



## **Summer Temp/Internship Program**

### **NOW Company Overview**

NOW®, located in Bloomingdale, IL, is a trusted natural products manufacturer offering more than 1,400 high-quality, natural and affordable products, from functional foods and supplements to sports nutrition and health & beauty products, as well as essential oils.

NOW was founded by Elwood Richard in 1968 with the goal of making healthy and quality products accessible and affordable for everyone. More than 50 years later and still owned by the Richard family today, NOW remains committed to its mission of providing value in products and services that empower people to lead healthier lives.

NOW's Quality Control and Quality Assurance programs are really what sets us apart and make us a trusted natural products manufacturer. NOW goes above and beyond required cGMPs (Good Manufacturing Practices) to ensure we bring pure, effective and safe products to market. Specifically, NOW performs more than 16,000 tests on raw materials and finished products each month for adulteration, contamination, and ingredient substitution. NOW continues to provide assurance through sampling and product testing that what's on the label is exactly what's in the bottle. NOW was one of the first manufacturers to seek GMP certification in 2000 and has since received an A rating ever since.

### **Location**

NOW's manufacturing facility is located at 395 S. Glen Ellyn Road in Bloomingdale, Illinois, approximately 18 miles (30 minutes) from high schools in Proviso Township.

### **Summer Internship Overview:**

NOW is looking to hire approximately 30 students going into their junior or senior year, or who have recently graduated and will be starting their first year of college, to assist full-time in our quality/R&D, engineering and operations departments. Students should have a genuine interest in science. This is a 40 hour/week paid internship; hourly rate is approximately \$11.00/hour. Hours are approximately 8 – 4 or 9 – 5 Monday – Friday.

Responsibilities could include data entry in quality management system, working in the product retention room, doing some work with the engineering team, and working on continuous improvement projects in manufacturing. Students will also learn email and office etiquette, and be exposed to a variety of company functions.

Students who are over 18 will be eligible to work in NOW's cutting-edge quality labs, working alongside chemists and scientists, where they could assist with sample prep, some wet chemistry and physical testing, microbiology media prep and environmental sampling.

**How to Apply:**

Students who are selected will be required to fill out an online application and submit their resume by April 30, 2021.