

Akston Biosciences has an immediate opening for a **Quality Control Associate I/II, Raw Materials**

**Title                    Quality Control Data Review Manager**

**Primary Duties**

- Perform independent review of quality control data, assay records, validation reports, and study reports for accuracy, scientific validity, and cGMP/GLP/ICH compliance
- Prepare Certificates of Testing and Certificates of Analysis for raw materials, Akston made materials, and in-process samples tested by Quality Control.
- Responsible for ensuring the maintenance of data integrity in the Quality Control laboratory
- Support Quality Control staff with respect to writing, updating, and reviewing protocols, SOPs and analytical reports to ensure they meet internal technical requirements, and GMP/ICH regulatory guidelines
- Assist in the management of outsourced in-process and release testing and results
- Confer with scientists to review and analyze scientific data, interpret test results, and compile results into assay or technical reports.

**Other Responsibilities & Skills**

- Theoretical and hands on familiarity with a variety of analytical methods such as ELISA, qRT-PCR, HPLC, cIEF, and CE-SDS.
- Knowledge of cGMP, GLP, and ICH guidelines
- Strong attention to detail
- Independently understand the technical and quality aspects of quality control projects
- Good organizational skills with the ability to adapt to changing priorities, to work both independently and within a team, to multi-task in a fast-paced and dynamic environment and to meet challenging timelines
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills

**Qualifications**

A bachelor's degree in Chemistry, Biology, Biomedical, Pharmaceutical Sciences or related field with 12+ years of work experience, a master's degree with 8+ years of work experience, or a PhD with 3+ years of work experience in the pharmaceutical or biotech industries required; GMP and/or GLP experience is required; Quality Control Laboratory experience strongly preferred.

**Experience**

The successful candidate shall:

- Have extensive experience in at least one of the following areas: review of data and analytical reports for accuracy and GMP compliance; writing technical reports, validation reports and SOPs; management of quality control activities such as stability studies, release and in-process sample testing.
- Have formal training and previous work experience in a cGMP or quality control

- Experience in performing analytical assays in one or more of the following analytical areas, preferably in a cGMP or QC environment, a plus: ELISAs (e.g, host cell protein, anti-drug-antibody, etc.), qRT-PCR, HPLC (SEC, RP-HPLC, analytical Protein A, etc.), or microbiological assays.
- Be familiar with common analytical programs (e.g., ChemStation or Empower, SoftMax Pro, etc.), Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint

**Compensation** Title and pay commensurate with skills and experience, eligibility for company benefit plans.

**Other** Must live within commuting distance of Beverly, MA.

**Company** Akston Biosciences leverages its novel fusion protein platform to develop and manufacture new classes of biologics, including autoimmune disease therapies, ultra-long-acting insulins, and vaccines. Akston has built a diverse pipeline of therapeutic candidates for use in both human and animal health.

Akston has an immediate opening for a **Quality Control Data Review Manager** position for the company located in Beverly, MA. For more information, see [www.akstonbio.com](http://www.akstonbio.com).

**Contact** Candidates should send CV and cover letter to [careers@akstonbio.com](mailto:careers@akstonbio.com)