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To Whom It May Concern,

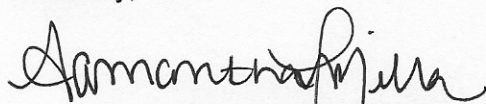
I am pleased to write a letter of recommendation for Erin Lafferty, an applicant for the position of Speech Language Pathologist-Clinical Fellow. Erin completed her Speech Pathology Externship Practicum under my supervision at Hazlet Township Public Schools. Erin was receptive to supervision and developed her use of self-review to continually improve upon her clinical skills and increase her ability to work independently.

During her externship, Erin was responsible for managing a caseload of students from first through sixth grade with diverse speech and language needs. She selected comprehensive assessment tools and recognized when testing procedures needed to be adapted to accommodate needs unique to specific students. Erin interpreted and integrated test results and behavioral observations to write evaluation reports, develop measurable goals and objectives for IEP's, and establish appropriate treatment plans utilizing pull-out and integrated service delivery models.

Erin implemented intervention strategies that took into consideration the distinctive characteristics and communication needs of her students. Activities were motivating and varied to keep students engaged in learning and communicating. Erin participated in Child Study Team evaluation planning and eligibility determination meetings; consulted with teachers and related service staff; and developed weekly therapy session notes to inform parents of their child's progress status. She was well-liked by staff and students.

I recommend Erin Lafferty for a position as a Speech Language Pathologist-Clinical Fellow. Erin displays the clinical skills, professionalism and dedication that will make her an asset to your district. If I can be of any further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



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