

Pharmacoepidemiologist

Our Global Pharmaceutical client is seeking a recent PhD graduate from the department of epidemiology

Job type: 14 month contract (maternity leave coverage)

Location: North York

The primary role of a GPE Pharmacoepidemiologist is to provide pharmacoepidemiology support to marketed and investigational products.

More specifically, a Pharmacoepidemiologist designs and leads implementation of pharmacoepidemiological studies, and provides pharmacoepidemiological support within GPE (GSO etc.) and to other functions within the company.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Pharmacoepidemiological studies and observational post-authorization safety studies (PASS)

- Lead the development of pharmacoepidemiological studies and observational PASS including their design, conduct and interpretation in close collaboration with functions as needed (e.g. GSO, regulatory, statistician, clinical operations, affiliates)
- Liaise with the other pharmaceutical companies and industry associations regarding collaborative studies as needed (e.g. Joint PASS)
- Liaise with external pharmacoepidemiology experts as needed

Pharmacoepidemiology support to GPE safety analysis activities

- Conduct epidemiological literature review and/or analysis for signal evaluation and interpretation
- Prepare the pharmacoepidemiologic section of the Risk Management Plan(s) pertaining to drug/vaccine safety and formulate pharmacoepidemiology studies/action plan as appropriate
- Prepare responses to questions to health authorities regarding pharmacoepidemiology (epidemiological literature or epidemiological studies)
- Benefit-Risk Analysis: advise on and conduct quantitative B/R methodology and analysis

Management of pharmacoepidemiological data

- Identify and determine efficient data collection approaches and data sources relevant for the questions being investigated

Pharmacoepidemiology Expert

- Be a point of contact and expert for pharmacoepidemiological support in the company notably:
 - within GPE for Global Safety Officer, PV scientist, Risk Management Expert and Signal Management Expert for other functions such as Global Medical Affairs, CSU, Regulatory Affairs and HEOR

Keep abreast of changes in the regulatory, medical, scientific environment with respect to pharmacoepidemiological practices

Participate in internal or external working groups requiring pharmacoepidemiology expertise

- working groups for process improvement
- working groups for innovative methods development

QUALIFICATIONS

- PhD degree or Sc degree from an accredited graduate department of epidemiology or
 - MD degree/pharmD degree/DVM degree with graduate training in Epidemiology or other public health.
 - Relevant experience in epidemiological research.
 - In depth knowledge of pharmacoepidemiology methods and data sources.
 - Capability to clearly communicate complex epidemiologic issues to both the scientific community and the general public.
 - Written and verbal communication proficiency in English, including the presentation of data.
 - Demonstrated ability to formulate investigational plan and capability to work in crisis situations.
 - Teamwork, excellent interpersonal skills and proven time management skills.
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From: Diana Grodowski <d.grodowski@brunel.net>

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I wanted to connect as I am working for my client Sanofi <http://www.sanofi.ca/> and they would like a recent (even upcoming) PhD graduate to join the team for a 14 month contract role supporting the North York location.

They would like the candidate to start in May to assist with the overlap of the person leaving to go on maternity leave in June. Compensation is 75K. I was hoping you could point me in the right direction or have the ability to share with the upcoming graduating class.

Thanking you in advance,

Kind regards,

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