

Asset Performance Manufacturing Engineer

The Opportunity

An excellent opportunity has arisen for a proactive and flexible individual to join the Airedale Team as an Asset Performance Manufacturing Engineer reporting to the Manufacturing Systems Team Leader.

The Role

Job requirements

- The primary focus of this role is the performance of our production machinery. The successful candidate must develop a deep understanding of the equipment to improve the overall output rate through improved machine availability, cycle time efficiency and defect rate.
- To take a methodical, data driven approach to monitoring, measuring and decision making.
- To effectively manage the front line machine maintenance team to maximise output.
- To establish and execute cost effective PM plans for each key asset.
- To take a lead role in the justification, acquisition and installation of equipment as and when required.
- Lead initiatives to determine root causes of failures using statistical methods and recommend changes in designs, tolerances, or processing methods.
- Organise plant start-up and shut-down schedules to ensure minimum loss of production time.
- Must be willing to positively engage in training to support a Global Manufacturing Engineering Framework.
- Utilise the MOS philosophy as the central continuous improvement methodology.
- Work closely with the manufacturing team to ensure that machine operators are performing tasks in line with best practice.
- To ensure health and safety is at the forefront of decision making.
- Actively support the Airedale 'Quality Improvement Plan' with a strong focus on developing a proactive and preventive quality improvement culture and mindset across the business.

Skills, Qualifications and Experience

- Hold a higher education qualification applicable to a Manufacturing Engineering role and demonstrate at least 3 years' experience working to KPI driven, continuous improvement environment.
- Able to demonstrate previous experience of supporting and making a positive difference in a busy machine environment using Lean tools and techniques.
- Ability to communicate effectively with Stakeholders at all levels within the business.
- Experience of managing engineers to support improvements.
- Have skills and knowledge to encourage and implement change

Additional training will be provided for the right applicant to develop the skills & knowledge required for the position.

Applications should be made in writing with an up to date CV to HR by Friday 15th January 2021