

March

I am a homeschooling mom of 3 boys. My 10 year old son is has ADHD, Dyslexia, and Tourettes. I am looking into different strategies for teaching and helping him. His 8 year old brother exhibits many of the same behaviours and symptoms.

April

HANDLE program began

May

Great news! Jimmy has been asking for the dry shampoo by name . He wants to do it all the time! He says it's his favorite activity so far. He NEVER asked me to touch his head on purpose EVER! Can I do it more than once a day?

August

I had Jimmy at the psychologist today. After it was finished he took me aside as asked me "what have you been doing? This is a very different child than I saw in April." He sat completely still, not one tic, had extreme focus and total control of what he was asked to do.

I told him all about the Handle program and You and told him we've been working very hard. And he told me "whatever you are doing keep doing it, the results are amazing"!!

Hooray!! Sweet eh? (happy dance). Just thought I'd share my excitement with you!

October

Jimmy's Story - I'm mailing you a copy of his story. We have gone from two hours of crying fits, frustrations and tantrums just to get down two lines of word to this!!!! He only spent 15 minutes a page and wrote without any frustration his story. He no longer says the words out loud only to grip that pencil and stare at the paper in front of him, wishing it would write! He just broke up the words into chunks and wrote down the sounds that he heard. He couldn't believe how easy it was... I wanted to cry... finally his thoughts are getting out onto paper! (His spelling is still challenging but only one letter is backwards out of two pages of work!) He seems so happy and free about it! I am soooo excited to see what is in store for his future now that he's in control of some of those 'switches' in his brain. We'll continue working and progressing. Thanks so much for all you do!!