



Supply Chain Leader

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Description

HemoSonics, LLC is seeking a leader of Supply Chain who will be responsible for the overall planning, execution and management of the Supply Chain function, to include: Forecasting, Scheduling, Production Planning, Procurement, Warehouse and Distribution.

The successful candidate will thrive in a small, fast-paced company environment and have experience in a regulated industry, preferably with *in vitro* diagnostics.

Key Attributes of the Successful Candidate:

- Must be able to strategically plan for the company's future while simultaneously executing tactical requirements of daily operations
- Demonstrated leadership skills
- Working knowledge of GMP/FDA/ISO environments and requirements
- The natural tendency to be proactive with a sense of urgency and prompt execution
- Technical/engineering knowledge or aptitude strong enough to be able to discuss design features/changes with external contacts
- Familiarity with factory automation and factory capital
- Strong negotiation skills
- Strong interpersonal skills and the ability to collaborate cross-functionally
- High level of personal and professional integrity

Key Responsibilities:

- Maintain service levels in line with company objectives
- Manage sourcing and purchasing strategies aimed at reducing cost, minimizing risk and optimizing business processes
- Negotiate with vendors for the purchase of materials, supplies, equipment and services used by the company
- Maintain robust procurement system and establish (or ensure compliance with already-established) policies and procedures that protect the company and provide strong internal controls
- Minimize interruptions to production schedules through effective parts and materials procurement
- Establish and monitor supplier schedules
- Build strong supplier relationships and serve as main point of contact for all suppliers, staying up-to-date on open orders, statuses, purchase volumes, changes in design/technology, contact information etc.
- Direct all aspects of shipping, receiving, warehousing, and distribution



- Ensure Supply Chain policies and procedures are followed and maintained in accordance with ISO certification and all state and federal regulations
- Ensure Production planning activities are effective and optimize the product mix, headcount, capital resources, and material
- Support major system, product and IT implementation
- Work with the Commercial Sales organization to develop forecasts for new and existing products.
- Lead the analysis of key trends/issues in supply and cost of ownership and prepare market analysis reports
- Participate in the development of specifications for equipment, products, components, or substitute materials

Education and Experience Required:

- A minimum of a Bachelor's degree in Business or Engineering or related discipline, and 8-10 years' related experience, with at least 5 years in medical device/FDA/highly regulated environment
- Experience setting strategic direction for Procurement and/or other Supply Chain dept/function
- Experience with ERP systems, selection and implementation experience a plus
- APICS/ISM certification preferred
- Experience working in a start-up/small company environment a plus

The position is based in Durham, NC.

To apply, please email your cover letter, resume and salary requirements to:
careers@hemosonics.com

HemoSonics, LLC is an equal opportunity employer. All applicants will be considered for employment regardless of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, veteran or disability status.