

# Supervisor, Specialty Pharmacy Triage Coordinator

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# **Summary**

The Supervisor, Specialty Pharmacy Triage Coordinator is responsible for the crucial last part of a patient's journey to fulfill the Novartis product that they have been prescribed. This role will manage a team of ten to twelve Specialty Pharmacy Coordinators (SPCs) who review the cases ready to be triaged for completeness and accuracy, collecting the elements that need to be included in the triage, and ultimately leveraging technology to triage and ensure receipt of the packet to the designated Specialty Pharmacy. This role will focus on supporting achievement of Key Performance Indicators (KPIs), Service Level Agreements (SLAs), productivity, quality, and customer service while helping SPCs access/utilize Contact Center technology and access knowledge/content to efficiently manage relevant patient prescription triages.

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# **About the Role**

# **Key Responsibilities:**

- Interviewing, hiring and supporting the training of Specialty Pharmacy Coordinators as needed
- Leading a team of 10-15 customer-facing SPCs, responsible for accurate and timely triage of patient's specialty prescription, including collecting and collating all necessary documentation required for the triage
- Monitoring and tracking the status of team's cases, ensuring that all necessary documentation is complete and up to date
- Identifying areas for process improvement and work with the specialty pharmacy team to implement enhancements
- Monitoring team performance, attendance, and quality to achieve service excellence and meet KPIs and SLAs
- Collaborating closely with Performance Excellence to monitor call and system performance of agents
- Identifying trends in team behavior and performance to guide coaching, training, and communication
- Regularly communicating with the team, along with the Manager, regarding policy changes, improvement opportunities, and procedures.
- Collaborating with various matrix partners internally and externally to ensure effective communication, collaboration, and coordination across teams, facilitating information flow for optimal job performance
- Supervising the identification and reporting of adverse events via the established Novartis systems as per applicable processes; and monitoring team performance of reporting adverse events

Education: High School Diploma required; bachelor's degree or above preferred

# **Essential Requirements:**

- Minimum of two years of Patient Services, Healthcare, or Contact Center experience
- One year of proven case management experience with specialty products
- One year of previous leadership of team building, inclusive of direct performance management and coaching experience
- Strong interpersonal, communication, influencing, analytical, and critical thinking skills with the ability to multi-task and effectively collaborate with various matrixed Novartis teams
- Understanding and experience working for or partnering with specialty pharmacies
- Experience working with data entry system(s), case management systems, computer software, and telephone/fax technology with the ability to manage multiple projects and consistently meet deadlines
- Experience working in a pharmaceutical or pharmacy contact center with prescription triage capabilities and services
- Knowledge of HIPAA, patient privacy, and other legal policies applicable to working in a patient support center

# **Desirable Requirements:**

- Pharmacy Technician Certification (CPhT) licensure preferred
- Knowledge of commercial copay programs, patient assistance programs and foundation support

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USA

Site

Arizona

Company / Legal Entity

U014 (FCRS = US014) Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation

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East Hanover, USA

Functional Area

Market Access

Job Type

Full time

**Employment Type** 

Regular

Shift Work

No

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