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# FORM S-3 REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

# ELIEM THERAPEUTICS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 83-2273741 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

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(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: From time to time after this registration statement becomes effective.

If the only securities being registered on this Form are being offered pursuant to dividend or interest reinvestment plans, please check the following box:

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If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, please check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering:

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company," and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer

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Accelerated filer□Smaller reporting company⊠

Emerging growth company  $\square$ 

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 7(a)(2)(B) of the Securities Act.  $\Box$ 

The registrant hereby amends this registration statement on such date or dates as may be necessary to delay its effective date until the registrant shall file a further amendment which specifically states that this registration statement shall thereafter become effective in accordance with Section 8(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 or until this registration statement shall become effective on such date as the Commission, acting pursuant to said Section 8(a), may determine.

The information in this prospectus is not complete and may be changed. The selling stockholders named in this prospectus may not sell these securities until the registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission is effective. This prospectus is not an offer to sell these securities and the selling stockholders named in this prospectus are not soliciting offers to buy these securities in any state or other jurisdiction where the offer or sale is not permitted.

Subject to completion, dated July 12, 2024

#### PROSPECTUS



# 36,798,329 SHARES

# **Common Stock**

This prospectus relates to the resale from time to time of up to 36,798,329 shares of common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, of Eliem Therapeutics, Inc. by the selling stockholders listed on page 7 of this prospectus, including their donees, pledgees, transferees or other successors-in-interest, issued to the selling stockholders in connection with our acquisition of Tenet Medicines, Inc. and our concurrent private placement in June 2024. We are registering these shares on behalf of the selling stockholders, to be offered and sold by them from time to time. We will not receive any proceeds from the sale of the shares offered by this prospectus.

We have agreed to bear all of the expenses incurred in connection with the registration of these shares. The selling stockholders will pay or assume discounts, commissions, fees of underwriters, selling brokers or dealer managers and similar expenses, if any, incurred for the sale of these shares of our common stock.

The selling stockholders identified in this prospectus, or their respective donees, pledgees, transferees or other successors-in-interest, may offer the shares from time to time on terms to be determined at the time of sale through ordinary brokerage transactions or through any other means described in this prospectus under the caption "Plan of Distribution." The shares may be sold at fixed prices, at prevailing market prices at the time of sale, at prices related to the prevailing market price, at varying prices determined at the time of sale or at negotiated prices. For a list of the selling stockholders, see the section entitled "Selling Stockholders" on page 7 of this prospectus.

We may amend or supplement this prospectus from time to time by filing amendments or supplements as required. You should read the entire prospectus and any amendments or supplements carefully before you make your investment decision.

Our common stock is listed on the Nasdaq Global Market under the symbol "ELYM." On July 11, 2024, the closing sale price of our common stock on the Nasdaq Global Market was \$7.07 per share. You are urged to obtain current market quotations for our common stock.

We are an "emerging growth company" and a "smaller reporting company" under applicable Securities and Exchange Commission rules and, as such, have elected to comply with certain reduced public company disclosure requirements for this prospectus and future filings.

Investing in our common stock involves significant risks. See "<u>Risk Factors</u>" beginning on page 4 of this prospectus and in the documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus for a discussion of the factors you should carefully consider before deciding to purchase our common stock.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities or passed upon the adequacy or accuracy of this prospectus. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

The date of this prospectus is , 2024.

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You should rely only on the information contained in or incorporated by reference in this prospectus. We have not authorized anyone to provide you with different or additional information. This prospectus does not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy any securities other than the securities described in this prospectus or an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy such securities in any circumstances in which such offer or solicitation is unlawful. You should assume that the information appearing in this prospectus is accurate only as of the date of this prospectus, regardless of the time of delivery of this prospectus or of any sale of common stock. Our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects may have changed materially since such date.

Unless the context otherwise indicates, references in this prospectus to the "Company," "Eliem," "we," "our" and "us" refer, collectively, to Eliem Therapeutics, Inc., a Delaware corporation, and its consolidated subsidiaries.

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#### PROSPECTUS SUMMARY

This summary highlights selected information contained elsewhere in this prospectus and in the documents we incorporate by reference. This summary does not contain all of the information you should consider before making an investment decision. You should read this entire prospectus carefully, especially the risks of investing in our common stock discussed under "Risk Factors" beginning on page 4 of this prospectus, along with our consolidated financial statements and notes to those consolidated financial statements and the other information incorporated by reference in this prospectus.

#### **Our Business**

We are focused on developing therapeutics for autoimmune-driven inflammatory diseases, including advancing TNT119, an anti-CD19 antibody designed for a broad range of autoimmune diseases, including systemic lupus erythematosus, immune thrombocytopenia and membranous nephropathy. TNT119 is an anti-CD19 antibody designed to achieve broad and deep depletion of pathogenic B-cells with a favorable tolerability profile and convenient dosing regimen with the potential for subcutaneous administration.

Following the closing of our acquisition of Tenet Medicines, Inc. ("Tenet") in June 2024 (the "Acquisition"), our strategy is to develop TNT119 for a range of autoimmune-mediated diseases, where we believe CD19-targeted approaches have clear biological rationale, where we can potentially achieve clinical proof-of-concept, and where we can introduce product candidates that can be meaningfully differentiated in the market. TNT119's lead indication is in systemic lupus erythematosus, the most common type of lupus and an autoimmune disease in which the immune system attacks its own tissue, causing widespread inflammation and tissue damage in affected organs including joints, skin, brain, lungs, kidneys and blood vessels. In systemic lupus erythematosus, the underlying pathology involves the production of autoantibodies by autoreactive B cells and the formation of immune complexes that contribute to inflammation and tissue damage. CD19 is a protein expressed on the surface of these B cells, and it plays a role in B cell activation, proliferation and survival. TNT119 is designed to target and deplete CD19-expressing B cells known to produce autoantibodies, thereby providing a novel approach to the potential treatment of systemic lupus erythematosus.

#### **Corporate Information**

Our principal mailing address is PMB #117, 2801 Centerville Road 1st Floor, Wilmington, DE 19808-1609. Our workforce is currently working remotely, and we do not currently have a physical office in the United States. Our telephone number is 1-877-ELIEMTX (354-3689). Our website is www.eliemtx.com. Information contained on, or that can be accessed through, our website is not a part of this prospectus. We have included our website address in this prospectus solely as an inactive textual reference.

#### **Acquisition and Private Placement**

On June 27, 2024, we completed the Acquisition of Tenet. The Acquisition was effected in accordance with the terms of an Agreement and Plan of Merger and Reorganization (the "Acquisition Agreement"), dated as of April 10, 2024, by and among us, Tango Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation and our wholly owned subsidiary ("Transitory Subsidiary"), Tenet, and, solely in his capacity as Tenet equityholder representative, Stephen Thomas, providing for the acquisition of Tenet by us through the merger of Transitory Subsidiary into Tenet, with Tenet surviving as our wholly owned subsidiary. At the closing of the Acquisition, we issued an aggregate of 5,560,047 shares of our common stock to Tenet equityholders.

Concurrently with the execution of the Acquisition Agreement, certain of the selling stockholders entered into lock-up agreements pursuant to which, subject to specified exceptions, they agreed not to transfer their shares of common stock issued in connection with the Acquisition for the 180-day period following the closing of the Acquisition.

On June 27, 2024, immediately following the closing of the Acquisition, we issued and sold 31,238,282 shares of our common stock at a price of \$3.84 per share in a private placement to several accredited institutional investors pursuant to a Securities Purchase Agreement, dated as of April 10, 2024 (the "Securities Purchase Agreement"), by and among us and certain of the selling stockholders.

For a detailed description of the transactions with the selling stockholders contemplated by the Acquisition Agreement and the Securities Purchase Agreement and the securities issued pursuant thereto, see the section entitled "Selling Stockholders" in this prospectus. We filed the registration statement on Form S-3, of which this prospectus forms a part, to fulfill our contractual obligations under a registration rights agreement we entered into with certain of the selling stockholders and to provide for the resale by the selling stockholders of the shares of common stock offered hereby.

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THE OFFERING								
Common Stock Offered by Selling Stockholders	36,798,329 shares.							
Use of Proceeds	We will not receive any proceeds from the sale of shares in this offering.							
Risk Factors	You should read the "Risk Factors" section of this prospectus and in the documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus for a discussion of factors to consider carefully before deciding to invest in shares of our common stock.							
Nasdaq Global Market Symbol	"ELYM"							
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#### **RISK FACTORS**

Investing in our common stock involves significant risks. Before deciding whether to invest in our common stock, you should carefully consider the risks and uncertainties described under the section entitled "Risk Factors" in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K, our most recent Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, Exhibit 99.3 to our Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on June 27, 2024 and other filings we make with the SEC from time to time, which are incorporated by reference herein in their entirety, and which may be amended, supplemented or superseded from time to time by other reports we file with the SEC in the future, together with the other information in this prospectus and in the documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus. The occurrence of any such risks, or of additional risks and uncertainties not presently known to us or that we currently believe to be immaterial, could cause our business, prospects, operating results and financial condition to suffer materially. In such event, the trading price of our common stock could decline, and you might lose all or part of your investment.

#### CAUTIONARY NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This prospectus and the information incorporated by reference in this prospectus include "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"). All statements, other than statements of historical fact, contained in or incorporated by reference in this prospectus, including statements regarding our strategy, future operations, future financial position, future revenue, projected costs, prospects, plans and objectives of management, are forward-looking statements. The words "anticipate," "believe," "estimate," "expect," "intend," "may," "might," "plan," "predict," "project," "target," "potential," "would," "could," "should," "continue" and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements, although not all forward-looking statements contain these identifying words.

Any forward-looking statements in this prospectus reflect our current views with respect to future events or to our future financial performance and involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other important factors that may cause our actual results, performance or achievements to be materially different from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements. We may not actually achieve the plans, intentions or expectations disclosed in our forward-looking statements, and you should not place undue reliance on our forward-looking statements. Actual results or events could differ materially from the plans, intentions and expectations described in the forward-looking statements we make. You are cautioned that these forward-looking statements are subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions that are referenced in the sections entitled "Risk Factors" in this prospectus and in the documents incorporated by reference herein.

You should read this prospectus and the information incorporated by reference herein completely and with the understanding that our actual future results may be materially different from what we expect. The forward-looking statements contained in this prospectus are made as of the date of this prospectus, and we do not assume any obligation to update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by law.

A statement contained in a document incorporated by reference into this prospectus shall be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this prospectus to the extent that a statement contained in this prospectus, any prospectus supplement or in any other subsequently filed document which is also incorporated in this prospectus modifies or replaces such statement. Any statements so modified or superseded shall not be deemed, except as so modified or superseded, to constitute a part of this prospectus.

This prospectus incorporates by reference statistical and other industry and market data that we obtained from industry publications and research, surveys and studies conducted by third parties. All of the market data used in this prospectus and the information incorporated by reference herein involves a number of assumptions and limitations, and you are cautioned not to give undue weight to such data. Industry publications and third-party research, surveys and studies generally indicate that their information has been obtained from sources believed to be reliable, although they do not guarantee the accuracy or completeness of such information. Our estimates of the potential market opportunities for our product candidate include several key assumptions based on our industry knowledge, industry publications, third-party research and other surveys, which may be based on a small sample size and may fail to accurately reflect market opportunities. While we believe that our internal assumptions are reasonable, no independent source has verified such assumptions.

# **USE OF PROCEEDS**

We are filing the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part to permit the holders of the shares of our common stock described in the section entitled "Selling Stockholders" to resell such shares. We are not selling any shares under this prospectus, and we will not receive any proceeds from the sale or other disposition of shares of our common stock held by the selling stockholders and offered hereby.

The selling stockholders will pay any discounts, commissions, fees of underwriters, selling brokers, dealer managers or similar securities industry professionals and expenses incurred by the selling stockholders for brokerage, accounting, tax or legal services or any other expenses incurred by the selling stockholders in disposing of the shares. We will bear all other costs, fees and expenses incurred in effecting the registration of the shares covered by this prospectus, including, without limitation, filing and printing fees, listing fees and fees and expenses of our counsel and our accountants.

#### SELLING STOCKHOLDERS

On April 10, 2024, we entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger and Reorganization, dated as of April 10, 2024 (the "Acquisition Agreement"), by and among us, Tango Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation and our wholly owned subsidiary ("Transitory Subsidiary"), Tenet Medicines, Inc. ("Tenet"), and, solely in his capacity as Tenet equityholder representative, Stephen Thomas, providing for the acquisition of Tenet by us through the merger of Transitory Subsidiary into Tenet, with Tenet surviving as our wholly owned subsidiary (the "Acquisition"). On June 27, 2024, we completed the Acquisition in accordance with the terms of the Acquisition Agreement, and we issued an aggregate of 5,560,047 shares of our common stock to Tenet equityholders as consideration for our acquisition of Tenet.

On April 10, 2024, we also entered into a securities purchase agreement (the "Securities Purchase Agreement"), with certain of the selling stockholders (the "PIPE Investors"), pursuant to which we agreed to issue and sell an aggregate of 31,238,282 shares of our common stock at a price of \$3.84 per share in a private placement (the "Private Placement"), contingent upon, among other things, the closing of the Acquisition. The Private Placement was completed immediately following the closing of the Acquisition on June 27, 2024.

In connection with the Private Placement, on April 10, 2024, we entered into a registration rights agreement (the "Registration Rights Agreement") with the PIPE Investors, pursuant to which we agreed to file a registration statement with the SEC covering the resale of the shares of common stock sold in the Private Placement. We agreed to file such registration statement within 45 days following the closing of the Private Placement. The Registration Rights Agreement includes customary indemnification rights in connection with the registration statement providing for the resale of such shares. Pursuant to the Acquisition Agreement, the Tenet equityholders who received stock consideration in the Acquisition could elect to become a party to the Registration Rights Agreement. We refer to both the PIPE Investors and the former Tenet equityholders as selling stockholders in this prospectus. The registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part has been filed in accordance with the Registration Rights Agreement.

The foregoing summary descriptions of the Acquisition Agreement, the Securities Purchase Agreement and the Registration Rights Agreement do not purport to be complete and are qualified in their entirety by reference to the full text of such documents, which were filed as exhibits to the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part and are incorporated by reference herein.

The table below sets forth, to our knowledge, information concerning the beneficial ownership of shares of our common stock by the selling stockholders as of June 30, 2024. The information in the table below with respect to the selling stockholders has been obtained from the respective selling stockholders. When we refer to the "selling stockholders" in this prospectus, we mean the selling stockholders listed in the table below as offering shares, as well as their respective donees, pledgees, transferees or other successors-in-interest. The selling stockholders may sell all, some or none of the shares of common stock subject to this prospectus. See "Plan of Distribution."

In the table below, the number of shares of common stock beneficially owned prior to the offering for each selling stockholder includes (i) all shares of common stock held by such selling stockholder as of June 30, 2024, (ii) all shares of common stock such selling stockholder has the right to acquire within 60 days of June 30, 2024, (iii) all shares of common stock acquired by such selling stockholder in the Acquisition and (iv) all shares of common stock purchased by such selling stockholder in the Private Placement. The percentages of shares owned before and after the offering are based on 66,785,449 shares of common stock outstanding as of June 30, 2024, which includes the outstanding shares of common stock offered by this prospectus. In computing the number of shares of common stock beneficially owned by a selling stockholder and the percentage ownership of that selling stockholder, we deemed outstanding shares of common stock that such selling stockholder has a right to acquire within 60 days of June 30, 2024. We did not deem these shares outstanding, however, for the purpose of computing the percentage ownership of any other selling stockholder.

Beneficial ownership is determined in accordance with the rules of the SEC and includes voting or investment power with respect to our common stock. Unless otherwise indicated below, to our knowledge, each selling stockholder named in the table has sole voting and investment power with respect to the shares of common stock beneficially owned by it, except to the extent authority is shared by spouses under applicable law. Unless otherwise indicated below, the address of each beneficial owner listed below is c/o Eliem Therapeutics, PMB #117, 2801 Centerville Road 1st Floor, Wilmington, DE 19808-1609. The inclusion of any shares in this table does not constitute an admission of beneficial ownership for any selling stockholder named below.

	Shares of Com Beneficially O to Offer	wned Prior	Number of Shares of Common Stock	Shares of Common Stock to be Beneficially Owned After Offering (1)	
Name of Selling Stockholder	Number	Percentage	Being Offered	Number	Percentage
Entities affiliated with RA Capital (2)	31,459,267	47.1%	18,268,418	13,190,849	19.7%
Entities affiliated with Pontifax (3)	5,206,380	7.8%	5,206,380	—	—
Deep Track Biotechnology Master Fund, Ltd. (4)	3,904,785	5.8%	3,904,785		—
Janus Henderson Biotech Innovation Master Fund Limited (5)	3,253,988	4.9%	3,253,988		
Samsara BioCapital, LP (6)	3,261,393	4.9%	3,261,393		
Boxer Capital, LLC (7)	2,603,190	3.9%	2,603,190		
Stephen Basil Thomas (8)	103,907	*	103,907		
William Daley Bonificio (9)	103,907	*	103,907		_
Naveen Manu Daryani (10)	92,361	*	92,361		

\* Less than one percent.

(1) We do not know when or in what amounts a selling stockholder may offer shares for sale. The selling stockholders might not sell any or might sell all of the shares offered by this prospectus. Because the selling stockholders may offer all or some of the shares pursuant to this offering, and because there are currently no agreements, arrangements or understandings with respect to the sale of any of the shares, we cannot estimate the number of the shares that will be held by the selling stockholders after completion of the offering. However, for purposes of this table, we have assumed that, after completion of the offering, none of the shares covered by this prospectus will be held by the selling stockholders.

Consists of (i) 2,479,872 shares of common stock issued to Sera Medicines, LLC ("Sera Medicines") in connection with the closing of the (2) Acquisition; (ii) 23,521,757 shares of common stock held by RA Capital Healthcare Fund, L.P. ("RA Healthcare"), which consists of 973,000 shares of common stock issued in connection with the closing of the Acquisition and 11,949,171 shares of common stock issued in the Private Placement; (iii) 1,226,497 shares of common stock held by RA Capital Nexus Fund, L.P. ("Nexus Fund"); (iv) 841,087 shares of common stock held by a separately managed account (the "Account"); (v) 483,679 shares of common stock held by RA Capital Nexus Fund II, L.P. ("Nexus Fund II"); (vi) 2,866,375 shares of common stock held by RA Capital Nexus Fund III, L.P. ("Nexus Fund III"), which consists of 1,807,000 shares of common stock issued in connection with the closing of the Acquisition and 1,059,375 shares of common stock issued in the Private Placement and (vii) 40,000 shares of common stock issuable pursuant to stock options held by Andrew Levin, our Executive Chairman and a member of our board of directors, for the benefit of RA Capital Management, L.P. ("RACM") that are exercisable within 60 days of June 30, 2024. Sera Medicines is controlled by RACM, and RA Healthcare and Nexus Fund III collectively own approximately 81% of the outstanding equity interests of Sera Medicines. RACM is the investment manager for RA Healthcare, Nexus Fund, the Account, Nexus Fund II, and Nexus Fund III. The general partner of RACM is RA Capital Management GP, LLC. The general partner of RA Healthcare is RA Capital Healthcare Fund GP, LLC. The general partner of Nexus Fund is RA Capital Nexus Fund GP, LLC. The general partner of Nexus Fund II is RA Capital Nexus Fund II GP, LLC. The general partner of Nexus Fund III is RA Capital Nexus Fund III GP, LLC. Dr. Peter Kolchinsky and Mr. Rajeev Shah are the managing members of RA Capital Management GP, LLC, RA Capital Healthcare Fund GP, LLC, RA Capital Nexus Fund GP, LLC, RA Capital Nexus Fund II GP, LLC and RA Capital Nexus Fund III GP, LLC and have the

power to vote or dispose of the shares held by Sera Medicines, RA Healthcare, Nexus Fund, Account, Nexus Fund II and Nexus Fund III. The address of the persons and entities listed above is 200 Berkeley Street, 18th Floor, Boston, Massachusetts 02116.

- (3) Consists of (i) 3,312,625 shares of common stock issued to Pontifax (Israel) VI L.P. in the Private Placement and (ii) 1,893,755 shares of common stock issued to Pontifax (Cayman) VI L.P. in the Private Placement. The General Partner of Pontifax (Israel) VI L.P. and Pontifax (Cayman) VI L.P. is Pontifax VI GP L.P. The General Partner of Pontifax VI GP L.P. is Pontifax Management IV GP (2015) Ltd. Mr. Tomer Kariv and Mr. Ran Nussbaum are the managing members of the Partnerships. The address of the persons and entities listed above is 14 Shenkar Street, Herzlia 46725, Israel.
- (4) Consists of 3,904,785 shares of common stock issued to Deep Track Biotechnology Master Fund, Ltd. ("Deep Track Fund") in the Private Placement. Deep Track Capital, LP ("Deep Track Manager") is the investment manager of Deep Track Fund. Deep Track Capital GP, LLC ("Deep Track Partner") is the general partner of Deep Track Manager and David Kroin is the managing member of Deep Track Partner. The address of each of Deep Track Fund, Deep Track Manager, Deep Track Partner and Mr. Kroin is 200 Greenwich Ave, 3rd Floor, Greenwich, Connecticut 06830.
- (5) Consists of 3,253,988 shares of common stock issued to Janus Henderson Biotech Innovation Master Fund Limited in the Private Placement. Such shares may be deemed to be beneficially owned by Janus Henderson Investors US LLC ("Janus"), an investment adviser registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, who acts as investment adviser for Janus Henderson Biotech Innovation Master Fund Limited (the "Janus Fund") and has the ability to make decisions with respect to the voting and deposition of the shares subject to the oversight of the board of directors of the Janus Fund. Under the terms of its management contract with the Janus Fund, Janus has overall responsibility for directing the investments of the Janus Fund in accordance with the Janus Fund's investment objective, policies and limitations. The Janus Fund has one or more portfolio managers appointed by and serving at the pleasure of Janus who make decisions with respect to the disposition of the shares of common stock offered hereby. The address for Janus is 151 Detroit Street, Denver, CO 80206. The portfolio managers for the Janus Fund are: Andrew Acker, Daniel S. Lyons and Agustin Mohedas.
- (6) Consists of 3,261,393 shares of common stock issued to Samsara Biocapital, LP ("Samsara LP") in the Private Placement. Samsara BioCapital GP, LLC ("Samsara LLC") is the general partner of Samsara LP and may be deemed to beneficially own the shares held by Samsara LP. Dr. Srinivas Akkaraju, MD, Ph.D. has voting and investment power over the shares held by Samsara GP and, accordingly, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares held by Samsara LP. Samsara LLC disclaims beneficial ownership in these shares except to the extent of its respective pecuniary interest therein. The address for Samsara LP is 628 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto, CA 94031.
- (7) Consists of 2,603,190 shares of common issued to Boxer Capital, LLC ("Boxer Capital") in the Private Placement. Boxer Asset Management Inc. is the managing member of Boxer Capital. Joseph C. Lewis is the sole indirect owner of Boxer Asset Management Inc. Boxer Capital, Boxer Asset Management Inc. and Joseph C. Lewis have shared powers to vote (or direct the vote) and/or to dispose (or direct the disposition) of the shares of common stock held by Boxer Capital. Boxer Asset Management Inc. and Joseph C. Lewis disclaim beneficial ownership over the shares of common stock held by Boxer Capital except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein. The principal address for Boxer Capital is 12860 El Camino Real, Suite 300, San Diego, CA 92130. The principal address for Boxer Asset Management and Mr. Lewis is Cay House, EP Taylor Drive N7776, Lyford Cay, New Providence, Bahamas.
- (8) Consists of 103,907 shares of common stock issued to Dr. Thomas in connection with the closing of the Acquisition. Dr. Thomas was elected to our board of directors in connection with the closing of the Acquisition.
- (9) Consists of 103,907 shares of common stock issued to Dr. Bonificio in connection with the closing of the Acquisition.
- (10) Consists of 92,361 shares of common stock issued to Dr. Daryani in connection with the closing of the Acquisition.

#### **Relationships with Selling Stockholders**

#### RA Capital Management

Andrew Levin, who is our Executive Chairman and a member of our board of directors, is a Partner and Managing Director of RACM, which, with certain of its affiliated funds, is a selling stockholder. Additionally, RACM is affiliated with Sera Medicines, which is a selling stockholder.

RACM is also a party to an investor rights agreement (the "Investor Rights Agreement"), as amended in March 2021, with Eliem and certain other holders of our redeemable convertible preferred stock and common stock. The Investor Rights Agreement provides the holders of our redeemable convertible preferred stock with certain registration rights, including the right to demand that we file a registration statement or request that their shares be covered by a registration statement that we are otherwise filing. The registration of shares of our common stock pursuant to the exercise of certain registration rights would enable the holders to sell such shares without restriction under the Securities Act, when the applicable registration statement is declared effective. We have agreed to pay the registration expenses, other than underwriting discounts and commissions, of the shares registered pursuant to certain demand, piggyback and Form S-3 registrations.

#### Sera Medicines

Sera Medicines was founded on October 1, 2023 by RACM and certain members of Tenet's management team, including Stephen Thomas, a member of our board of directors, William Bonificio and Naveen Daryani, each of whom are selling stockholders. RACM holds approximately 81% of Sera Medicine's equity interests and members of Tenet's management hold approximately 19% of Sera Medicine's equity interests.

#### **Consulting Agreements**

In connection with the closing of the Acquisition, each of Dr. Thomas, Dr. Bonificio and Dr. Daryani entered into a consulting agreement with us. Pursuant to their respective consulting agreements, Dr. Thomas is paid a fixed consulting fee equal to \$10,000 per month, and Dr. Bonificio and Dr. Daryani are paid hourly consulting fees. In addition, each of Dr. Thomas, Dr. Bonificio and Dr. Daryani were paid a transaction bonus in the amount of \$150,000.

Additionally, at the closing of the Acquisition, our board of directors granted to each of Dr. Thomas, Dr. Bonificio and Dr. Daryani 200,750 restricted stock units ("RSUs"), pursuant to our 2021 Equity Incentive Plan. Of the RSUs granted to each of Dr. Thomas, Dr. Bonificio and Dr. Daryani, 100,375 RSUs are subject to time-based vesting with 50% of such RSUs vesting on January 1, 2025, 25% of such RSUs vesting on March 27, 2025 and the remaining 25% of such RSUs vesting on June 27, 2025, subject to continued service. The remaining 100,375 RSUs granted to each of Dr. Thomas, Dr. Bonificio and Dr. Daryani are subject to performance-based vesting and vest subject to the satisfaction of performance conditions, including the achievement of specified operational milestones on or before September 30, 2025.

Dr. Thomas was also elected to our board of directors in connection with the closing of the Acquisition.

# Certain Legacy Tenet Relationships

Tenet is a party to a services agreement (the "Blackbird Services Agreement") with Blackbird, an entity controlled by RACM, a selling stockholder. Under the terms of the Blackbird Services Agreement, Blackbird provides consulting services in connection with Tenet's clinical trials, including study strategy, clinical operations and patient operations. In consideration for services provided under the Blackbird Services Agreement, Tenet pays Blackbird a yearly service fee of \$360,000.

Tenet is also party to a services agreement (the "Sera Services Agreement") with Sera Services, Inc. ("Sera Services"), an affiliate of RACM and Sera Medicines, each of which are selling stockholders. Tenet's clinical

development and professional services functions, including the services of Tenet's executive officers, are currently performed through Sera Services pursuant to the Sera Services Agreement. Pursuant to the Sera Services Agreement, Tenet compensates Sera Services for the costs associated with clinical development and professional services plus a markup.

#### PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION

The selling stockholders, which as used herein includes donees, pledgees, transferees or other successors-in-interest selling shares of common stock or interests in shares of common stock received after the date of this prospectus from a selling stockholder as a gift, pledge, partnership distribution or other transfer, may, from time to time, sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of any or all of their shares of common stock or interests in shares of common stock on any stock exchange, market or trading facility on which the shares are traded or in private transactions. These dispositions may be at fixed prices, at prevailing market prices at the time of sale, at prices related to the prevailing market price, at varying prices determined at the time of sale, or at negotiated prices.

The selling stockholders may use any one or more of the following methods when disposing of shares or interests therein:

- ordinary brokerage transactions and transactions in which the broker-dealer solicits purchasers;
- block trades in which the broker-dealer will attempt to sell the shares as agent, but may position and resell a portion of the block as
  principal to facilitate the transaction;
- purchases by a broker-dealer as principal and resale by the broker-dealer for its account;
- an exchange distribution in accordance with the rules of the applicable exchange;
- privately negotiated transactions;
- short sales;
- through the writing or settlement of options or other hedging transactions, whether through an options exchange or otherwise;
- broker-dealers may agree with the selling stockholders to sell a specified number of such shares at a stipulated price per share;
- a combination of any such methods of sale; and
- any other method permitted by applicable law.

The selling stockholders may, from time to time, pledge or grant a security interest in some or all of the shares of common stock owned by them and, if they default in the performance of their secured obligations, the pledgees or secured parties may offer and sell the shares of common stock, from time to time, under this prospectus, or under an amendment to this prospectus under Rule 424(b)(3) or other applicable provision of the Securities Act, amending the list of selling stockholders to include the pledgee, transferee or other successors in interest as selling stockholders under this prospectus. The selling stockholders also may transfer the shares of common stock in other circumstances, in which case the transferees, pledgees or other successors in interest will be the selling beneficial owners for purposes of this prospectus.

In connection with the sale of our common stock or interests therein, the selling stockholders may enter into hedging transactions with brokerdealers or other financial institutions, which may in turn engage in short sales of the common stock in the course of hedging the positions they assume. The selling stockholders may also sell shares of our common stock short and deliver these securities to close out their short positions, or loan or pledge the common stock to broker-dealers that in turn may sell these securities. The selling stockholders may also enter into option or other transactions with broker-dealers or other financial institutions or the creation of one or more derivative securities which require the delivery to such broker-dealer or other financial institution of shares offered by this prospectus, which shares such broker-dealer or other financial institution may resell pursuant to this prospectus (as supplemented or amended to reflect such transaction).

The aggregate proceeds to the selling stockholders from the sale of the common stock offered by them will be the purchase price of the common stock less discounts or commissions, if any. Each of the selling

stockholders reserves the right to accept and, together with their agents from time to time, to reject, in whole or in part, any proposed purchase of common stock to be made directly or through agents. We will not receive any of the proceeds from this offering.

The selling stockholders also may resell all or a portion of the shares in open market transactions in reliance upon Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933, provided that they meet the criteria and conform to the requirements of that rule.

The selling stockholders and any underwriters, broker-dealers or agents that participate in the sale of the common stock or interests therein may be "underwriters" within the meaning of Section 2(a)(11) of the Securities Act. Any discounts, commissions, concessions or profit they earn on any resale of the shares may be underwriting discounts and commissions under the Securities Act. Selling stockholders who are "underwriters" within the meaning of Section 2(a)(11) of the prospectus delivery requirements of the Securities Act.

To the extent required, the shares of our common stock to be sold, the names of the selling stockholders, the respective purchase prices and public offering prices, the names of any agents, dealer or underwriter, and any applicable commissions or discounts with respect to a particular offer will be set forth in an accompanying prospectus supplement or, if appropriate, a post-effective amendment to the registration statement that includes this prospectus.

In order to comply with the securities laws of some states, if applicable, the common stock may be sold in these jurisdictions only through registered or licensed brokers or dealers. In addition, in some states the common stock may not be sold unless it has been registered or qualified for sale or an exemption from registration or qualification requirements is available and is complied with.

We have advised the selling stockholders that the anti-manipulation rules of Regulation M under the Exchange Act may apply to sales of shares in the market and to the activities of the selling stockholders and their affiliates. In addition, to the extent applicable, we will make copies of this prospectus (as it may be supplemented or amended from time to time) available to the selling stockholders for the purpose of satisfying the prospectus delivery requirements of the Securities Act. The selling stockholders may indemnify any broker-dealer that participates in transactions involving the sale of the shares against certain liabilities, including liabilities arising under the Securities Act.

We have agreed to indemnify the selling stockholders against liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act and state securities laws, relating to the registration of the shares offered by this prospectus.

We have agreed with the selling stockholders to use commercially reasonable efforts to cause the registration statement of which this prospectus constitutes a part to become effective and to remain continuously effective until the earlier of (1) such time as all of the shares covered by this prospectus have been disposed of pursuant to and in accordance with such registration statement and (2) the date on which all of the shares may be sold without restriction pursuant to Rule 144 of the Securities Act.

#### LEGAL MATTERS

The validity of the shares of our common stock offered hereby has been passed upon for us by Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP.

# EXPERTS

The financial statements incorporated in this prospectus by reference to the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2023 have been so incorporated in reliance on the report of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, an independent registered public accounting firm, given on the authority of said firm as experts in auditing and accounting.

The financial statements of Tenet Medicines, Inc. as of December 31, 2023 and for the period from November 8, 2023 (inception) to December 31, 2023 incorporated by reference in this prospectus by reference to Eliem Therapeutic, Inc.'s Current Report on Form 8-K dated June 27, 2024 have been audited by Deloitte & Touche LLP, an independent auditor, as stated in their report. Such financial statements are incorporated by reference in reliance upon the report of such firm given upon their authority as experts in accounting and auditing.

#### WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION

We file annual, quarterly and current reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC. Our SEC filings are available to the public over the Internet at the SEC's website at http://www.sec.gov. Copies of certain information filed by us with the SEC are also available on our website at www.eliemtx.com. Our website is not a part of this prospectus and is not incorporated by reference in this prospectus. We have included our website address in this prospectus solely as an inactive textual reference.

This prospectus is part of a registration statement we filed with the SEC. This prospectus omits some information contained in the registration statement in accordance with SEC rules and regulations. You should review the information and exhibits in the registration statement for further information about us and our consolidated subsidiaries and our securities. Statements in this prospectus concerning any document we filed as an exhibit to the registration statement or that we otherwise filed with the SEC are not intended to be comprehensive and are qualified by reference to these filings and the exhibits attached thereto. You should review the complete document to evaluate these statements. You can obtain a copy of the registration statement from the SEC's website.

# INCORPORATION OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS BY REFERENCE

The SEC allows us to incorporate by reference much of the information we file with the SEC, which means that we can disclose important information to you by referring you to those publicly available documents. The information that we incorporate by reference in this prospectus is considered to be part of this prospectus. Because we are incorporating by reference future filings with the SEC, this prospectus is continually updated and those future filings may modify or supersede some of the information included or incorporated in this prospectus. This means that you must look at all of the SEC filings that we incorporate by reference to determine if any of the statements in this prospectus or in any document previously incorporated by reference have been modified or superseded. This prospectus incorporates by reference the documents listed below (File No. 001-40708) and any future filings we make with the SEC under Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act (in each case, other than those documents or the portions of those documents not deemed to be filed) between the date of the initial registration statement and the effectiveness of the registration statement until the offering of the securities under the registration statement is terminated or completed:

- Our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2023, filed with the SEC on March 28, 2024, as amended by Amendment No. 1 thereto, filed with the SEC on April 29, 2024;
- Our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended March 31, 2024, filed with the SEC on May 15, 2024;
- Our Current Reports on Form 8-K, filed with the SEC on March 19, 2024, April 11, 2024, June 12, 2024, June 26, 2024 and June 27, 2024; and
- The description of our common stock contained in our registration statement on <u>Form 8-A</u>, filed with the SEC on August 3, 2021, as the description therein has been updated and superseded by the description of our common stock contained in <u>Exhibit 4.3</u> to our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2021, filed with the SEC on March 7, 2022.

You may request a copy of these filings, at no cost, by writing or telephoning us at the following address or telephone number:

Eliem Therapeutics, Inc. PMB #117 2801 Centerville Road 1st Floor Wilmington, DE 19808-1609 Attention: Investor Relations 1-877-ELIEMTX (354-3689)



36,798,329 SHARES

**COMMON STOCK** 

PROSPECTUS

, 2024

#### PART II INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS

#### Item 14. Other Expenses of Issuance and Distribution.

The following table sets forth the various expenses to be incurred in connection with the sale and distribution of the securities being registered hereby, all of which will be borne by Eliem Therapeutics, Inc. (except any discounts, commissions, fees of underwriters, selling brokers, dealer managers and similar securities industry professionals and expenses incurred by the selling stockholders for brokerage, accounting, tax or legal services or any other expenses incurred by the selling of the shares). All amounts shown are estimates except the SEC registration fee.

Item	Amount
SEC registration fee	\$ 36,174
Legal fees and expenses	\$ 50,000
Accounting fees and expenses	\$ 55,000
Printing fees and expenses	\$ 10,000
Miscellaneous fees and expenses	\$ 5,000
Total expenses	\$156,174

#### Item 15. Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

The following summary is qualified in its entirety by reference to the complete Delaware General Corporation Law ("DGCL"), our Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation ("Certificate") and our Amended and Restated Bylaws ("Bylaws").

Section 145 of the DGCL provides, generally, that a corporation shall have the power to indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding (except actions by or in the right of the corporation) by reason of the fact that such person is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the corporation against all expenses, judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with such action, suit or proceeding if such person acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonable believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the corporation and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful. A corporation may similarly indemnify such person for expenses actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with the defense or settlement of any action or suit by or in the right of the corporation, provided that such person acted in good faith and in a manner he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the corporation, and, in the case of claims, issues and matters as to which such person shall have been adjudged liable to the corporation, provided that a court shall have determined, upon application, that, despite the adjudication of liability but in view of all of the circumstances of the case, such person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses which such court shall deem proper.

Section 102(b)(7) of the DGCL provides, generally, that our Certificate may contain a provision eliminating or limiting the personal liability of a director to the corporation or its shareholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a director, provided that such provision may not eliminate or limit the liability of (i) a director for any breach of the director's duty of loyalty to the corporation or its shareholders, (ii) a director for acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law, (iii) a director under section 174 of the DGCL or (iv) a director for any transaction from which the director derived an improper personal benefit. No such provision may eliminate or limit the liability of a director for any act or omission occurring prior to the date when such provision became effective. Our Certificate includes such a provision. The effect of this provision is to eliminate the personal liability of directors for monetary damages or actions involving a breach of their fiduciary duty of care, including any actions involving gross negligence.

Our Certificate and Bylaws provide that we will indemnify our directors and officers to the fullest extent permitted by the DGCL, except we may modify the extent of such indemnification by individual contracts with our directors and executive officers. Our Bylaws also provide that we are not required to indemnify any director or executive officer in connection with any proceeding initiated by such person unless (i) such indemnification is expressly required to be made by applicable law, (ii) the proceeding was authorized by our board of directors or (iii) such indemnification is provided by us, in our sole discretion, pursuant to the powers vested in us under the DGCL or any other applicable law. Our Bylaws also provide that that the right of directors and officers to indemnification shall be deemed a contractual right and will not be exclusive of any other right now possessed or hereafter acquired under any statute, provision of the certificate of incorporation, bylaw, agreement, vote of stockholders or disinterested directors or otherwise. Upon the approval of our board of directors, our Bylaws also permit us to purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any person required or permitted to be indemnified.

In addition, we have entered into indemnification agreements with our directors and officers that require us, among other things, to indemnify them against certain liabilities that may arise by reason of their status or service, so long as the indemnitee acted in good faith and in a manner the indemnitee reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of us, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, the indemnitee had no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful. We also maintain director and officer liability insurance to insure our directors and officers against the cost of defense, settlement or payment of a judgment under specified circumstances.

# Item 16. Exhibits.

Exhibit			Inc	orporation By	Reference	
Number	Exhibit Description	Form	SEC File No.	Exhibit	Filing Date	<b>Filed Herewith</b>
1.1*	Form of Underwriting Agreement					
2.1**	Agreement and Plan of Merger and Reorganization, dated as of April 10, 2024, by and among Eliem Therapeutics, Inc., Tango Merger Sub, Inc., Tenet Medicines, Inc. and, solely in his capacity as the Company Equityholder Representative, Stephen Thomas	8-K	001-40708	2.1	4/11/2024	
4.1	Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Registrant	8-K	001-40708	3.1	8/12/2021	
4.2	Amended and Restated Bylaws of the Registrant	S-1	333-257980	3.4	8/2/2021	
4.3	Securities Purchase Agreement, dated April 10, 2024, by and among Eliem Therapeutics, Inc. and the investors party thereto	8-K	001-40708	10.4	4/11/2024	
4.4	<u>Registration Rights Agreement, dated April 10, 2024, by and among Eliem Therapeutics, Inc. and the parties thereto</u>	8-K	001-40708	10.5	4/11/2024	
5.1	Opinion of Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP					Х
23.1	Consent of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP					Х
23.2	Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP					
23.3	Consent of Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1 filed herewith)					Х
24.1	Power of Attorney (included on the signature page of this registration statement)					Х
107	Filing Fee Table					Х
* То	be filed by amendment or by a Current Report on Form 8-K.					

\*\* Exhibits and/or schedules have been omitted pursuant to Item 601(a)(5) of Regulation S-K. The registrant hereby undertakes to furnish supplementally copies of any of the omitted exhibits and schedules upon request by the SEC; provided, however, that the registrant may request confidential treatment pursuant to Rule 24b-2 of the Exchange Act for any exhibits or schedules so furnished.

#### Item 17. Undertakings.

The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:

(a)(1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this registration statement:

(i) To include any prospectus required by Section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Act;

(ii) To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of this registration statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in this registration statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any increase or decrease in the volume of securities offered (if the total dollar value of securities offered would not exceed that which was registered) and any deviation from the low or high end of the estimated maximum offering range may be reflected in the form of prospectus filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, or the Commission, pursuant to Rule 424(b) if, in the aggregate, the changes in volume and price represent no more than 20 percent change in the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the "Calculation of Registration Fee" table in the effective registration statement; and

(iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in this registration statement or any material change to such information in this registration statement;

*provided, however*, that paragraphs (a)(1)(i), (a)(1)(ii) and (a)(1)(iii) do not apply if the information required to be included in a post-effective amendment by those paragraphs is contained in reports filed with or furnished to the Commission by the registrant pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or the Exchange Act, that are incorporated by reference in this registration statement, or is contained in a form of prospectus filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) that is part of this registration statement.

(2) That, for the purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at the time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

(3) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.

(4) That, for the purpose of determining liability under the Securities Act to any purchaser:

(i) each prospectus filed by the registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b)(3) shall be deemed to be part of the registration statement as of the date the filed prospectus was deemed part of and included in the registration statement; and

(ii) each prospectus required to be filed pursuant to Rule 424(b)(2), (b)(5), or (b)(7) as part of a registration statement in reliance on Rule 430B relating to an offering made pursuant to Rule 415(a)(1)(i), (vii) or (x) for the purpose of providing the information required by Section 10(a) of the Securities Act shall be deemed to be part of and included in the registration statement as of the earlier of the date such form of prospectus is first used after effectiveness or the date of the first contract of sale of securities in the offering described in the prospectus. As provided in Rule 430B, for liability purposes of the issuer and any person that is at that date an underwriter, such date shall be deemed to be a new effective date of the registration statement to which that prospectus relates, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof; provided, however, that no statement made in a registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement will, as to a purchaser with a time of contract of sale prior to such effective date, supersede or modify any statement that was made in the registration statement

or prospectus that was part of the registration statement or made in any such document immediately prior to such effective date.

(b) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes that, for purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each filing of the registrant's annual report pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Exchange Act (and, where applicable, each filing of an employee benefit plan's annual report pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act) that is incorporated by reference in this registration statement shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

(c) Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the registrant pursuant to the indemnification provisions described herein, or otherwise, the registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-3 and has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Wilmington, State of Delaware, on July 12, 2024.

#### ELIEM THERAPEUTICS, INC.

By: /s/ Aoife Brennan

Aoife Brennan, M.B., Ch.B., President, Chief Executive Officer and Director

# SIGNATURES AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

We, the undersigned officers and directors of Eliem Therapeutics, Inc. hereby severally constitute and appoint Aoife Brennan, M.B., Ch.B. and Andrew Levin, M.D., Ph.D., and each of them singly, our true and lawful attorneys-in-fact with full power to any of them, and to each of them singly, to sign for us and in our names in the capacities indicated below the Registration Statement on Form S-3 filed herewith and any and all amendments (including post-effective amendments) to said Registration Statement, and generally to do all such things in our name and on our behalf in our capacities as officers and directors to enable Eliem Therapeutics, Inc. to comply with the provisions of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and all requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys, and each of them, or their substitute or substitutes, shall do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this Registration Statement has been signed below by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
/s/ Aoife Brennan Aoife Brennan, M.B., Ch.B.	President, Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	July 12, 2024
/s/ Andrew Levin Andrew Levin, M.D., Ph.D.	Executive Chairman of the Board of Directors (Principal Financial Officer)	July 12, 2024
/s/ Emily Pimblett Emily Pimblett	Chief Accounting Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)	July 12, 2024
/s/ Judith Dunn Judith Dunn, Ph.D.	Director	July 12, 2024
/s/ Liam Ratcliffe Liam Ratcliffe, M.D., Ph.D.	Director	July 12, 2024
/s/ Adam Rosenberg Adam Rosenberg	Director	July 12, 2024
/s/ Simon Tate Simon Tate	Director	July 12, 2024
/s/ Stephen Thomas Stephen Thomas, Ph.D.	Director	July 12, 2024

July 12, 2024

Eliem Therapeutics, Inc. PMB #117 2801 Centerville Road 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Wilmington, DE 19808-1609

# Re: <u>Registration Statement on Form S-3</u>

Ladies and Gentlemen:

This opinion is furnished to you in connection with a Registration Statement on Form S-3 (the "Registration Statement") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), for the registration of an aggregate of 36,798,329 shares of Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value per share (the "Shares"), of Eliem Therapeutics, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"). All of the Shares are being registered on behalf of certain stockholders of the Company (the "Selling Stockholders").

We are acting as counsel for the Company in connection with the registration for resale of the Shares. We have examined signed copies of the Registration Statement filed with the Commission. We have also examined and relied upon minutes of meetings of the stockholders and the Board of Directors of the Company as provided to us by the Company, stock record books of the Company as provided to us by the Company, the Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation and the Amended and Restated By-Laws of the Company, each as restated and/or amended to date, and such other documents as we have deemed necessary for purposes of rendering the opinions hereinafter set forth.

In our examination of the foregoing documents, we have assumed the genuineness of all signatures, the authenticity of all documents submitted to us as originals, the conformity to original documents of all documents submitted to us as copies, the authenticity of the originals of such latter documents and the legal competence of all signatories to such documents.

Our opinion below, insofar as it relates to the Selling Stockholders' shares being fully paid, is based solely on a certificate of the Chief Accounting Officer of the Company confirming the Company's receipt of the consideration called for by the applicable resolutions authorizing the issuance of such shares.

We assume that the appropriate action will be taken, prior to the offer and sale of the Shares, to register and qualify the Shares for sale under all applicable state securities or "blue sky" laws.

We express no opinion herein as to the laws of any state or jurisdiction other than the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP, 7 World Trade Center, 250 Greenwich Street, New York, New York 10007 Beijing Berlin Boston Brussels Derver Frankfurt London Los Angeles New York Palo Alto San Francisco Washington July 12, 2024 Eliem Therapeutics, Inc. Page 2

Based upon and subject to the foregoing, we are of the opinion that the Shares have been duly authorized and are validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable.

It is understood that this opinion is to be used only in connection with the offer and sale of the Shares while the Registration Statement is in effect.

Please note that we are opining only as to the matters expressly set forth herein, and no opinion should be inferred as to any other matters. This opinion is based upon currently existing statutes, rules, regulations and judicial decisions, and we disclaim any obligation to advise you of any change in any of these sources of law or subsequent legal or factual developments which might affect any matters or opinions set forth herein.

We hereby consent to the filing of this opinion with the Commission as an exhibit to the Registration Statement in accordance with the requirements of Item 601(b)(5) of Regulation S-K under the Securities Act and to the use of our name therein and in the related prospectus under the caption "Legal Matters." In giving such consent, we do not hereby admit that we are in the category of persons whose consent is required under Section 7 of the Securities Act or the rules and regulations of the Commission.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP WILMER CUTLER PICKERING HALE AND DORR LLP

# CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement on Form S-3 of Eliem Therapeutics, Inc. of our report dated March 28, 2024 relating to the financial statements, which appears in Eliem Therapeutics, Inc.'s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2023. We also consent to the reference to us under the heading "Experts" in such Registration Statement.

/s/ PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Seattle, Washington July 12, 2024

# CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

We consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement on Form S-3 of our report dated May 16, 2024, relating to the financial statements of Tenet Medicines, Inc., appearing in the Current Report on Form 8-K of Eliem Therapeutics, Inc. filed with the SEC on June 27, 2024. We also consent to the reference to us under the heading "Experts" in such Registration Statement.

/s/ Deloitte & Touche LLP

San Diego, California July 12, 2024

#### **Calculation of Filing Fee Tables**

Form S-3 (Form Type)

#### **Eliem Therapeutics, Inc.** (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

# Table 1: Newly Registered and Carry Forward Securities

	Security Type	Security Class Title	Fee Calculation or Carry Forward Rule	Amount Registered	Proposed Maximum Offering Price Per Unit Newly	Maximum Aggregate Offering Price Registered Securities	Fee Rate	Amount of Registration Fee	Carry Forward Form Type	Carry Forward File Number	Carry Forward Initial Effective Date	Filing Fee Previously Paid In Connection with Unsold Securities to be Carried Forward
Fees to Be Paid	Equity	Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value per share	Other	36,798,329(1)		-	0.00014760	\$36,174				
Fees Previously Paid			_	_		_						
					Carry	Forward Securities						
Carry Forward Securities		_		_		_		_				_
	Total Offering Amounts			\$245,076,871.14(2)	_	\$36,174						
	Total Fees Previously Paid						_					
	Total Fee Offsets						_					
	Net Fee Due							\$36,174				

(1) The shares of common stock will be offered for resale by the selling stockholders pursuant to the prospectus contained in the registration statement to which this exhibit is attached. The registration statement registers the resale of an aggregate of 36,798,329 shares of the Registrant's common stock. Pursuant to Rule 416 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), the shares of common stock being registered hereunder include such indeterminate number of shares of common stock as may be issuable upon stock splits, stock dividends, or other distribution, recapitalization or similar events.

(2) This estimate is made pursuant to Rule 457(c) of the Securities Act solely for purposes of calculating the registration fee. The maximum offering price per share and maximum aggregate offering price are based upon the average of the high and low sales prices of the Registrant's common stock on July 9, 2024, as reported on the Nasdaq Global Market.