JOB DESCRIPTION

Position Title: Director / Senior Director Medical Affairs

Job Summary

Reporting to the Chief Medical Officer, this is an opportunity to contribute to CymaBay outreach to the medical and scientific community and patients' organizations. The job will focus on orphan liver diseases, such as Primary Biliary Cholangitis, as well as the developing field of Non-Alcoholic Steato-Hepatitis. This individual will contribute to Medical Affairs strategic decisions and work closely with Research and Development and marketing with the aim to successfully register, launch and commercialize our new products. This person will serve as a key interface between CymaBay and its future customer base and will play a key role in maintaining or establishing relationships with the medical/scientific community through Advisory Boards, professional associations, scientific meetings and medical publications.

Responsibilities

- Drive operational and strategic objectives of Medical Affairs
- Work with Research & Development to develop product profiles, shape product portfolios
- Collaborate with Research & Development to impact product development to ensure relevance in the market through clear medical benefit
- Ensure best-practice medical content relevant to CymaBay products is available to the industry through multiple channels, including but not limited to: lectures, seminars, accredited webinars, white papers, and peer-reviewed journal articles
- Partner with key professional medical organizations to ensure alignment on best practice medicine within the industry
- Engage medical community, Key Opinion Leaders and patients organizations and maintain relationship, according to CymaBay values.to conduct industry research to support medical advancement
- Ensures global outreach
- Collaborate with CymaBay partners and represent the company, as necessary

Qualifications

- MD degree
- Minimum of 3+ years pharma industry experience with prior medical practice
- Knowledge of hepatology would be a plus, but strong medical background required
- Experience with writing scientific documents and record of publications
- Knowledge of clinical trial design and process

- Knowledge of applicable regulatory, legal and compliance standards
- Strong communication skills, both written and verbal
- Demonstrated ability to work cross functionally
- Position will require 30% travel, including overnight stays