

Financial Reporting & Accounting Manager

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Summary

This position will be located at the East Hanover, NJ site and will not have the ability to be located remotely.

The Financial Reporting and Accounting Manager role on the Record to Report (R2R) team is responsible for overseeing the accounting and reporting activities for Innovative Medicines (IM), Novartis Technologies LLC, The Medicines Company, RLT (Radioligand Therapy), and other acquisitions as they occur. Specific responsibilities would include being the "Subject Matter Expert" for all Finance Service Center ERP systems (SAP: PEP) and internal reporting tools (FCRS – Financial Consolidation & Reporting System, IBI, BPC, etc). Responsibilities would also include but not be limited to: month-end closings, financial reporting, balance sheet review / reconciliations. Will also work collaboratively between site personnel and Novartis Corporate Center (NOCC) in Mexico with respect to general accounting and reporting services.

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About the Role

Key Responsibilities:

- Leadership position in the Accounting & Reporting team responsible for divisional accounting issues including: select technical accounting, month-end closings, financial reporting, balance sheet review / reconciliations and liaison with internal and external auditors.
- Subject Matter Expert for ERP related systems (SAP: PEP) and for reporting tools (FCRS, IBI, BPC, etc.).
- Lead month end closing reporting process ensuring high quality financial statement footnote disclosures, highly accurate management reporting results and refines process for efficiency.
- Technical accounting summaries and applying observations to operational issues in compliance with International Accounting Standards (IAS) and the Novartis Accounting Manual (NAM).
- Interact proactively with functional areas in the IM division and Group to ensure appropriate accounting and financial reporting is accomplished.
- Prepare or review Balance Sheet Review Packages for select entities.
- Complete and review account analysis and account reconciliations.
- Oversight of ongoing royalty revenue streams and agreements with third parties.
- Month-end financial closing and reporting process, as well as quarterly Subsidiary accounting requirements.
- Responsible for the delivery of service levels and SLA/KPI targets for Accounting & Reporting functions.
- Collaborate with key stakeholders, including divisional business colleagues, both internal and external
 accounting authorities/auditors, and Division and Group Financial Reporting and Accounting, Novartis
 Global Service Center (NGSC) in Mexico, and ensure appropriate communication with these

- stakeholders when questions regarding accounting/reporting matters arise.
- Ensure all processes performed comply with Novartis standards and policies (i.e. global processes, Novartis Accounting Manual, Novartis Financial Controls Manual, Management Authorization Levels, etc.).

Essential Requirements:

- Bachelor's degree required; degree subject area in Business Administration/ Accounting/Finance and/or MBA desirable
- 5+ years of relevant Accounting/Financial experience, with in-depth functional expertise; demonstrated ability to work effectively in accounting & reporting focused roles
- Previous experience in managing Financial Services
- Excellent Excel skills
- Strong process design experience with demonstrated ability to organize high volume and complexity of activities into streamlined process
- Comprehensive knowledge of IFRS (GAAP), accounting and financial reporting requirements
- Experience of managing projects driving performance (e.g. ERP implementation)
- Good people skills, leadership exposure, along with strong communications skills

Desirable Requirements:

- Certified Public Accountant (CPA), CMA, or Chartered Accountant preferred; Lean/ Six Sigma Certified a
 plus
- Solid depth and expertise in SAP knowledge and/or expertise in FCRS, IBI, BPC

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Division

Finance

Business Unit

CTS

Location

USA

State

New Jersey

Site

East Hanover

Company / Legal Entity

U061 (FCRS = US002) Novartis Services, Inc.

Functional Area

Audit & Finance

Job Type

Full time

Employment Type

Regular

Shift Work

No

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