

Acronyms

AA	Alcoholics Anonymous
AAIDD	American Association of Intellectual Developmental Disabilities
ACA	Affordable Care Act
ACTT	Assertive Community Treatment Team
ADA	Americans With Disabilities Act (Federal)
ADATC	Alcohol and Drug Abuse Treatment Center
ADD	Attention Deficit Disorder
ADETS	Alcohol Drug Education Training School
ADHD	Attention Deficit Hyperactive Disorder
AOC	Administrative Office Of The Courts
ASANC	Association Of Self-Advocates Of North Carolina
ASNC	Autism Society Of North Carolina
BC/BS	Blue Cross / Blue Shield
BIANC	Brain Injury Association Of North Carolina
CABHA	Critical Access Behavioral Health Agency
CASP	Cross-Area Service Program
CASSP	Child And Adolescent Service System Program
CC	Closed Captioned
CCD	Consortium Of Citizens With Disabilities
CCNC	Community Care of North Carolina
CCT	Comprehensive Crisis Treatment
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CFS	Child And Family Services
CFAC	Consumer and Family Advisory Committee
CFSA-NC	Children and Family Services Association - NC
CHAMPUS	Civilian Health And Medical Program of The Uniformed Services
CHIP	Children's Health Insurance Program (federal)
CMS	Federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
COA	Council on Accreditation
CPS	Child Protective Services
CQI	Continuous Quality Improvement
CST	Community Support Team
DOA	Division Of Aging
DB	Deaf Blind
DD	Developmental Disability, Developmentally Delayed
DDS	Disability Determination Services
DDST	Denver Developmental Screening Test
DDTI	Developmental Disabilities Training Institute (UNC-CH)
DHHS	NC Department of Health And Human Services
DHSR	Division of Health Service Regulation
DIRM	Division of Information Resource Management
DMA	Division of Medical Assistance
DMH/DD/SAS	Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, and Substance Abuse Services
DOC	Department of Correction
DOE	Department of Education (federal)
DOJ	Department of Justice (federal)
DPH	Division of Public Health
DPI	Department of Public Instruction
DSB	Division of Services For The Blind
DSDHH	Division of Services For The Deaf And Hard of Hearing
DSS	Department of Social Services (county)
DSS	Division of Social Services (state)
DT	Day Treatment

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DWAC	DHHS Waiver Advisory Committee
DWI	Driving While Impaired
EANC	Epilepsy Association of North Carolina
ECS	Electronic Claim Submission
EI	Early Intervention
ELP	Essential Lifestyle Plan
EMT	Executive Management Team
EPSDT	Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis And Treatment
EQRO	External Quality Review Organization
FAA	Families As Allies (Affiliate of Federation Of Families)
FAS	Fetal Alcohol Syndrome
FCAN	Families CAN
FES	Family Empowerment Scale
FFS	Fee-For-Service
FSN	Family Support Network
GACPD	Governor's Advocacy Council for Persons With Disabilities
HCBS	Home and Community-Based Services
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
HUD	Department Of Housing And Urban Development
ICF	Intermediate Care Facility
ICF-MR/DD	Intermediate Care Facility for Persons With Mental Retardation and Other Developmental Disabilities
IDD	Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities
IDEA	Individuals With Disabilities Education Act
IEP	Individualized Education Program
IFSP	Individual Family Services Plan
ILC	Independent Living Center
IMT	Intra-departmental Monitoring Team
IPRS	Integrated Payment and Reimbursement System
IRIS	Incident Response Improvement System
IRS	Internal Revenue Service
IST	Individual Service Team
IVC	Involuntary Commitment
JJSAMHP	Juvenile Justice Substance Abuse Mental Health Partnership
JOBS	Job Opportunities and Basic Skills Program (Required Under AFDC)
JTPA	Job Training Partnership Act
LCSW	Licensed Clinical Social Worker
LDA	Learning Disabilities Association of North Carolina
LME	Local Management Entity
MOA	Memorandum of Agreement
MCO	Managed Care Organization
MCT	Mobile Crisis Team
MHA/NC	Mental Health Association of North Carolina
MRA	Work First Mutual Responsibility Agreement
NA	Narcotics Anonymous
NAMI-NC	National Alliance for The Mentally Ill - North Carolina
NAMI-CAN	National Alliance for The Mentally Ill - Children & Adolescent Network
NCH	National Coalition for the Homeless
NICU	Neonatal Intensive Care Unit
NIMH	National Institute of Mental Health
NMHA	National Mental Health Association
OAH	Office of Administrative Hearings
ODD	Oppositional Defiant Disorder
P & A	Protection and Advocacy
PBH	The LME formerly named Piedmont Behavioral HealthCare

Acronyms

P.L.	Public Law (Federal Law)
PCP	Person Centered Plan
PDD	Pervasive Developmental Disorder
PICU	Pediatric Intensive Care Unit
PIHP	Prepaid Inpatient Health Plan
PMPM	Per Member Per Month
POC	Plan of Correction
PRTF	Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility
PSA	Public Service Announcement
PTI	Parent Training and Information Centers
PTSD	Post Traumatic Stress Disorder
QIP	Quality Improvement Plan
QPSA	Qualified Professional in Substance Abuse
RFP	Request for Proposals
RWJ	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
SAMHSA	Substance Abuse And Mental Health Services Administration
SBA	Spina Bifida Association
SBIRT	Screening, Brief Intervention, Referral & Treatment
SCFAC	State Consumer and Family Advisory Committee
SSA	Social Security Administration
SSDI	Social Security Disability Insurance
SSI	Supplemental Security Income
TANF	Temporary Aid to Needy Families
TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury
TDD	Telecommunication Device For Persons Who Are Deaf or Hard of Hearing
TEACCH	Treatment and Education of Autistic Children and Other Communication Handicaps
TS	Tourettes Syndrome or Tuberous Sclerosis
TFS	Targeted Family Services
TCM	Targeted Case Management
TTY	Teletext Typewriter Device
UCP	United Cerebral Palsy
UM/UR	Utilization Management/Utilization Review
VA	Veterans Affairs
VR	Vocational Rehabilitation
WCH	Women's and Children's Health
WFB	Work First Benefits
WIC	Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants, and Children