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RE: Full Time Physical Therapist

To whom it may concern,

I would like to be considered for the Full Time Physical Therapy position with CORA Services for the Mastery Schools of New Jersey. I had the privilege of working for Fairfax County Public School District in Falls Church, Virginia as a graduate student intern, completing a 10-week clinical education experience. While there, I witnessed first-hand how physical therapists work alongside teachers, parents, nurses, assistive technology personnel, and other therapy service providers in order to help children participate in their educational programs. I want to be an integral member of this educational team, supporting children through my expertise in gross motor development and functional mobility.

With a recently earned Doctorate degree from Drexel University, I offer you a well-rounded skill set with experience treating patients of all ages in outpatient, inpatient, and pediatric settings. Obtaining my Doctorate degree required me to learn how to successfully access, appraise, and apply evidence-based practice. I've been able to do so thus far in my career, researching topics such as the effects of yoga on preschoolers and performing yoga as an intervention. In our evolving field, you will benefit from having a therapist with a strong work ethic and intellect who sets time aside to research best evidence-based practices.

I have more to offer CORA Services than my clinical knowledge. A necessary skill required for this position is demonstrating excellent communication skills and having the ability to work well with others. I excel in both of these areas. During my internship with the Fairfax County Public School System, for example, I successfully communicated in laymen's terms my clinical assessments during student IEP meetings. Additionally, previous patients, caregivers, and supervisors have complimented my natural abilities to build relationships with others.

What I admire most about CORA Services is the amount of emphasis that is placed on teamwork, mentorship, and professional development. I value these areas, and I want to feel supported and encouraged by my peers to grow into the best practitioner possible.

I would greatly appreciate the opportunity to join staff at CORA Services helping children within the Mastery Schools of New Jersey to achieve their full potential.

Sincerely,  
Grace E. Cochrane, PT, DPT