

# Senior Medical Writer / Analyst

## About Dolon

Dolon is a leading strategic market access consultancy that specialises in value propositions, pricing and reimbursement and policy shaping for medicines to treat rare and severe diseases. We have an exciting client base of fast-growing companies with innovative and important portfolios of medicines. Working in close partnership, we help them to define and communicate the value of their products to payers, policymakers and society.

Headquartered in London with staff across Europe, Dolon is a small, dynamic company with a strong reputation and a bright future. Dolon is organised internally into three business units: (i) Value Strategy & Communications (ii) Pricing & Reimbursement and (iii) Market Access Policy.

## The opportunity

We are seeking a Senior Medical Writer to join our growing team. This individual will be responsible for writing clear, evidence-based value communication materials in a variety of formats. As part of this role, the individual will also conduct research to identify and compile evidence, build insight, formulate value messages and prepare reports and presentations for clients with support from other members of the project team. There will be opportunities to work on a range of projects such as writing dossiers that summarise the clinical and economic value of a specific medicine, drafting policy reports about the market access environment for orphan drugs and preparing manuscripts for publication. The primary focus of this role is on medical writing, but it will suit individuals who are looking to expand their experience into broader strategic market access consulting.

This position is based at the Dolon headquarters in Liverpool Street, London; however, for the right person, we will consider flexible working arrangements.

## Responsibilities

In this position, you will be responsible for producing high quality materials such as reports, manuscripts, posters and presentations that communicate complex information and concepts in clear and concise language. You will be involved in:

- Searching the literature and critically reviewing, extracting and summarising relevant evidence
- Developing evidence-based value messages
- Supporting the development of content and providing input on the layout and structure of value communication tools (dossiers, slide decks, brochures and interactive tools) for use with payers and other decision makers
- Providing editorial support to other staff, including proofreading and fact checking
- Working with clients to understand their needs and, as part of a project team, help them to achieve their goals

## Experience

- 2+ years of medical writing experience in the healthcare sector, academic setting or consulting with an emphasis on health technology assessment or market access for new medicines
- Postgraduate qualification in a health-related field e.g., life sciences, epidemiology, health policy or health economics (desirable)
- Previous writing experience in rare or severe disease areas such as oncology, immunology, inborn errors of metabolism or blood disorders (desirable)

## **Skills**

- Excellent writing and communication skills
- Attention to detail
- Strong research and analytical skills
- Familiarity with medical databases for conducting literature searches
- Ability to multi-task
- Ability to work collaboratively and take feedback on board
- Ability to manage timelines and meet deadlines
- Proficiency with Microsoft Office software (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)

## **Knowledge**

Basic knowledge of the following is desirable:

- Drug development and commercialisation process
- Current issues affecting the market access environment for new medicines
- Pricing and reimbursement / health technology assessment evidence requirements
- Understanding of the payer mindset

## **Personal traits**

We place particular importance on emotional intelligence and the ability to get along with other people – empathy, maturity and optimism are important values to ourselves and our clients.

## **How to apply**

For further information about this post or to apply, please contact Darren Callanan at Dolon Ltd. (No recruiters, please).

As part of your application, please outline in no more than one page why you think the development of treatments for patients with rare diseases represents a challenge for both pharmaceutical manufacturers and the healthcare system.

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Applicants must be eligible to live and work in the EU.