

CMO Operations Specialist - screening & selection of CMO/CDMO's

- **Do you want to benefit from your skills within production/process support in new CMO settings?**
- **Are you interested to be part of a CMO department that plays a central role in an ambitious vaccine company?**
- **Do you like to work as a link between internal and international external stakeholders?**

About the job

As a result of an increasing demand for vaccines and the growth of the global vaccine manufacturing activities Bavarian Nordic wants to strengthen their CMO support team with a new CMO Operations Specialist. The CMO Support Organization plays a central role in Bavarian Nordic and is responsible for selection and assessment of CMO's, implementation incl. contract negotiation and Life Cycle Management processes, monitoring and controlling of their contracts and license manufacturing of products (DS and DP) to both internal production, external production, and packaging directly to market.

Your primary focus will be on the screening phase, coordinating the selection process and making sure that the activities are executed in accordance with the project plans. Besides you will be working across the department on several different projects.

Primary tasks

- Review requests with internal stakeholders from Drug Substance and Development
- Screen and assess the market for task specific CMO/CDMOs based on internal requests
- Initiate contact to CMO/CDMO both in writing and phone calls
- Coordinate and set up meetings with CMO/CDMO's and internal Stakeholders (DS/Development)
- Handle daily Operations of CMO production activities including handling of Change Control, Deviations, and document review
- Ensure efficient and structured meetings and sharing the right information through the whole selection and approval process

About you

You hold a master's degree within natural sciences - Engineering, Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Pharmacy or similar. Together with min. 3 years of experience from a production support role where you have gained some insight into various manufacturing processes, e.g., DS, DP, QA, RA, Filling line, Packaging in a cGMP environment. Understanding of authorities' expectations to DS and DP manufacturing and/or knowledge of CMO environment will be a benefit. Besides very good communication skills in English and some understanding of the Danish language.

You thrive with a lot of contact both internally with Manufacturing and Development as well as with external CMO companies. Hereby using your professional knowledge and your high drive. You are structured and well organized with a good helicopter view and feel comfortable with running processes independently. You are motivated for taking the lead in planning and organizing a project team to ensure important information is shared with key stakeholders and deadlines are met.

Bavarian Nordic offers

You will become part of an international company where "Protecting lives every day" is an essential part of the DNA offering unique technologies and with a vision to become one of the largest pure play vaccine companies. You will also become part of the newly established, highly skilled CMO Support team with very engaged colleagues motivated to play each other strong. A job where you are offered a wide range of challenges and a great freedom to take initiatives in a dynamic and continuously changing environment.

About the company

At Bavarian Nordic, they aspire to save and improve lives by developing innovative vaccines that are designed to unlock the power of the immune system. They are a global leader in smallpox vaccines and our commercial product portfolio contains market-leading vaccines against rabies and tick-borne encephalitis as well as an Ebola vaccine. Their late-stage pipeline comprises a novel COVID-19 vaccine for boosting existing immunity and a vaccine against respiratory syncytial virus (RSV), for which no approved vaccines exist today.



They have the ambition of becoming one of the largest pure play vaccine companies by excelling in R&D innovation, manufacturing, and commercialization, and are looking for more talent to help drive the change. Come on board their journey and let's change more lives, together.

Application

Kluck Search is responsible for the recruitment process. Feel free to contact Els Kluck at +45 5059 6901 for more information about this exciting role. Please send your application and CV to ek@klucksearch.dk. All applications will be handled with confidence.