

Scientific Lead

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摘要

Working in partnership with the GMA and IMA colleagues, Medical Communications, and the Writing delivery team for a designated client group/therapeutic area (TA)/brand, this role will be responsible for delivering and supporting scientific excellence of Medical Communications services across their accounts.

The main responsibilities of the role are:

- Ensuring medical communications deliverables are aligned with assigned scientific goals and objectives.
- Ensuring written materials contain appropriate scientific statements and support learning objectives.
- Developing original content, leading faculty and client communications relating to scientific content of medical communications deliverables.
- Ensuring quality, scientific accuracy and integrity of assigned projects.
- Assisting colleagues to achieve medical communication objectives through creation and execution of scientific and educational materials.
- Training and mentoring of the Writing delivery teams on selected therapy areas.
 experienced writers.

About the Role

Location

This role is either based in Dublin (Hybrid office/home) OR UK (Homebased)

Major accountabilities:

Support for planning and execution of scientific communications for assigned franchises/TA or group of aligned TAs

- Oversees the delivery of colleague-requested support of medical/scientific communications plans and medical communications workshops for assigned franchises/TA or group of aligned TAs
- Leads the review of the medical/scientific communication plans with the stakeholders to ensure that requirements are met
- Collaborates with the internal Medical and Knowledge Solutions (MKS) team in developing plans and materials for, and participating in new business development meetings with existing and prospective clients
- Demonstrates ability to see the big picture and adds value by identifying the key/broad issues regarding client's product/brand
- Ensures MKS medical communication deliverables on assigned products/brand(s) are aligned with the product/brand scientific communication strategy and tactics

Therapeutic knowledge

- Oversees MKS medical communication content development for high-profile and scientifically complex therapeutic areas
- Demonstrates the ability to think creatively and applies extensive knowledge of assigned franchises/TA or group of aligned TAs
- Maintains thorough knowledge of key competitors (strengths, weaknesses, positioning, performance, etc.)
- Proactively and independently maintains knowledge on the product and/or therapeutic category
- Recommends and implements strategy-aligned and innovative medical communications solutions to meet needs
- Demonstrates ability to think about the scientific landscape that shapes a product and provides insights to wider team

Editorial and reviewing

- Responsible for the quality and scientific accuracy/integrity of projects
- Ensures written materials and slides meet product objectives and contain appropriate scientific statements and learning objectives
- Provides guidance and direction to writers/editorial project team
- Communicates key issues/initiatives to team accurately and in timely manner
- Detects/anticipates strategic inconsistencies or potential problems and develops solutions

Champions optimum collaboration and ways of working between MKS and the internal colleagues

 Leads by example in terms of working with the colleagues. Listens to and acts on improvement ideas, and translates into actionable service improvements

KPIs

- 100% compliance with legal regulations, industry codes and internal compliance standards
- Specific feedback: global teams as well as Regions and countries, on the efficacy and effectiveness of the service
- Level of service adoption. Measured by the number of additional activities being conducted outside of the agreed delivery framework
- Delivery of services in line with defined KPI targets to measure service quality and timeliness

Education

Minimum: Healthcare professional degree or degree in a healthcare-related field Desirable: Advanced degree (PhD, PharmD, MD) in life science/healthcare

Languages

- Fluent English (oral and written).
- Preferred: a second major European language.

Experience/professional experience

- At least 5 years 'experience of working with international Medical Communications for either an agency or in an internal role within the pharmaceuticals industry
- Experience in a wide array of Medical Communications activities, including, but not limited to, publications, slide decks, symposia, standalones, advisory board meetings, etc.
- Track record in developing Medical Communications plans
- Track record of working effectively in a matrixed organization and / or between complex structures between client and deliver teams
- Desired experience in digital solutions and innovation
- Experience in a multi-cultural work environment and international working
- Strong negotiations & stakeholder management skills

Leadership skills

- Ability to scope and lead content projects, manage internal and external resources and direct content projects through to completion; role models teamwork and collaboration skills
- Demonstrates excellent executive level verbal, written and presentation skills
- Anticipates and brings about change as needed; communicates change in a way that supports buy-in and long-term success
- Utilizes decision criteria such as cost, benefits, risks, timing, and buy-in; selects the strategy
 most likely to succeed with client(s)
- Solves issues, independently moderate conflicts with significant complexity and political sensitivity and influence senior management decisions

- Is sought out for advice and counsel; has proven credibility and cross-functional success
- Sets clear direction and priorities; mentors and coaches staff for improved performance
- Conveys credibility and maintains positive, professional image both internally and externally
- Demonstrates ability and willingness to assume a leadership/mentor role within the team
- Role models professional and positive qualities within the organization
- Ensures compliance and inspection /audit readiness. Is accountable that all associates in the team are adequately trained and comply with industry best practice (incl. GPP3) and internal guidelines/SOPs

Competencies

- Solution orientation
- Significant openness to piloting new ideas
- Comfort around higher management
- Conflict management
- Managing and measuring work
- Organizing
- Peer relationships
- Planning
- Politically savvy
- Drive for results
- Strategic agility
- Managerial courage
- Influencing
- Negotiation

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