

# VACANCY

**Job title :** Production Scientist  
**Location:** Camberley, (Microgen)

**Job Summary**

The role of Production Scientist is a full-time permanent position reporting to the Lab Manager and focuses on supporting the manufacture of IVD products. The Production Scientist is responsible for incoming QC inspection, for QC release testing of finished goods and for the routine preparation of intermediates 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. Generate certificates of analysis and other QC documentation required by customers
- 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 GMP. Complete all records accurately and collate production documentation for processing by Production Manager. Input into SOP or other Quality document review and /or creation
- 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, complaint investigations, 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
- Any other lab duties or reasonable tasks required by Production Manager and/or Lab Manager

**Qualifications and experience required**

- Experience of working within laboratory environment, ideally in the medical device industry
- Good level of education, ideally BSc in scientific field or equivalent experience. Background in microbiology and/or experience within Biotec industry a significant advantage
- An awareness of ISO9001 / ISO13485 quality standards and ideally GMP
- Excellent attention to detail and good communication skills
- An optimistic and helpful attitude with a desire to get tasks completed to schedule essential.
- Shows pride in work and areas of responsibility
- General computer literacy

Hours of Work	37.5 hours per week
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