

Feed Mill Manager

Description

Feed mill managers are responsible for overseeing the production, quality, costs and safety of the mill that produces feed for animals. They keep inventory of feed ingredients and order as needed and handle customer questions and complaints. Additionally, they ensure all employees are trained on safety and continue to stay up-to-date.

Education/Training Requirements

- Bachelor's degree in Agriculture, Animal Science, Feed Mill Management, or Poultry Science (required)

Recommended High School Coursework

- Agriculture Education
- Business
- Chemistry
- Mathematics

Common Responsibilities

- Review production records
- Schedule feed production
- Keep inventory of feed ingredients and order as needed
- Test and review feed/grain quality
- Schedule employee shifts and keep track of employee time
- Handle customer questions and complaints
- Evaluate operating procedures
- Set quality assurance standards
- Prepare and monitor monthly, quarterly and yearly budgets
- Stay up-to-date on new technology and ways to make process improvements
- Train new employees and provide development opportunities
- Ensure all employees are trained on safety and continue to stay up-to-date
- Maintain filling equipment and other equipment needed to perform duties

Typical Employers

Local cooperatives, independently owned feed mills, animal nutrition companies, pet food companies, feed lots and integrated poultry companies hire feed mill managers.

Additional Resources

[American Feed Industry Association](#)

[National Grain and Feed Association](#)