

# SHARE YOUR STORY



## *Community Action Month*



During monthly follow up sessions, Karina happily reports she is enjoying her new position.

## KARINA'S STORY

Karina was struggling to find employment when she learned about the CalFresh Employment & Training (CalFresh E&T) program. Working closely with CSET's CalFresh E&T team, Karina completed job readiness workshops to enhance her resume and interview effectively. Within one short month of entering the program, Karina received four interviews and two job offers. One of these offers was from Ventura Coastal, and in December 2019,

she began working full-time as a Peeler Technician with the company. Karina keeps in touch with CSET's team and shared her goal of advancing her career at Ventura Coastal. Karina is excited to pursue her goal and credits the CalFresh E&T program for the skills and confidence she has gained. These skills helped her gain employment, succeed in her job, and prepare for climbing the career ladder.