

Meet CRISTEN



SOFIE
From start to clinic

Vice President, Quality & Compliance

I joined SOFIE in November 2001 as a Quality Control/Production Technician. I had just graduated college from the University of Central Florida and wanted to go to Pharmacy School. However, I saw an advertised position in radiopharmaceuticals and decided it would be a fantastic opportunity to get firsthand experience working in the field. At the time, I did not know it would turn into a career path. I was attracted to SOFIE because I was intrigued with cyclotrons, the manufacturing, QC, and dispensing of radiopharmaceuticals, and the field of Nuclear Medicine generally. I also loved that SOFIE was a part of the fight against cancer and other diseases.

The most meaningful role that SOFIE plays in patient care and in the field of Nuclear Medicine is the impact that we have on our patients' lives and the role we play in the fight against cancer and other diseases. SOFIE helps save lives. I have had family and friends who have been injected with our drug products, so I have seen firsthand the impact that SOFIE makes.

I also find it meaningful that SOFIE meets and exceeds regulatory and industry standards, demonstrating a strong commitment to quality and compliance. This protects our patients and keeps SOFIE competitive in the field. SOFIE also continues to research, improve, and grow, which is important for the future of patient care and for radiopharmaceutical availability and advancement against disease.

SOFIE's Quality & Compliance department has so many wonderful team members who really care about product quality and patient safety. They are a team of doers who work hard and go above and beyond to support the company and each other. I can never praise them enough for what they do! Ultimately, we all do what we do for our patients, as we want our patients to always receive a safe, effective, quality, and sterile product. Knowing that we are part of the process in helping our patients detect, diagnose, and/or treat disease, is exciting and rewarding.

