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Growing up around the island culture we don't have much support with people that are disable or autistic. When I first started working in this field I was only 18 years old. I have learned a lot on how to help the clients in many ways I have never thought that can actually help. Yeah this job can be draining physically mentally and emotionally at time but it feels good to know I can come in and make a difference in someone's life. Not a lot of people are meant to work this job but you'd have to see what DSP goes through each and everyday just to better our clients life. Being a DSP has taught me allot of things but the greatest part of being a DSP is knowing that we are making a great impact in the clients life and lastly making them feel like they are just like YOU AND I. Just because they have a difficult way of living doesn't make them less human.