

Sr. Microbiologist Montague, MI

Tower Laboratories, a pharmaceutical manufacturer in the effervescent business for over 40 years, is seeking an experienced Microbiologist to independently conduct and manage microbiological testing on raw materials and finished products in our Montague, MI facility.

Ideal candidate will have experience in all aspects of independently running a microbiology lab in similar industry of dietary supplements, food and/or pharmaceuticals. See additional qualifications below.

POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Perform accurate microbiological testing of raw materials, in-process samples, and finished products, including stability/stress testing, using instrumental analytical and physical analytical methods and techniques.
- Document, review, evaluate and investigate analytical results, including the reporting and investigation of deviating results.
- Report all observations and data in a timely manner, meeting specified deadlines.
- Independently conduct validation studies and microbiological and analytical/ QA work required to support them.
- Participate in QA/QC method development and improvement work as assigned.
- Supportive product complaint chemical and analytical/ QA work as assigned.
- Adhere to established validated methods and company procedures in performing all tests.
- Adhere to cGMP, Good Laboratory Practices and other regulatory procedures.
- Assist in the creation, review and approval of Tower's various QA/QC and technical documents regarding SOPs, validations, operations and other QC/ R & D studies as required and requested.
- Assist in the instruction and training of QA/QC and other technical personnel as requested.
- Conduct laboratory housecleaning and upkeep; assist in retain storage and distribution to promote a safe and orderly work area that customers will view as a representation of a quality operation.
- Observe and practice all company safety procedures in performing duties.

POSITION QUALIFICATIONS:

 Minimum 5yrs. microbiology laboratory experience with increasing responsibility in related industry

- BS in Microbiology
- Proficiency with all types of microbiological lab equipment and standard microbiology testing techniques
- Ability to identify, source and assist in the installation of required microbiology laboratory equipment
- Self-starter and independent worker with strong commitment to Quality and Compliance
- Strong analytical and troubleshooting skills
- Experienced in developing and writing procedures, performing methods development and validation
- Strong team player with ability to communicate effectively both verbally and in writing
- Must be able to successfully pass pre-employment screenings of drug test and criminal background check

This medium sized company is headquartered in Centerbrook, Conn., and offers a friendly, dynamic working environment with a competitive benefit package including 401(k) with company match. Tower Labs is a Socially Responsible employer and a great place to work!

Qualified candidates may submit resume and cover letter to: hr@towerlabs.com