

## Meet NASRIN

## Director of Optimization

I joined the company in 2002. At first, the hours of the job and working through different shifts attracted me to the field, but then I realized how fundamentals of science (physics, math, and biology) all come together and how they all have an application in medicine. I was hooked! I was hired as a Pharmacy Tech when I was still in pharmacy school. I graduated a few months later and, after taking the Board of Pharmacy exam and Virginia Law exam, I was finally able to work as an Authorized User in September 2002.

My current role is Director of Optimization. I have experience in different facets of the operation. What excites me the most is when a problem is solved, when a cost is reduced, and when jobs are done correctly. There are so many hurdles but, with patience and persistence, problems get fixed.

One day, I delivered a dose to a facility where a very sick patient, accompanied by a family member, was waiting anxiously for our doses to arrive. The look on the patient's face spoke very clearly to me about what we do in our field, and how we make a difference in somebody's life. We are slowly changing and shaping the future of nuclear medicine and making nuclear medicine even more important in patients' course of treatment.

## What makes you laugh no matter what?

Getting together with my friends or family members and talking about good memories.

2002 Pharmacy Tech 2002 - 2018 Facility Manager

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