	(ii)	Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:					
		3,410,657 (1)					
	(iii)	Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:					
		0					
	(iv)	Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:					
		3,410,657 (1)					
	Nu	mber of shares as to which Jeremy C. Green has:					
	(i)	Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:					
		0					
	(ii)	Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:					
		3,410,657 (1)					
	(iii	Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:					

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

3,410,657 (1)

Number of shares as to which Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P. has:

(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:

0

(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:

1,910,657 (2)

(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

0

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

1,910,657 (2)

- (1) Redmile Group, LLC's and Jeremy C. Green's beneficial ownership of the Issuer's Common Stock is comprised of: (i) 1,910,657 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P., (ii) 39,900 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Capital Offshore Fund (ERISA), Ltd., (iii) 92,300 shares of Common Stock held by Map 20 Segregated Portfolio, a segregated portfolio of LMA SPC, (iv) 150,000 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Capital Offshore II Master Fund, Ltd., (v) 745,200 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Capital Fund, LP, and (vii) 165,900 shares of Common Stock held by Redmile Strategic Master Fund, LP, which may be deemed beneficially owned by Redmile Group, LLC as investment manager of such private investment vehicles. The reported securities may also be deemed beneficially owned by Jeremy C. Green as the principal of Redmile Group, LLC. Redmile Group, LLC and Mr. Green each disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of its or his pecuniary interest in such shares, if any.
- (2) Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P.'s beneficial ownership of Common Stock is comprised of 1,910,657 shares of Common Stock held directly by Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P. As noted in footnote 1 above, these shares may be deemed beneficially owned by Redmile Group, LLC as investment manager of Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P. These shares may also be deemed beneficially owned by Jeremy C. Green as the principal of Redmile Group, LLC. Redmile Group, LLC and Mr. Green each disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of its or his pecuniary interest in such shares, if any.
- (3) Percentage based on 34,201,346 shares of Common Stock outstanding after the Issuer's initial public offering, as disclosed in the Final Prospectus, plus 1,350,000 shares of Common Stock issued in the Issuer's initial public offering pursuant to the full exercise of the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares.

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

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than 5 percent of the class of securities, check the following  $\Box$ 

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

N/A.

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

See Exhibit A attached hereto.

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

N/A

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

N/A

#### Item 10. Certifications.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect, other than activities solely in connection with a nomination under § 240.14a-11.

#### **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.

Date: June 9, 2020

Redmile Group, LLC

By: /s/ Jeremy C. Green

Name: Jeremy C. Green Title: Managing Member

/s/ Jeremy C. Green

Jeremy C. Green

Redmile Biopharma Investments II, L.P. By: Redmile Group, LLC, its investment manager

By: /s/ Jeremy C. Green

Name: Jeremy C. Green Title: Managing Member

## Exhibit A

Redmile Group, LLC and Redmile	Biopharma Investments II, L.P. a	are the relevant entities for which	h Jeremy C. Green may be con	sidered a control person.

#### **Joint Filing Agreement**

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(k)(1) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), the undersigned hereby agree to the joint filing on behalf of each of them of a Statement on Schedule 13G (including any and all amendments thereto, the "Schedule 13G") relating to the Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value per share, of Pliant Therapeutics, Inc., which may be deemed necessary pursuant to Regulation 13D or 13G promulgated under the Exchange Act.

The undersigned further agree that each party hereto is responsible for the timely filing of the Schedule 13G, and for the accuracy and completeness of the information concerning such party contained therein; provided, however, that no party is responsible for the accuracy or completeness of the information concerning any other party, unless such party knows or has a reason to believe that such information is inaccurate.

It is understood and agreed that a copy of this Joint Filing Agreement shall be attached as an exhibit to the Schedule 13G, filed on behalf of each of the parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the undersigned has executed this Joint Filing Agreement as of the 9th day of June, 2020.

### REDMILE GROUP, LLC

/s/ Jeremy C. Green

Name: Jeremy C. Green Title: Managing Member

/s/ Jeremy C. Green

JEREMY C. GREEN

REDMILE BIOPHARMA INVESTMENTS II, L.P. BY: REDMILE GROUP, LLC, its investment manager

/s/ Jeremy C. Green

Name: Jeremy C. Green Title: Managing Member