

Construction Health and Safety Specialist

CD & Associates, Inc. has an excellent opportunity for the qualified candidate; we have an open Construction Health and Safety Specialist position supporting our ongoing construction management work at a Fortune 100 pharmaceutical manufacturing site in New Jersey.

CD & Associates, Inc. is a technical construction management firm specializing in life science and pharmaceutical applications. Each staff member excels in delivery of complex, active facility projects supporting a variety of business sectors, including Research & Development, OTC & Rx Manufacturing, Consumer Products, Medical Devices and Biotechnology.

CD & Associates' success is built on a technical, innovative, well organized but flexible approach to project delivery. We place heavy emphasis on the quality of our professional staff and the industry relationships we've built and continue to maintain. Our people-centric focus pushes each member of our team to engage and develop a cooperative, constructive, team-oriented approach to everything we're involved with.

The Health and Safety Specialist position is part of the EHS Department and will report to the Director of Health and Safety; the position will include work in the field at active construction sites and at regional client sites. The Health and Safety Specialist will work directly with Project Specialists and Superintendents in support of a proactive and robust contractor safety effort at pharmaceutical and life sciences facilities.

The position will be based in Central New Jersey with periodic travel to PA or DE.

Benefits include top-tier health coverage & 401K package.

Position Responsibilities Include:

- Review, tracking and administration of Job Safety Analyses.
- Administration of client specific hazardous work permit processes and logs.
- Completion of construction site safety and health audits.
- Research and interpretation of applicable safety related standards, guidelines and client procedures.
- Working with contractors and project teams to maintain best-in-class level of site safety performance.
- Collection, management and reporting of leading and lagging safety metrics.
- Maintenance of project specific JSA and Permit to Work logs.
- Attend weekly project review meetings.
- Review safety programs developed by the Contractor and, if necessary, provide recommendations for improvement.
- Document review and coordination for Project Management team.
- Manage 6-8 internal and third-party safety professional supporting projects.
- Participate in client specific construction safety committees and programs.
- Availability to work weekends

Required Competencies

- Self-motivated with ability to research and communicate applicable construction safety strategies to business partners and project teams.
- Ability to multi-task and be comfortable with involvement in multiple projects concurrently.
- Ability to deliver clear, concise verbal or written communications to a varied audience.
- Strong knowledge and understanding of construction means and methods; knowledge of pharmaceutical processes and systems is desirable.

Required Education and Training:

Bachelor of Science Degree in Occupational Health and Safety or equivalent field; relevant field experience and training in lieu of degree will also be considered.

Third party safety certification (CHST, COSS, CSP) preferred.

OSHA 510, Safety and Health Standards for the Construction Industry.

30-Hour Construction Safety Outreach Training.

40-Hour HAZWOPER Training.

Experience and Understanding:

At least 4-6 years of professional safety experience required, preferably in a construction, heavy industrial or pharmaceutical industry.

Knowledge of construction and/ or past direct construction experience preferred.

Required Skills:

Proficient in Word, Excel, PowerPoint, etc.

Knowledge of OSHA, NIOSH, ANSI and NFPA requirements and documentation.

Valid drivers' license and use of personal vehicle required.

Ability to pass a background check and pre-hire drug and alcohol screen.