ABOUT NEUROCRINE

Neurocrine Biosciences is a neuroscience-focused, biopharmaceutical company with more than 25 years of experience discovering and developing life-changing treatments for people with serious, challenging and under-addressed neurological, endocrine and psychiatric disorders.

The company’s diverse portfolio includes FDA-approved treatments for tardive dyskinesia and endometriosis* and clinical development programs in multiple therapeutic areas including Parkinson’s disease, congenital adrenal hyperplasia and uterine fibroids*.

Headquartered in San Diego, Neurocrine Biosciences specializes in targeting and interrupting disease-causing mechanisms involving the interconnected pathways of the nervous and endocrine systems. For more information, visit neurocrine.com.

*in collaboration with Abbvie

ABOUT USC

The USC School of Pharmacy is the only private pharmacy school on a major health sciences campus, which includes the Keck School of Medicine, Keck Hospital of USC and the USC Norris Comprehensive Cancer Center and is immediately adjacent to the LAC+USC Medical Center, one of the largest public hospitals in the country.

Ranked by US News and World Report as a top ten pharmacy school nationwide and #1 among private schools, the USC School of Pharmacy is recognized for its century-old reputation for innovation in pharmaceutical education, clinical practice, and research. The School uniquely spans the entire spectrum of pharmaceutical development and clinical care – from drug discovery to regulatory approaches that promote safety and innovation, from delivery of patient care services to evaluating the impact of care on patient outcomes and costs.

With a history of “firsts” that includes the nation’s first Pharm.D. program (1950), first clinical clerkship program (1968), first Ph.D. in pharmaceutical economics (1990), and first professional doctorate in regulatory science (2008), the School holds an essential leadership role in the safe, efficient, and optimal use of medication therapy that can save lives and improve the human condition.
ABOUT OUR FELLOWSHIP

The one-year Medical Affairs Fellowship is designed to provide the trainee a broad understanding of the various roles and responsibilities within Medical Affairs. The fellowship will provide training activities that support company goals as well as developmental opportunities through broad-based hands-on experiences and mentorships that integrate them into several medical strategic initiatives. Upon completion of the program, the Fellow will be prepared for the challenges of a career in the pharmaceutical industry.

FELLOWSHIP OBJECTIVES

• Train as a core member of the Medical Affairs team to assist in providing accurate, fair-balanced, evidence-based information about Neurocrine approved and pipeline products to internal stakeholders and external customers.

• Collaborate with key internal stakeholders to support the development of educational materials based on Neurocrine therapies and disease states.

• Update and create standard response letters for Medical Information and manage escalated, complex inquiries.

• Identify team needs and data gaps and collaborate internally to help drive appropriate solutions and projects.

• Contribute to multidisciplinary teams and build relationships across departments and functions (e.g., health economics and outcomes research, regulatory, market access, clinical development, marketing, and compliance).

• Train in cross-functional teams to assist with the execution of the strategic publication plans.

• Gain insight into the various roles within Medical Affairs and other functional groups.

• Support the field medical team through various activities, training, and initiatives that are strategically aligned with key opinion leader (KOL) priorities.

• Gain Medical Science Liaison field experience.

• Develop, implement, and present a longitudinal research project.

• Serve as a rotation preceptor to pharmacy students.
APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- PharmD, MD or PhD in applicable field from an accredited university.
- Good oral and written communication skills, ethics, professionalism, leadership and an interest in the biopharmaceutical industry.
- Attendance and participation at interviews at the ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting are highly recommended.

Interviews at the ASHP Midyear meeting are limited and are granted on a competitive basis. Please apply for an interview by submitting your CV and letter of intent through the PPS portal.

Additional information is available at:
https://pharmacyschool.usc.edu/programs/fellowship

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