

Manufacturing Specialist

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USA

Summary

At Advanced Accelerator Applications, a Novartis company, we are committed to leading innovation in nuclear medicine and delivering the next generation of targeted radioligand therapy to cancer patients. We are looking for an experienced pharmaceutical professional with prior GMP and investigations experience to help us reach our ambitious goals.

As the Manufacturing Specialist, you will provide front line support to manufacturing, working with the production teams to ensure each batch is manufactured safely and in compliance with batch instructions and quality requirements. You will act as our Subject Matter Expert (SME) for product and process knowledge and will be the first point of contact for product and process related issues. You will drive investigations to true root cause and implement corrective and preventive actions.

About the Role

Key responsibilities:

- Manage and maintain manufacturing documentation including Master Batch Records, applicable SOPs, risk assessments, protocols, shipping documents, training materials, and other documentation.
- Technical writing/Reviewing to support manufacturing operations including but not limited to, Standard Operating Procedures (SOP), batch records and white papers.
- Collect data for ongoing process verification (OPV), support tracking and evaluation of product performance and implementation of CAPAs.
- Author and own investigations related to material transfer, isotope manufacturing, and packaging.
- Ensure processes remain inspection ready at all times. Support process optimization and new technology introduction for continued productivity improvement, as appropriate.
- Review validation protocols and reports. Support the execution of process validation and short-term improvement projects. Participate in assigned qualification/validation activities, as necessary.
- Provide guidance and support to production team through training and knowledge sharing.
- Demonstrate leadership capabilities and guide processes to closure/completion.
- Facilitate a “speak up” culture and ensure all cGMP compliance activities are followed.
- Participate in periodic mandatory overtime to ensure process continuity and completion.

Essential Requirements:

- Bachelor's degree in Engineering, Pharmacy, Pharmaceutical Technology, Chemistry or relevant experience in lieu of degree, and 3 years' experience in a process support shop floor role in GMP manufacturing and/or QA/QC.
- Strong awareness of quality issues. Compliance investigations experience required.

- Good understanding of manufacturing and validation requirements and activities.
- Ability to utilize new technology and techniques to eliminate non-value adding activities and improve productivity / performance through new processes.
- Proficient in MS Office applications.

Desirable Requirements:

- Training in radiochemistry or radio pharmacy is preferred.
- Knowledge of cGMP regulations and FDA guidance applicable to radioligand therapy or isotope manufacturing.

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USA

State

Indiana

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Functional Area

Technical Operations

Job Type

Full time

Employment Type

Regular

Shift Work

No

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