



Since 2006 Echo Pharmaceuticals is devoted to develop novel medicines from the cannabis sativa. Extensive know-how and proprietary knowledge have resulted in a product portfolio with unique features in different therapeutic areas. Current clinical programs of Echo's products are entering clinical phases II and III. Echo develops and produces own products for clinical research.

Echo Pharmaceuticals is a multidisciplinary and versatile talented team in which quality, self-motivation, "can-do" attitude and teamwork are the key factors for success. Echo is in a growth stage and therefore, we are seeking for an ambitious candidate (M/F) with previous experience in the pharmaceutical industry:

## **PHARMACEUTICAL TECHNICAL MANAGER (FT)**

### **Job description:**

The Pharmaceutical Technical Manager will be responsible for safeguarding the quality of the products by leading the development and coordinating the production activities for the clinical trials. Directly reporting to the CEO, this position presents the right individual the opportunity to grow to director level.

### **Your responsibilities:**

- Manages day-to-day operations of multidisciplinary projects to ensure performance within the agreed timelines, budget and according to the required specifications
- supervises and monitors performance of Pharmaceutical Development team members and lead the projects
- Coordinates the activities within the Manufacturing and Quality Department to manage production schedules ensuring the highest quality standards, and safety issues
- Communicate with all relevant inter-company contacts: provide adequate information, consult the appropriate persons in case of problems and contribute to the decision making process
- supervise together with the Quality department CMOs and CLOs involved in development or production activities to ensure GMP compliance to Echo's products.
- Set up, manage and keep up-to-date the Production Files in accordance with the company SOPs and cGMP in such a way that any relevant information can be presented promptly during internal or external audits

### **Experience and Qualifications required:**

- HBO (Applied Sciences) or University degree in pharmacy, chemistry, life-science or related field
- Significant experience (minimum of 5 years) in the pharmaceutical Industry in the R&D and/or production department or equivalent experience
- Experience in project management role is preferred
- Understanding and hands-on working knowledge of ICH, Good Manufacture Practice (GMP) and Good Laboratory Practice (GLP)
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills in Dutch and English
- Concern for quality and accuracy; good project planning and time management skills, results-oriented, strong problem solving and analytical skills
- Reliable, flexible, stress resistant, ability to work with minimal supervision and good interpersonal skills

### **We offer:**

Full time position (40 hours/week)

Salary range € 35000 - € 45000 annual based on experience

30 Vacation days per annum and Pension Plan

### **Contact information:**

Send your curriculum vitae and motivation letter to Annet Butter ([annet.butter@echo-pharma.com](mailto:annet.butter@echo-pharma.com)). For more information, please visit our website ([www.echo-pharma.com](http://www.echo-pharma.com)) or contact Annet Butter (0294 – 457 733).