



Early On® 101: Essentials of *Early On* Module – Handout 5

Handout Activity 5: Family Stories: The Impact of *Early On*

Every child should be supported to grow and develop the skills they will need to be successful in school and in life. That support needs to start as early as possible when children have special needs or minor to significant disabilities. The *Early On* Michigan Foundation partnered with the Early Childhood Investment Corporation and Michigan's Children to share the stories of three families that have used the services provided by *Early On*. Take a few minutes to reflect on what *Early On* means to Nicholas, Daniel, and Megan in [Family Stories – 3 Videos](http://earlyonfoundation.org/resources.php?ID=7) (<http://earlyonfoundation.org/resources.php?ID=7>).

How does *Early On* Help Families

What was the best part about *Early On* for these families?

How can these stories teach us something about our way in which we view
our role as an early childhood professional?