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BSc Health and Social Care

Dear Miss Harries,

I am especially interested in being considered for the position of a domestic violence support worker within your establishment. I have attached my curriculum vitae for your evaluation.

As you can see from my CV, I am now enrolled in my second year of a bachelor's degree programme in health and social care. Prior to beginning my studies, I've worked in a variety of settings, helping people from diverse backgrounds and with an array of needs.

As a reablement officer who supported people within the community that came to the centre with daily living skills, such as working with them to make easy healthy meals, so they were able to replicate at home without fear or harm. I also supported them in budgeting their finances and enabled them to make decisions for themselves, without having to rely on their carers making certain decisions. This role included having to learn new skills in communicating with people that were nonverbal such as they couldn't speak, or they knew little English.

When dealing with service users, I use a highly person-centred and strength-based approach. When people confront difficulties, I find that they might feel very discouraged and overwhelmed by their circumstances. Individuals generally always feel empowered to ask questions and make choices on their own behalf whenever I implement a client-centred and strength-based technique.

Having been a victim of domestic abuse for many years and surviving that trauma, I have a great degree of empathy and understanding for what victims of violence go through, with the boundaries they meet as well as what the fear of leaving can do to a person's belief of their future life and ambitions.

As a rising professional with persuasive communication skills and a plethora of experience aiding people from all levels of society. When I found out about the opening, I felt compelled to get in contact because being considered for a position in domestic violence support would be a personal and professional highlight for me. I believe that my professional history and dedication make me a great candidate for this role. I am a patient person with a great work ethic that communicates effectively with other, who thrives under pressure and in fast-paced circumstances, looking to achieve positive results through community involvement. I have training skills as well as the ability to make sound judgments and make swift decisions, for improving performance and motivating individuals.

These abilities have been clear in my professional and academic career. I believe that my education and experience qualify me to join your team of domestic violence support workers.

Thank you for your time and I hope you look favourably on my application; I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind Regards



Chantelle Simmonds