

## Challenged Client Gains Confidence

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Healthy Families referred a client to me with no knowledge of cooking or feeding a small baby. When I went to the home it was obvious that she has a learning disability. Her reading skill was very low. She said that her family who lives nearby would not allow her to cook or even wash dishes because they were afraid of her being hurt. She took to the classes right away and learned many skills needed for taking care of her 6 month old baby. She looked forward to our meetings each week. We sometimes met at her trailer and sometimes at her parents’ house. The family was very supportive of me coming to help her. When asked what she learned from the program she said “Self confidence and having a nice teacher. It was fun!” She was very sad on our last appointment. She wanted to give me a gift so she made me bookmarks telling what she has learned from the class. It was very touching to see the care she took just to give me something. This family is better equipped to take care of their child because of EFNEP.

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