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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is written with great pleasure on behalf of Mr. Hlawn Aung, RN, as to his desire to be employed as a registered nurse at Harlem Hospital Psychiatric Department. I had the privilege to have Mr. Aung in both my Community Health Nursing classroom/didactic and clinical settings while enrolled in the RN-BS program here at New York City College of Technology of The City University of New York. I emphatically believe that Mr. Aung would be a wonderful asset to your facility, as I have closely watched and evaluated him in multiple settings, and have served as his mentor.

Mr. Aung has all the qualities essential for that of an effective practitioner. He is a dedicated worker who embraces the rigors of both the didactic and clinical environments. While with me, he was instrumental in planning comprehensive teaching for a senior center, where clients consistently looked for his empathy, cultural competency, and pleasant demeanor. Mr. Aung not only applied the theories and concepts learned in our own classes, but also acquired new skills and techniques to influence his own teaching. He was a wonderfully skilled communicator, in tune with various types of learners. In short, he did a phenomenal job in the clinical setting, as well as in the classroom, in terms of having an exceptional ability for critical and logical thinking, as well as analytical, oral, and written communication skills. Mr. Aung was a leader and exemplary role model for his peers, always professional and respectful, incorporated evidence-based teaching, was mature and responsible, and held himself to the demanding standards of our profession. He had a calming, dynamic, patient, and strong yet compassionate way about him.

I have no doubt Mr. Aung is well suited for employment in your facility. During our many conversations and interactions, he was sincere in wanting to be a leader in school, the workplace, and in the community. He is aware of the responsibilities inherent in both personal and professional growth within the academic and workplace arena. I hope you take this endorsement of him with sincere seriousness at a time when so few nurses are considering challenging practice, and we are facing a critical shortage of nurses eager to serve multicultural communities with dedication. Therefore, I respectfully ask that you consider Mr. Aung's application for employment at Harlem Hospital Psychiatric Department.

I thank you for your time and attention to this matter. If you feel the need to contact me, please do so at 718-260-4918, or my email at [aegues@citytech.cuny.edu](mailto:aegues@citytech.cuny.edu).

Sincerely,

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