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Education

Hamline University, St. Paul, Minnesota
BA, Biology, Criminal Justice

Experience

Manufacturing Technician Leiter's, Englewood, CO

November 2018-present

- Formulate pharmaceuticals following SOPs and FDA regulations
- Fill syringes, On Q pumps, IV bags, and vials in ISO 5 & 7 sterile clean room environment after passing sterile gowning and filling qualifications
- Perform cleaning in ISO 5, 7, and 8 environments as needed
- Ensure maintenance and calibrations are performed on equipment before use

Lab Technologist, Labcorp St Paul, MN

August 2017-August 2018

- Receive specimens for testing, evaluate specimens and test orders
- Perform complex extractions to prep samples for running on instrumentation
- Run samples and interpret results of QC and patient samples
- Maintain, calibrate, clean instrumentation, and perform maintenance as needed

Quality Control Technician II American Red Cross, St. Paul, MN

July 2016-August 2017

- Quality control all blood products collected by ARC by using hematology analyzer, microscope, and other tools to effectively test
- Manufacture platelet blood products within time restraints and under FDA regulations

Hospital Services Manufacturing Technician II American Red Cross, St. Paul, MN

November 2015-July 2016

- Order and send blood components to hospitals maintaining standard operating procedures
- Ensure safety, quality, identity, potency, and purity of blood products following regulations

Additional Experience

Server, Blake Street Tavern, Denver, CO

August 2018-Present

- Make drinks while ensuring excellent customer service through good communication

Volunteering

- Habitat for Humanity
- National Marrow Donor Program

Skills and Certifications

- Refined skills in Microsoft word, excel, powerpoint
- Learned and operated multiple computer data systems under HIPPA regulations