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To Whom It May Concern:

I am very pleased to write this letter of recommendation for Kaitlyn Zofcin who is applying for a position as a school psychologist with you. I am a member of the teaching faculty in the School Psychology department of the Massachusetts School of Professional Psychology and I have served as Katie's advisor throughout her graduate studies. I will say from the outset that she has always impressed me as someone for whom school psychology is an excellent fit.

Katie has always proven herself to be a solid student. The program at MSPP trains and prepares graduate students to function within the expanded role of the school psychologist, as defined by the ten domains that the National Association of School Psychologists sets forth in its standards for professional practice. Katie's training, both didactic and experiential, has been very thorough. I feel that even as a newly minted school psychologist she will bring a richness in the things she can do to her job.

Katie is a delightful person. She has a positive outlook and brings a positive perspective to all of her experiences. She is warm interpersonally, as reflected by a lovely smile, and she has been a collegial classmate within her student cohort. With regard to the all-important area of professionalism and professional behavior, Katie is exemplary. She is diplomatic and discrete, respectful, ethical, hard-working, efficient, and aware of boundaries.

Katie uses resources and supervision very well; yet she is able to function independently. Her sound judgment and intuition are assets that allow her to straddle functioning independently and knowing when to seek direction. Katie strives to be the best that she can be and so she welcomes feedback (in a non-defensive manner).

I recommend Katie without reservation. It would be hard to find a more compassionate, committed, and caring individual than Katie. If I can be of further assistance I can be reached at: 617-851-0085 or bmphd@aol.com

Sincerely yours,

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