

# Sayed Ahmad

## **Manufacturing Supervisor - LivaNova**

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Authorized to work in the US for any employer

## Work Experience

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### **Manufacturing Supervisor**

LivaNova - Arvada, CO

September 2011 to April 2019

- Leads a team of 50+ associates across 8 functions to ensure organizational goals of Safety, Quality, Delivery and Cost are met.
- Implemented line balancing for two production teams. Balanced cycle times with takt. Increased shift productivity by 20%.
- Prioritizes resources, personnel and objectives to achieve site goals for production, quality and logistics.
- Directly responsible for training, coaching, disciplinary actions, performance reviews, and daily timecards.
- Developed innovative onboarding process geared to reduce turnover. Improved employee stick by 35%.
- Directly responsible for hiring and on-boarding of new operators, including temporary employees.
- Performs daily Safety and Quality audits

### **Senior Quality Control Specialist**

LivaNova - Arvada, CO

June 2010 to September 2011

- Established the quality control department. Led a team of XX quality control operators tasked with reducing product defects.
- Initiated Non-Conforming Product Reports, led daily product audits, identified best practices and created training modules to codify the quality program across all production areas.
- Drove Root Cause Counter Measure (RCCM) efforts to identify top customer complaints. Implemented five site-wide changes. Reduced complaints by 50% within one year.

### **Group Lead, LivaNova**

PTS - Arvada, CO

March 2008 to June 2010

- Led a production line consisting of 6 operators. Drove team performance to achieve site goals
- Performed supervisor tasks geared to develop the team through continuous improvement and training.
- Inspected product for adherence to quality standards for both production and packaging.
- Exceeded leadership expectations. Drove team to achieve 120% efficiency and zero customer complaints for two years.

## Education

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### **CCNA certification**

University of Colorado @ Denver - Charleston, SC  
1994 to 2004

## Skills

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Excel, Microsoft Office, training, Management, Inventory Control

## Additional Information

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- Manufacturing Supervisor with a proven track record of highly successful strategic and tactical execution of Continuous Improvement, Quality Control, and Inventory Management. Well versed in Lean Manufacturing to achieve the organization's stretch goals within the Total Manufacturing/ Operations process. I have additional experience in the LivaNova Business System and Value Stream mapping.

### ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Strong written and verbal skills • Kanban/Inventory Management
- Good Documentation Practices (GDP) • Good Manufacturing Practices (GMP)
- Root Cause Analysis • 6S
- Kaizen lead • MSDS
- CPR/First Aid Trainer - not currently certified • Regulatory affairs