

Quality Engineer Worthing, UK

Rayner is a leading developer and manufacturer of ophthalmic implants and pharmaceuticals; it specialises in intraocular lenses (IOLs) and related products used in cataract and refractive surgery. Since the development of the first IOL, Rayner has continuously pioneered IOL design with a goal to improve vision and restore sight worldwide. Today, Rayner's mission remains to deliver innovative and clinically superior ophthalmic solutions that respond to the expectations of our global customers to improve sight and quality of life for their patients.

Why work for Rayner?

Rayner is a unique place to work with its own special culture and people, who are all driven to provide the best visual outcomes for clinicians and patients. We are driven by science to improve performance and safety, and we commit ourselves to be a great partner and to be easy to do business with. Whilst our vision drives and guides what we do, it is our culture and the way we work as well as treat ourselves plus others that form the foundation of what we do. That's why at Rayner we strive to create a workplace where we live our values every day. We invite you to join us on our exciting journey!

Our Careers

Rayner is more than an IOL manufacturer. We have an entrepreneurial spirit that drives us to pursue our vision, supported by a dedicated team who share our beliefs – from research and development engineers to production, sales and support.

Being ambitious, focused, open, respectful and keeping our promises enable us to take on challenges that other businesses simply won't entertain, and it's those qualities we value and nurture in the people we work with. Rayner is also proud to be an equal opportunities employer.

Rayner has a broad portfolio of products across the patient pathway, including monofocal and premium Intraocular Lenses (IOLs), a full range of Ophthalmic Viscosurgical Devices (OVDs), a family of Ocular Surface Disease (OSD) solutions and RayPRO, our recently launched patient outcomes digital platform.

As the Quality Engineer, you will be responsible for managing and driving continuous improvement activities and defect reduction initiatives. In addition, you will be accountable for liaising with suppliers and drive quality improvements whilst assisting the Quality Engineering Manager and Head of Quality in the development, implementation and continual review of quality controls in QA and Production departments including receiving inspection processes and in-line manufacturing processes.

Your key responsibilities will be:

- To liaise with suppliers and drive quality improvements
- To manage and drive continuous/ process improvement activities and defect reduction initiatives
- To process Nonconformity, Planned Deviations and Supplier Activities
- To conduct CAPA investigations
- To act as QA representative for product and process change requests and validation protocols
- To perform product release activities
- To provide support for new product introduction
- To actively promote a Quality Culture
- Supporting new product and process development projects.
- Supporting the implementation of continuous improvement initiatives
- Supplier evaluation/approval/performance monitoring
- Be a point of contact in supplier audits, as well as conducting internal and external audits
- Non-conformity investigation, reporting and trending
- CAPA investigation, reporting and trending
- Change Control review
- Product release
- Environmental Monitoring
- Tracking/trending results from Goods Receiving Inspection, In-process and Batch Control activities
- Management of ad hoc investigatory projects

Experience:

Essential

- Proven track record of Process Improvements resulting in Cost/Efficiency/Time improvements within a manufacturing environment
- Degree, equivalent qualification or equivalent experience in a science, clinical or engineering background
- 2-3 years' experience in a Quality Engineering role
- Experience with Quality System concepts, practices and procedures (e.g. ISO:13485, CFR820).

Desirable

- Working knowledge of cGMP, FDA 21 CFR Part 820 QSR and ISO 13485 Medical Device Quality Management Systems

Please apply by sending an up-to-date CV & covering email to recruitment@rayner.com