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Acucela is leveraging promising science in visual cycle modulation to develop new methods for treating blinding eye diseases that affect tens of millions of people worldwide. The Company offers competitive compensation, a team-oriented environment, and career growth opportunities.

Medical Director - A regular full time position is available immediately at Acucela Inc., in Bothell, Washington to lead late stage research, early development and business development activities in support of ophthalmic clinical programs. This position will also partner closely with research, and business development on the identification of therapeutics for areas of key unmet ophthalmic needs. This position will report to the Vice President of Clinical Development & Regulatory Affairs.

Qualifications and Requirements

- US board certified MD in ophthalmology required.
- Demonstrated ability to initiate and successfully conduct ophthalmology translational research.
- Basic/clinical research experience focusing on diseases and processes of the retina preferred.
- 10+ years experience with ophthalmic preclinical research and animal models (preferably in retinal diseases) is also required.
- 3+ years of experience working in the biotech industry.
- Demonstrated ability to evaluate, interpret and present complex scientific data and the ability to critically design and evaluate complex drug development programs.
- Experience working with orally available drugs.
- Ability to prepare periodic summary reports and deliver presentations which are clear and concise.
- Willingness to relocate to Seattle, if not already in Seattle.
- Applicant must have current legal work authorization to work for any company in the United States.

No phone calls please. Only those candidates chosen for interview will be contacted. Send resume to Acucela Inc., Attn: Recruiter via email to career@acucela.com, or via facsimile at 425.527.3156. Only direct applicants will be accepted, no recruiters please. Acucela Inc. is an EOE.