



**QLT Inc.**

New Products  
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## Manager, Toxicology (13 Months)

**LOCATION:** Vancouver, British Columbia

**QLT Inc.** is an ocular-focused company dedicated to the development and commercialization of innovative ocular products that address the unmet medical needs of patients and clinicians worldwide. We are focused on developing our synthetic retinoid program for the treatment of certain inherited retinal diseases, developing our proprietary punctal plug delivery system, as well as U.S. marketing of the commercial product Visudyne® (which we co-developed with Novartis) for the treatment of wet age-related macular degeneration. For more information about QLT, visit our website at [www.qltinc.com](http://www.qltinc.com).

### **SUMMARY:**

Responsible for assisting in the coordination and oversight of nonclinical toxicology and TK/ADME needs for the company's development and research programs.

### **SPECIFIC ACCOUNTABILITIES:**

1. Manages the development and implementation of strategies, plans, procedures, standards, controls and related monitoring/reporting mechanisms to ensure the effective provision of nonclinical development testing required to support the development of new products as identified.
2. Under the guidance of the Director, Toxicology, develops protocols to meet program/project needs, GLP and/or other regulatory requirements.
3. Assists in the compilation and preparation of timely and concise toxicology reports and documentation for inclusion in submissions to various designated national and international regulatory agencies. As designated, makes presentations to internal and external groups to explain the rationale underlying approaches taken and studies conducted.
4. Serves as a team member and/or toxicology representative on development and research projects.
5. As designated, manages external contractors, study directors and consultants to support TK/ADME and toxicology.
6. Assists in the compilation of toxicology information and preparation of documentation for EMA, IND and CTA submissions.
7. Assists in due diligence assessments of potential partner companies and prepares reports of findings.
8. Prepares scientific documentation to support safety of products in lieu of conducting studies, when appropriate.
9. Maintains current knowledge of regulatory requirements and standard relating to toxicology testing.
10. Ensures that the responsibilities of the position are carried out in accordance with regulatory requirements and the Company's policies, empowerment and decision interaction requirements, operating/performance standards, and ethical and professional values.

11. Collaborates and interacts with others in a mutually supportive and cooperative manner that reinforces the concept that staff at all levels are expected to seek ways in which they can support and assist others to achieve expected results, as well as to be effective in their own accountability areas.

**REQUIREMENTS:**

1. A B.Sc., Biology with a minimum of 6 years of experience (M.Sc., Biology and 4 plus years experience preferred) directing toxicology studies in the pharmaceutical industry or within a contract research organization.
2. A proven ability to assemble and incorporate advice and input from others, both internal and external (i.e. contract research organization personnel), in the design of toxicology/TK/ADME studies.
3. An ability to think conceptually and creatively.
4. Excellent writing and oral presentation skills.
5. Proficiency with MS Office products (including Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Project).
6. Well developed organizational skills with a strong attention to detail.
7. A strong working knowledge of GLP and regulatory requirements.
8. An understanding of safety as it relates to drug development.

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We are an equal opportunity employer and invite applications from all qualified individuals.