

In Norbrook we pride ourselves in being one of the top companies in Northern Ireland and one of the top veterinary pharmaceutical companies globally. We develop & manufacture veterinary medicines, supplying products to 120 countries globally. With a strong portfolio of existing products and significant investment in R&D to launch new products annually, we have opportunities for individuals to join us and develop their career in a global company.

Our business strategy is supported by our Values – Customer Value, One Team, Results Driven, Excellence, Innovation, and Quality – and we support our employees to live the behaviours that creates our culture. Our on-going success is based on the expertise, knowledge and innovation of our employees. If you are interested in joining our team here at Norbrook and supporting our vision, then apply for this role.

QA Manager

Job Overview

Applications are invited for the position of **QA Manager** based in Norbrook Manufacturing Limited, Monaghan. The successful candidate will be responsible for ensuring that all manufacturing, testing, packaging and warehousing activities performed in Norbrook Monaghan are in accordance with site SOPs and in compliance with cGMP.

This is an opportunity to lead a team to drive continuous improvement with regards to QA systems and processes in Monaghan.

Main duties and activities

- Ensuring that all activities performed in Norbrook Monaghan are in accordance with site SOPs and in compliance with cGMP.
- Participate in daily and weekly Pyramid Team and Operational meetings for allocated Production Areas and implementation of action plans.
- Investigating, documenting and responding to customer complaints in accordance with approved procedures.
- Investigating, reviewing and authorising deviations and OOS in accordance with approved procedures.
- Participating in Customer and Regulatory Audits and implementation of associated corrective and preventative actions.
- Carryout investigations arising from Quality Concerns.
- Management of the Quality Metrics associated with Operations including trending and analysing quality data and identify areas for improvement.
- Conduct self-inspections and supplier audits.
- Review and authorisation of all Standard Operating Procedures relating to Monaghan.
- Review and QA approver on all change controls relating to Monaghan.
- Review and QA approval of all validation documentation relating to Monaghan.

- Review and QA approval of all calibrations certificates and non-compliances relating to Monaghan.
- Implement robust quality systems and identify continuous improvement projects within the manufacturing environment.
- PCR and SPRS issuance and reconciliation.
- Assist in closing out comments from review of PCRs and SPRSs.
- Collection of retention samples and transfer to retention store in Newry.
- Ensure that line clearance is performed by trained personnel or perform line clearance, when required.
- Ensure that batches for dispatch are QP certified and appropriately labelled.
- Perform GMP training/retraining, as required.

Essential Criteria:

Applicants must therefore demonstrate the following essential criteria on their application form in order to be considered:

- Minimum Education: Leaving Certificate standard or other national equivalent.
- Minimum 5 years in a Quality role.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills.
- Excellence knowledge of GMP and Quality Management Systems.
- Excellent attention to detail and highly organised.

Desirable Criteria:

Due to the nature of the role preference will be given to applicants demonstrating the following desirable criteria:

- Third level qualification in Science, Engineering or Pharmacy
- Experience of managing a team and/or project leadership
- Experience of packaging operations

Duration: Full Time, Permanent

Location: Monaghan

Additional Information:

- Applicants should be able to provide proof that they have a right to work in Ireland at the time of their application. Applicants who are unable to provide this proof will not be considered.
- We regret that applications received after the closing date and time will not be accepted.

Benefits:

- Free Life Assurance
- Company Pension Scheme
- Healthcare cash plan
- 31 days annual leave
- Wedding Leave
- Company Sick Pay
- Employee well-being initiatives
- Employee Assistance Programme
- On-site free parking
- Employee Perks scheme
- Discounted Car Insurance
- Annual Employee raffle
- Employee Recognition scheme
- Career development opportunities

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