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To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing this letter of recommendation with the most pleasure in recommending Ms. Kerrie Parsons for your institution. Ms. Parsons recently completed her final semester practicum with me at St. Luke's Hospital as required for her MSN program. During our time together, Ms. Parsons was punctual, well-prepared, and demonstrated a vested interest in this learning experience. She bonded well with our Professional Development team while building her foundational skill set as a Clinical Educator. Ms. Parsons combined her years of academic and experiential learning to connect theory and clinical practice into assessing knowledge and skill gaps, as well as developing educational plans to address and close these gaps. Her longstanding expertise in various facets of nursing has provided Ms. Parsons with a system-level perspective while also addressing the patient and nursing spheres of influence.

I highly recommend Ms. Parsons for your institution. She will add a level of engagement, enthusiasm, and expertise that is desperately needed in our nursing profession. Ms. Parsons has a unique blend of clinical experience in the acute care setting matched with Clinical Simulation Lab Instructor experience in the academic setting for matriculated undergraduate BSN students. One of the many advantages for your institutions and targeted learning audiences is that Ms. Parsons balances kindness and compassion with setting expectations for learning and ensuring students are meeting their course objectives. Please consider Ms. Parsons for this role, and feel free to reach out to me with any questions. I appreciate your taking the time to read this letter.

Sincerely,

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