

# Quality Control Lead Microbiology & Aseptic Processes

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## Сводка

The QC Lead Microbiology & Aseptic Processes is responsible for ensuring compliance with cGxP standards within the area of responsibility (during development, transfer and commercialization), including safety testing, monitoring and trending.

Provide advice, support and leadership for the implementation of test methods, specifications and analytical standards.

Specific focus on Aseptic controls and sterility assurance in line with EU GMP Annex 1.

## About the Role

Deadline for applications: **24th of April 2026.**

### Major accountabilities:

- Lead the QC Microbiology and Aseptic Processes team, ensuring all laboratory activities are carried out in compliance with cGxP standards and internal quality requirements.
- Ensure timely testing of incoming samples and smooth daily lab operations by setting priorities, monitoring workflow, and resolving operational issues when needed.
- Manage staffing, team capacity, and training, making sure there are enough qualified people in place to complete all operational tasks effectively.
- Oversee stability management and key quality documents, including reviewing and approving protocols, SOPs, and analytical procedures, and keeping them up to date.
- Provide people leadership and coaching by mentoring team members, supporting their development, promoting company values, and building a motivated, accountable team culture.
- Manage the department's budget and financial targets, including headcount, supplies, external service invoicing, and planning for future investments and hiring.
- Ensure strong compliance and audit readiness by supporting inspections, handling deviations, contributing to investigations, and defining and implementing CAPAs.
- Promote safety, environmental responsibility, and continuous improvement, including risk reporting, support for HSE initiatives, process optimization, innovation, and new product launches.

### Obligatory Requirements:

- Education: Ideally Master's degree in a scientific field.
- Minimum 5 years of experience in the pharmaceutical industry, preferably in a GMP or GLP environment.
- Strong leadership skills with experience in coaching and guiding teams.
- Solid project management and coordination abilities.
- Effective stakeholder management and excellent communication skills.
- Strong problem-solving mindset with a focus on operational excellence.
- Able to work well under pressure and remain stress-resistant.
- Fluent in Dutch, with good verbal and written knowledge of English.

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BE13 (FCRS = BE013) Novartis Manufacturing NV  
Functional Area

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