

The Porterhouse Medical Group

The Porterhouse Medical Group is a scientific and medical communications network with a reputation for excellence. We work with some of the biggest pharmaceutical companies in the world, helping them to connect with a global audience of healthcare professionals and patients. We have seen continued growth over the past 15 years and recently secured new business wins on both a global and a national level. In 2016, Porterhouse Medical was recognised with the Queen's Award for Enterprise – the UK's highest accolade for outstanding achievement in business.

Medical Writer – Job Description

As a medical writer, your key responsibilities will include:

- Writing clear, grammatically correct, technical and creative medical/scientific text for a variety of audiences (e.g. healthcare professionals, pharmaceutical sales teams and patients)
- Ensuring the accuracy of all information, data and referencing for the publications/documents produced
- Ensuring projects remain within specification and liaising with clients to negotiate changes where necessary
- Being proactive in tracking projects and chasing comments from clients and authors as well as determining timelines
- Working on a variety of projects at the same time
- Learning and understanding new therapy areas quickly and comprehensively, inspiring confidence with the client

Desired Background and Skills

We are looking for the very best life sciences graduates in order to maintain our reputation as a first-class medical communications agency delivering scientific programmes of the highest quality. Specifically, we are looking for individuals with the following skills and qualifications:

- A bachelor's degree (2:1 or higher) in a life science (biological sciences, biomedical sciences or biochemistry, or a closely related subject) and a strong academic record; appropriate postgraduate qualifications will add to the strength of the application
- 1–2 years' experience in a pharmaceutical company or agency
- A strong work ethic and a solution-focused 'can do' attitude combined with intellectual curiosity and creativity
- A passion for medical communications and education
- The ability to work effectively in teams in a fast-paced, dynamic and creative environment

Applications

To apply, please send your CV and a covering letter to careers@porterhouse.biz for the attention of Jan Coetzee, Talent Manager.