

INTERNAL VACANCY

Job title : Production Scientist / Microbiologist
(12 to 18 month Fixed Term Temporary Contract)
Location: Camberley

Job Summary

The role of Production Scientist is a full time position reporting to the Senior Production Scientist. The Production Scientist is responsible for incoming QC inspection, for QC release testing of finished goods and for the routine preparation of raw materials and reagents to support kit production.

Main duties and responsibilities

- Perform incoming raw material, in-process reagent and final kit QC testing in a timely and compliant manner using approved protocols enabling production and release of product to schedule.
- Preparation of raw materials, intermediates and bulk reagents to support production or for supply to customers. Includes preparation of vaccines and other biological materials.
- Ensure strict adherence to all relevant work instructions, Quality procedures, H&S policies and Good Manufacturing Practice. Complete all records accurately and collate production documentation for processing by Production Manager.
- Responsible for completing assigned laboratory and other support tasks including cleaning and maintenance of area(s) and the routine calibration of equipment.
- Under general guidance carry out or support stability testing, equipment & process validation work, R&D project work etc. as required. Input into day-to-day task planning & scheduling.
- Make suggestions for, and participate in, process improvement programme to ensure continuous improvement of quality and efficiency within Production.

Qualifications and experience required

- Experience of working within laboratory or manufacturing environment, ideally in the medical device industry.
- An awareness of ISO13485 and GMP would be beneficial.
- Excellent attention to detail and good communication skills
- An optimistic and helpful attitude with a desire to getting tasks completed to schedule essential.
- Shows pride in work and areas of responsibility
- Good level of education and computer literacy.
- Life sciences degree preferred and a microbiology qualification highly desirable.

Hours of Work	37.5 hours per week
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For further information or to apply for this vacancy please e-mail Wendy Karban, Group HR Manager, wendy.karban@novacyt.co.uk