

Acronym

Spelled Out

42 CFR	Confidentiality of alcohol & drug abuse patient records
AA	Alcoholics Anonymous
AAA	Area Agency on Aging
ABW	Adult Benefit Waiver
ACA	Affordable Care Act
ACO	Affordable Care Organization
ACT	Assertive Community Treatment
ADA	American with Disabilities Act of 1990
ADDSS	Adult DD Services Specialist
ADL	Advanced Daily Living Skills – self-care training in various skills needed in daily living.
AFC	Adult Foster Care
AFP	Application for Proposal or Application for Participation
AG	Attorney General
AHSE	Alcohol Highway Safety Education
ALJ	Administrative Law Judge
ALOS	Average Length of Stay – average duration of an episode of care for patients
AMI	Alliance for the Mentally Ill
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
AOA	American Osteopathic Association (F)
APS	Adult Protective Services
ARC	Association of Retarded Citizens
ASAM	American Society of Addiction Medicine
ASI	Addiction Severity Index
ASL	American Sign Language
ATO	Alternate Treatment Order
ATOD	Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drugs
BBA	Balanced Budget Act
BD	Binge Drinking
BHDDA	Michigan Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities Administration
BMC	Behavior Management Committee
CA	Coordinating Agency
CAC	Certified Addictions Counselor (Levels I & II)
CAFAS	Child & Adolescent Functional Assessment Scale
CARF	Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities
CCI	Child Caring Institution – facility licensed by the DHHS
CCO	Chief Clinical Officer
CD	Chemical Dependency
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CFO	Chief Financial Officer
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CHAMPS	Community Health Automated Medicaid Processing System
CIO	Chief Information Officer
CM	Case Management

CMH	Community Mental Health
CMHSP	Community Mental Health Service Program - as defined in Mich. Mental Health Code.
CMS	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
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COA	Commission on Accreditation of Services for Families and Children
COD	Co-Occurring Disorder - A Person with substance abuse and mental health disorders
COO	Chief Operating Officer
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CP	Cerebral Palsy
CQI	Continuous Quality Improvement
CSSN	Comprehensive Specialty Services Network
CSW	Certified Social Worker
D.A.R.E.	Drug Abuse Resistance Education
DCH	Formerly Michigan Department of Community Health, now part of DHHS
DD	Person with Developmentally Disability
DD/ID	Developmental/Intellectual Disabilities
DD/MI	Dually Diagnosed: Person with Mental Retardation & Mental Illness
DDA	Drunk Driving Assessment
DHHS	Department of Health and Human Services
DHS	Formerly Department of Human Services, now part of DHHS
DSM-IV	Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders– Previous version
DSM-V	Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders– Current version
DSS	Department of Social Services – Now within Depart. of Health & Human Services (DHHS).
DTC	Drug Treatment Court
DUIL	Driving Under the Influence of Liquor
DWI	Drove While Intoxicated
DYTUR	Designated Youth Tobacco Use Representative
EAP	Employee Assistance Program
EBP	Evidence-based Practice
ECT	Electro Convulsive Therapy
EIP	Early Intervention Program
EMH	Emergency Mental Health
EMI	Educable Mentally Impaired
EMR	Electronic Medical Record
EQR	External Quality Review
FFC	Family Foster Care – provider lives in the home and cares for the residents.
FIA	Family Independence Agency – formerly a department of State of Michigan.
FOIA	Freedom of Information Act
FPE	Family Psychoeducation
FQHC	Federally Qualified Health Centers
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
FY	Fiscal Year
G&A	Grievance and Appeal – Process for consumers to appeal service decisions
GA	General Assistance
GAS	Global Assessment Scale
GF	General Fund
HBA	Home Based Services

HCFA	Health Care Financing Administration – now CMS-Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Svcs.
HHA	Home Health Aide
HI	Homicidal Ideation – the forming of homicidal ideas.
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability & Accountibility Act of 1996
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus – The virus that causes AIDS.
HMO	Health Maintenance Organization – an alternative to traditional healthcare insurance.
HSAG	Health Services Advisory Group
HSW	Habilitation Supports Waiver (1915c Waiver)
HUD	Department of Housing & Urban Development
I & R	Information & Referral
IDDT:	Integrated Dual Disorder Treatment
IEP	Individual Educational Plan
ILP	Independent Living Program provides supports and training to persons.
IOP	Intensive Outpatient Treatment
IPOS	Individual Plan of Service
IS or IT	Information Systems or Information Technology – computer systems and their software.
ISD	Intermediate School District
ISF	Internal Service Fund
IT	Information Technology
JCAHO	Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations – National Accrediting
KCMHSAS –	Kalamazoo Community Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services
KPH	Kalamazoo Psychiatric Hospital
LEP	Limited English Proficiency
LOA	Leave of Absence
LOS	Length of Stay – duration of an episode of care for patients in a hospital, residential, etc.
LPN	Licensed Practical Nurse
MACED	Michigan Association for Children with Emotional Disorders
MACMHB	Michigan Association of Community Mental Health Boards – Advocacy organization.
MADD	Mothers Against Drunk Driving
MASACA	Michigan Association of Substance Abuse Coordinating Agencies
MAST	Michigan Alcohol Screening Test
MCBAP	Michigan Certification Board for Addiction Professionals
MCO	Managed Care Organization
MDCH	Michigan Department of Community Health – former department of the State of Michigan
MDOC	Michigan Department of Corrections
MHA	Mental Health Association
MHC	Mental Health Code (PA 254 of 1974)
MHP	Medicaid Health Plan
MI	Mentally Ill
MI CHILD	Michigan Insurance for Children of the uninsured
MIA	Adults with Mentally Illness
MIC	MIChild Program (SCHIP)
MIS	Management Information System
MMBPIS	Michigan Mission Based Performance Indicator System – as required by MDHHS
MMHC	Michigan Mental Health Code
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MRS	Michigan Department of Career Development Rehabilitation Services

MSHDA	Michigan State Housing Development Authority
NA	Narcotics Anonymous
NACBHDD	National Assoc. of County Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities Directors
NAMI	National Association of Mental Illness
NASMHPD	National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors
NCADD	National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Addiction
NCCBH	National Council for Community Behavioral Healthcare
NCQA	National Committee on Quality Assurance
NGRI	Not Guilty by Reason of Insanity
NHMP	Nursing Home Monitoring Program
NHSDA	National Household Survey on Drug Abuse
NIAAA	National Institute for Alcohol Addiction and Abuse
NIDA	National Institute on Drug Abuse
NIMH	National Institute of Mental Health
NOMS	National Outcome Measurement System
OBRA	Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act
OCC	Office of Community Corrections
OP	Outpatient Treatment
OPT	Outpatient Therapy
ORR	Office of Recipient Rights
OT	Occupational Therapist
OUIL	Operating Under the Influence of Liquor
OWI	Operated While Impaired (Impaired Driving)
P & A	Michigan Protection and Advocacy Service
PA	Public Act (or Protection & Advocacy)
PA 368	Substance Abuse Code
PA2	Public Act 2 of 1986 (Liquor Tax Funds)
PASARR	Pre-Admission Screening and Resident Review
PCP	Person Centered Planning
PCP	Primary Care Physician
PEPM	Per Eligible-Per Month (PIHP payment)
PHI	Protected Health Information
PHP	PHP Prepaid Health Plan (otherwise known as the MCO)
PI	Performance Indicators
PIHP	PIHP – Pre-Paid Inpatient Health Plan
PIP	Performance Improvement Project
POS	Point-of-Service
PT	PT – Physical Therapist
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QA	Quality Assurance
QAPIP	QAPIP Quality Assessment & Performance Improvement Program
QI	QI Quality Improvement
QM	Quality Management
QMC	SWMBH Quality Management Committee
RFP/RFI	Request for Proposal/Request for Information
RN	Registered Nurse
ROI	Residential Opportunities, Inc. or Return on Investment

RR	Recipient Rights
RSVP	Retired Senior Volunteer Program
RSW	Registered Social Worker
SA	Substance Abuse
SAASS	State Association of Addiction Services
SADD	Students Against Destructive Decisions
SAMHSA	Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration
SAPT	Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant
SC	Supports Coordinator
SCAO	State Court Administrators Office
SCHIP	State Children's Health Insurance Program
SD	Self Determination
SDA	State Disability Assistance
SWD	Serious Emotionally Disturbance (Children)
SEP	Supported Employment Program
SI	Suicidal Ideation – the forming of suicidal ideas.
SIB	Self-Injurious Behavior
SIL	Supported Independent Living Program
SWMBH	Southwest Michigan Behavioral Health
SMI	Severe Mental Illness
SPF/SIG	Strategic Prevention Framework State Incentive Grant
SPMI	Severe & Persistent Mental Illness
SSA	Social Security Administration
SSDI	Social Security Disability Insurance
SSG	Service Selection Guidelines (DHHS Criteria for service)
SSI	Supplemental Security Income
SUD	SUD Substance Use Disorders
TCM	Targeted Casemanagement Services
TDD	Telecommunication Device for the Deaf
TPA	Third-Party Administrator
TSG	TSG The Standards Group
Tx	Treatment or therapy
UM	Utilization Management
UR	Utilization Review
VAA	VA Veteran's Administration
VNA	Visiting Nurses Association