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## **Warren Hunterdon Home Visitor Receives Compassion Award**

**New Brunswick, NJ –**

Prevent Child Abuse-New Jersey presented home visitor Marisel Burgos of the Warren/Hunterdon Healthy Families-TIP program with the “Compassion Award” at the 8<sup>th</sup> annual “Strengthening Those Who Touch the Lives of Children” conference on Thursday, May 6, 2010. This recognition was made in honor of her commitment to providing families with the skills and resources they need to raise happy, healthy, and safe children.

The “Compassion Award” is given to a home visitor who demonstrates extraordinary compassion for clients, colleagues, and the community. Burgos’ compassion is demonstrated by her commitment to helping families through the challenges of issues like homelessness and domestic violence. Burgos’ dedication is further evident by her commute from New York City every day in support of these families.

Burgos’ colleagues describe her as tireless, caring, and always willing to help.



The Healthy Families-TIP and Parent Linking Program networks, both programs of Prevent Child Abuse-New Jersey, joined together for a one-day conference to celebrate the parents and professionals throughout New Jersey and recognize the important work of those who influence the healthy development of children.

The 8th annual “Strengthening Those Who Touch the Lives of Children” conference commenced with a keynote address from Judge Glenda A. Hatchett, renowned in the legal community for her innovative courtroom style.

Learn more about Prevent Child Abuse-New Jersey’s commitment to keeping children safe, healthy and nurtured and the organization’s home visitation networks at [www.preventchildabusenj.org](http://www.preventchildabusenj.org).

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