



Job Title: Beverage Development Support Technician

Location: Edison, NJ 08820

Department: R&D Product Development

About MetaBrand

MetaBrand is a leading formulation, development, and manufacturing partner for some of today's fastest-growing beverage brands. We bring functional innovation, clean-label formulation expertise, and scaled execution to categories including wellness shots, sports drinks, natural beverages, alcohol-based RTDs, Hemp-infused products, and other emerging formats. Our team is known for solving formulation challenges that others cannot, accelerating concepts into commercial-ready products with speed, precision, and regulatory discipline.

If you want to be part of a company shaping the next generation of beverage innovation, MetaBrand offers a dynamic, fast-paced environment where technical excellence and operational execution are paramount.

Position Summary

The Beverage Development Support Technician supports MetaBrand's Beverage Development and Formulation team by assisting with bench-top formulation, pilot runs, ingredient preparation, documentation, and data collection. This role helps transform beverage concepts into scalable, manufacturable products while maintaining GMP, food safety, and quality standards.

Key Responsibilities – Beverage Development & Pilot Support

- Assist with bench-top formulations and pilot-scale production runs
- Prepare and stage ingredients; verify specs and lot numbers
- Support trial runs, hero samples, and customer samples
- Operate and clean pilot equipment
- Support scale-up activities by following batch instructions

Documentation & Data Collection

- Record formulation data and process parameters accurately
- Maintain batch sheets and development logs
- Support traceability and lot tracking
- Label all samples and test batches properly



Quality, Safety & Compliance

- Follow GMP, HACCP, food safety, and OSHA requirements
- Maintain sanitation of R&D and pilot areas
- Report deviations or equipment issues
- Support audits and mock recalls

Ingredient & Sample Management

- Manage R&D ingredient inventory
- Track usage and FIFO/FEFO rotation
- Package and prepare samples for shipment

Cross-Functional / Continuous Improvement

- Work with Beverage Developers, Production, Quality, and Warehouse
- Support transfer of formulations to manufacturing
- Assist with customer trials and visits
- Maintain organized workspaces
- Suggest workflow improvements
- Participate in training and skill development

Qualifications

- Associate's degree or equivalent experience preferred
- 1–3 years experience in beverage or food manufacturing preferred
- Strong attention to detail and documentation accuracy
- Ability to lift up to 50 lbs

Why Join MetaBrand?

- Work at the heart of new beverage innovation—sports, energy, RTD cocktails, THC / D9, and more.
- See the direct impact of your work as projects move from idea to real products in cans and bottles.
- Join a nimble, collaborative team where good ideas move fast.

How to Apply

Send your resume and a short note on **why you're a fit to join our R&D team at MetaBrand** to: **HireMe@metabrandcorp.com**