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# **QC Analyst, Cell-Based Methods**

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### Summary

This role will support activities within the Quality Control department, with a focus on cell-based methods such as Adventitious Agents, rcAAV, potency, etc. This role will utilize laboratory skills to test and measure product or materials while ensuring that analysis is performed according to established Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs), QC Methods & current Compendia. This role is based 100% on-site.

Location: Durhan, NC #LI-Onsite Shift: 1st, some weekend work may be required

## About the Role

#### **Responsibilities:**

- Executes routine and non-routine analysis, may include, but not limited, to cGMP release and characterization testing using techniques including but not limited to cell-based methods (potency, AA), PCR (ddPCR, qPCR), Immunoassays (ELISA), chromatography (HPLC-UV, HPLC-ELSD, HPLC-MS), AUC, compendial assays (Bioburden, pH) and electrophoresis (CE, Western Blot).
- Responsible for limited range of laboratory support functions and procedures as assigned, developing capability in basic technical skills, disciplines, and procedures within assigned discipline area(s).
- May be assigned to specific disciplines, but will support all necessary laboratory and assay functions, including housekeeping, safety, logbook/equipment use and maintenance, and updates to existing operating procedures.
- Capable of delivering to assigned work schedule with attention to detail and accuracy.
- Notifies management and initiates events (such as Laboratory Investigations) in the quality systems, with guidance from senior analysts or management.
- Assist in special projects on analytical and instrument problem solving by execution of assay.
- Gain familiarity with basic process improvement methodologies, learning and applying concepts of lean lab and six sigma that are applicable to the QC lab environment.
- Other related job duties as assigned.

#### **Requirements:**

- Bachelor's degree in scientific disciplines such as Biochemistry, Biology, Microbiology or related field.
- Learns to use professional concepts.
- Applies company policies and procedures to resolve routine issues.
- Ability to communicate and work in a team environment.
- Normally receives detailed instructions on all work.

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