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To whom it may concern,

I am pleased to write this letter in support of Charlie (previously known as Nina/Mitens Art) for their application to the Generate GC program. As a queer, gender-diverse, neurodivergent, and disabled creative practitioner and therapist, Charlie has demonstrated an unwavering commitment to uplifting marginalised voices and fostering meaningful connections within our community.

Charlie has been actively engaged with Gold Coast Health's Creative Health initiatives, contributing as a practicing artist in Pride Exhibitions and supporting clients as part of our Mental Health Week event, 'ArtBeat'. Their passion for inclusive storytelling and advocacy through the arts is evident in their work, which reflects both their lived experience and their deep dedication to community wellbeing.

Through their collaboration with our Creative Health Hub, Charlie has consistently brought a unique and thoughtful perspective to our programs. Their ability to connect with people through art, paired with their therapeutic background, makes them a valuable contributor to creative health spaces. Their work not only enhances the creative community but also provides meaningful artistic experiences for those facing health challenges.

I believe that the Generate GC program would provide Charlie with the vital skills, networks, and opportunities to continue their impact and grow within the creative sector. Their dedication to social change through the arts aligns strongly with the program's intent, and I have no doubt they would thrive within this initiative.

I support Charlie's application and hope they are given the opportunity to further develop their creative practice through Generate GC. Please do not hesitate to reach out should you require any additional information.

Yours sincerely



Madeline Collins
Manager, Creative Health Hub