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Nestlé Health Science was created in 2011 by Nestlé, the leading food and beverage company. We are a unique health science company focused on advancing the role nutrition plays in changing the course of health for consumers, patients and healthcare professionals. Focused on delivering quality-of-life benefits through nutritional solutions, we harness scientific and clinical advances to improve health through managed nutrition. Behind our pioneering company are 3,000 people around the world who are driving breakthroughs and innovating for impact. With a global presence in about 50 markets, we invite you to impact the future of health and your career with us.

We offer you:

- Great comprehensive benefits package including Health and Dental benefits that start on day one.
- Excellent training and development programs as well as opportunities to grow within the company.
- Comprehensive Total Rewards Package and Company Matched Retirement Plan.

Position Snapshot

Business areas: Nestlé Health Science (NHSc)

Job title: Regulatory Affairs Manager

Location: Head office, North York, ON

Position Summary

As the Regulatory Affairs Manager, you will represent the Regulatory Affairs team on assigned projects, while owning the implementation of Canadian and Nestlé requirements across your products. In this role, you will proactively collaborate as a business partner to ensure compliant formulas, labels and product-related communications by applying your regulatory knowledge and by building relationships to advance business opportunities. You will be responsible for assuring, along with all relevant functions, the delivery of safe and compliant products, and transparent communications for consumers and healthcare professionals. These key contributions will help maintain trust in our brands and in our relationships within, and outside of, Nestlé. You will participate in interactions with regulatory authorities to seek guidance on, plan for, and expedite the approval of submissions with highly competitive positioning. You will enable positive outcomes when you share your passion and knowledge to build the regulatory foundation of the cross-functional team. Our success will be measured by how you help the team deliver Innovation and Renovation that meets or exceeds all standards and project timelines.

A day in the life of...

As a Regulatory Affairs Manager, you will be a Regulatory Affairs professional assuring that your deliverables progress for your projects. Your days offer multiple opportunities to develop and demonstrate your leadership skills and act as a solution-focused subject matter expert for the cross-functional team. Your voice will be critical to ensure the regulatory compliance of formulations, raw materials and finished products, labels, product communications, and that regulatory changes in the market are implemented based on Nestlé global standards and local regulations.

You will also:

- Act as business partner to all relevant functions, (*i.e.* Marketing, Medical Affairs, Technical Applications, Quality, R&D, Technical Packaging, and US and Global counterparts) providing clear boundaries, guidance on where to operate, and constructive options that move the business forward.
- Execute reviews and approvals for flawless workflow in formula and label development during Innovation and Renovation projects, providing collaborative and creative regulatory contributions.
- Prepare and steward regulatory submissions for authorization by engaging with health authorities through meetings, teleconferences and emails to launch new products, ingredients, claims and conduct post-approval activities. Prepare responses to health authority requests and apply valid scientific rationales to facilitate positive assessments, approvals and expedite timelines.
- Monitor the external regulatory environment for emerging issues or trends that may impact the business and notify the team. Identify, communicate and respond to issues related to assigned platforms, projects or products. Provide functional expertise to inform and consult with the regulatory lead on issues and crisis management.

- Participate in industry working groups. Participate in discussions with local authorities on specific topics.
- Analyse complex regulatory frameworks for assigned areas and conceptualize regulatory opportunities for product development at early stages through knowledge of regulatory trends and new regulatory developments.

What will make you successful?

- University degree in Life Sciences or related area (e.g. nutrition, biochemistry, pharmacology, food science, law). A graduate degree, or a post-graduate Diploma or Certificate from a Regulatory Affairs program are assets.
- At least 5 years' experience in regulatory affairs in highly regulated categories of food, natural health products and/or over-the-counter drugs covering product development and commercialization.
- At least 3 years' experience in natural health products with demonstrated success in the preparation of Product License Applications, the management of submissions, and with pre- and post-licensing activities. Class III PLA experience is required.
- The ability to review scientific literature, write safety and efficacy rationales, and leverage multiple scientific and regulatory databases.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills including the ability to present information and contribute ideas in small and large groups.
- Highly experienced knowledge of regulatory (theory and practice) across different business categories. These categories must include highly regulated food or health products; and may include food for special dietary use, infant formula, natural health products or over-the-counter drugs.
- Demonstrated influencing, negotiation and relationship management skills.

What you need to know

If you are interested in this position, go to <https://www.nestle.com/jobs> -> search jobs -> Canada, Nestle Health Science -> click on "Regulatory Affairs Manager" or use this link:
<https://career2.successfactors.eu/sfcareer/jobreqcareer?jobId=75986&company=nestleHRprdBX>

Nestlé is an equal opportunity employer committed to diversity and inclusion. If you are selected to participate in the recruitment process, please inform Human Resources of any accommodations you may require. Nestlé will work with you in an effort to ensure that you are able to fully participate in the process.

The closing date for applications is **November 12, 2020**. We will be considering applicants as they apply, so please don't delay in submitting your application.

Please note; Education Verification, Reference Checks and Criminal Background Checks will be administered on suitably qualified candidates.

We thank you for your interest in this opportunity; however only those individuals selected for an interview will be contacted.