Acronyms of Adult Mental Health Terms

Disclaimer: This list is meant to be a resource for Adult Case Managers. You will find many acronyms in this list that are not in this training, but may be useful to know.

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

A

ABI Acquired Brain Injury

ACA Affordable Care Act of 2010

ACT Assertive Community Treatment-Intensive, 24/7 services for people with

serious mental illness provided mostly in community settings by

multidisciplinary treatment teams.

AD Advanced Directives - Allow persons to determine in advance the kind of

medical care they prefer. Includes care power of attorney, "do not resuscitate"

(DNR) orders, and other types of legal documents.

ADA Americans with Disabilities Act

ADAD Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division (DHS)

ADC Adult Day Care

ADD Attention Deficit Disorder

ADHD Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder

ADL Activities of daily living - Tasks essential to performance of routine self-care

functions such as dressing, bathing and cooking.

ADT Adult Day Treatment

AFC Adult Foster Care

AFDC Aid to Families with Dependent Children - Title IV-A of the Social Security

Act enacts this public assistance program that provided monies for low-income families when one parent is absent, incapacitated or unemployed. It has been

repealed.

AFDC-EA Aid to Families with Dependent Children-Emergency Assistance - Helps

families who face a crisis that will result in destitution if they do not receive

immediate financial aid. See above

AFDC-UP Aid to Families with Dependent Children-Unemployed Parent

ALD Assisted Listening Device - used by people with a hearing loss to augment

communication.

ALOS Average Length of Stay

AL Assisted Living - a service or a group of services customized to meet the needs

of an individual living in a qualified setting. Types of services that can be included are supervision of the client, support services, home care aide services, home health-aide like services and home management services. Medication setups and insulin draws by a licensed nurse can also be included in the package.

AMC Association of Minnesota Counties

AMHD Adult Mental Health Division (DHS)

AMHI Adult Mental Health Initiative

AMRTC Anoka-Metro Regional Treatment Center

APA American Psychiatric Association

APD Advanced Psychiatric Directive

ARMHS Adult Rehabilitative Mental Health Services

ASFA Adoption and Safe Family Act

B

BBA Federal Balanced Budget Act of 1997

BCBSM Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Minnesota

BD Behavioral Disorder

BHIS Behavioral Health Information System

BI Brain Injury- Deficits in adaptive behavior or substantial functional limitations

caused by injury to the brain resulting in tissue damage and affecting functional

abilities.

BIA Bureau of Indian Affairs

BIP Behavioral Intervention Plan

B&L Board and Lodging

BLSS Basic Living and Social Skills (ARMHS service category)

BPD Borderline Personality Disorder

BRHSC Brainerd Regional Human Services Center

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CA Cash Assistance

CAC Community Alternative Care - CAC is a home and community care program

> that pays for health care services in the home of an individual who requires the level of care of a hospital. This is a medical assistance program approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, formerly the federal HCFA.

CADI Community Alternatives for Disabled Individuals - CADI is a home and

> community care program that pays for health care services in the home of an individual who requires the level of care of a nursing facility. This is a medical assistance program approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid

Services, formerly the federal HCFA.

CAF Combined Application Form - Application form for public assistance that can

> be used to apply for the following programs: Minnesota Family Investment Program (MFIP), Medical Assistance (MA), General Assistance (GA), Minnesota Supplemental Aid (MSA), General Assistance Medical Care

(GAMC) and food support, formerly called Food Stamps. Applications for MA.

GAMC and MinnesotaCare can also be made using the HCAPP.

CAFAS Child and Adolescent Functioning Assessment Score

CAMHA Comprehensive Adult Mental Health Act

CARF Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitative Facilities

CASII Child and Adolescent Service Intensity Instrument

CASSP Child and Adolescent Services System Program

CBHH Community Behavioral Health Hospitals -16-bed inpatient acute psychiatric

hospital operated by State Operated Services.

CBP County-based purchasing

CBT Cognitive Behavior Therapy

CBS Community Based Services

CC **Continuing Care**

CCAP Child Care Assistance Program - The purpose of the Child Care Assistance

> Program (CCAP) is to provide financial subsidies to help low-income families pay for child care, so that parents may pursue employment or education leading to employment and that children are well cared for and prepared to enter school

ready to learn.

CCE Continuing Care for the Elderly Division - An administrative division at DHS

that provides policy development and program administration of facility and community-based services for elderly Minnesotans. It administers nursing facility services and community-based services through the elderly waiver and

alternative care programs.

CCDTF Consolidated Chemical Dependency Treatment Fund – Consolidated funding

stream from which public fee-for-service chemical dependency treatment is paid. Combines General Assistance (GA), General Assistance Medical Care (GAMC), Medical Assistance (MA), state appropriations, county funds, private insurance, and federal block grants dollars into one fund. The local social service agency (county or tribal) assesses the client's need for chemical dependency treatment, places the eligible client in a treatment program and uses

this consolidated fund to pay for the treatment.

CCMHA Comprehensive Children's Mental Health Act

CCSA Children and Community Services Act

CD Chemical Dependency

CDA Community Development Agency

CDC Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

CDCS Consumer Directed Community Supports - Consumer Directed Community

Supports (CDCS) is a unique service option that gives persons more flexibility and responsibility for directing their services and supports, including hiring and managing direct care staff. CDCS may include services, support and/or items currently available through the MA waivers, as well as additional allowable

services that provide needed support to persons.

CD/MH Chemical Dependency/Mental Health

CDR Continuing Disability Review

CE Continuing Education

CEND Community Education Network on Disabilities

CEU Continuing Education Units

CFR Code of Federal Regulation

CH Chemical Health

CHADD Children and Adults with Attention Deficit Disorder

CHIP Children's Health Insurance Plan

CHIPS Child in Need of Protection or Services

CI Community Intervention (ARMHS service category)

CISN Community Integrated Service Network

CMA Case Management Associate

CMH Children's Mental Health/Children's Mental Health Division (DHS)

CMHA Comprehensive Mental Health Act

CMHC Community Mental Health Center - also Children's Mental Health Collaborative

CMHRS Community Mental Health Reporting System is the primary source for statistics

on community mental health services.

CMHS Center for Mental Health Services (federal - SAMHSA)

CMHS Chemical & Mental Health Services Administration (within DHS)

CMS Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

CNS-MH Certified Nurse Specialist-Mental Health

COBRA Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 [Federal Public Law

99-272.1

COC Certificate of Coverage - A description of the benefits included in a carrier's

plan. The certificate is required by state laws and represents the coverage provided under the contract issued to the employer. The certificate is provided

to the employee.

COFR County of Financial Responsibility

COLA Cost of Living Adjustment

CCDO Coordinated Care Delivery Organization

CCDS Coordinated Care Delivery System

CCO Coordinated Care Organization

CPS Child Protection Services

CRS Crisis Response Services

CS Clinical Supervision

CSAP Center for Substance Abuse Prevention

CSAT Center for Substance Abuse Treatment

CSHCN Children with special health care needs - Those children who have or are at

increased risk for chronic physical, developmental, behavioral or emotional conditions and who also require health and related services that extend beyond the type and amount generally required by children. Conditions of risk may be diagnosed disorders; events that occur during prenatal, perinatal or neonatal periods; and environmental conditions such as poverty and family stress.

CSIS Community Services Information System - A computerized social service

tracking system designed to provide information on social service caseloads to

assist social service agencies in program planning and administration.

CSMD Community Supports for Minnesotans with Disabilities (is now DSD, Disability

Services Division)

CSN Mental Health Consumer/Survivor Network of Minnesota

CSP Mental Health Community Support Program services

CSSA Community Social Services Act

C&TC Child and Teen Checkups is the name for Minnesota's Early and Periodic

Screening Diagnosis and Treatment Program (see EPSDT)

CTSS Children's Therapeutic Services and Supports

CW-TCM Child Welfare - Targeted Case Management

CY Calendar Year (January 1 to December 31)

D

DA Diagnostic Assessment

DAANES Drug and Alcohol Abuse Normative Evaluation System

DBT Dialectic Behavioral Therapy

DC:0-3R Diagnostic Classification of Mental Health and Development Disorders of

Infancy and Early Childhood

DD Developmental Disability – Diagnosis of a developmental disability or a related

condition resulting in substantial functional limitations or deficits in adaptive behavior and manifestation these conditions before the 21st birthday of person

with a this diagnosis

DD/RC Developmental Disability or a Related Condition

DDS Disability Determination Services

DES Department of Economic Security

DHHS United States Department of Health and Human Services

DHS Minnesota Department of Human Services

DHHSD Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services Division

DID Dissociative Identity Disorder

DJT Department of Jobs and Training

DLC Disability Law Center

DME Durable medical equipment

DOB Date of Birth

DOC Department of Corrections, also Difficulty of Care

DOS Date of Service - The date on which health care services were provided to the

covered person.

DPA Data Practices Act

DRG Diagnosis-Related Group - Classification of procedures used to sort hospital

patients by discharge diagnosis into categories that are medically similar and have approximately equivalent lengths of stay. DRGs are used by MA and

GAMC.

DSD Disability Services Division

DSM-IV Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, 4th Edition-Revised -

American Psychiatric Association's official manual of mental disorders. Manual

contains glossary of descriptions of the diagnostic categories.

DT Day Treatment

DVR Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

Dx Diagnosis

E

EA Emergency Assistance

EAP Employee Assistance Program - Services designed to assist employees, their

family members and employers in finding solutions for workplace and

personal problems.

EBD Emotional and Behavioral Disorders

EBP Evidence-Based Practices are effective mental health interventions that are

grounded in consistent research evidence. The research is sufficiently specific to permit the assessment of the quality of the practices rendered as well as the outcomes. A core set of interventions has been identified to help persons attain better outcomes in terms of symptoms, functional status, and quality of life. Controlled research on these interventions suggests specific benefits in the areas of relapse and re-hospitalization, housing stability, competitive employment,

social functioning, psychotic symptoms, and substance use disorders.

EBT Electronic Benefit Transfer

ECFE Early Childhood Family Education

ECSII Early Childhood Service Intensity Instrument

ECT Electric Convulsive Treatment (Electric Shock Treatment)

ED Elderly/Disabled

ED Emotional Disturbance

EDP ElderlyCare Development Partnership - The most recent phase of the program

that began as the Seniors Agenda for Independent Living (SAIL) is known as ElderCare Development Partnership. It includes five projects covering 37 counties. These partnerships design and implement local programs consistent with statewide strategies launched by the Long-Term Care Task Force.

EGA Emergency General Assistance (also known as GA-EA)

E-GAMC Emergency General Assistance Medical Care

EHR Electronic Health Record

EIS Eligibility Information System - The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid

Services' (formerly the HCFA) term for the system used to determine Medicaid

eligibility.

E-MA Emergency Medical Assistance

EMR Electronic Medical Record

EPD Employed Persons with Disabilities - MA option for people with disabilities

who are employed.

EPE Extended Period of Eligibility

EPHI Electronic Protected Health Information

EPSDT Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment – Program is a required

service under Title XIX of the Social Security Act. It is a comprehensive child health program provided to children and teens, newborn through ages 20, who are enrolled in Medical Assistance or MinnesotaCare. The purpose of the program is to reduce the impact of childhood health problems by identifying,

diagnosing and treating health problems early. (See C&TC)

EQRO External Quality Review Organization

ER Emergency Room

ES Employment Services

ESI Employer Sponsored Insurance

EW Elderly Waiver program - DHS operates the EW program under a federal

waiver to Minnesota's Medicaid State Plan. The program funds home and community based services for people 65 and older who require the level of medical care provided in a nursing home but choose to reside in the community.

EVS DHS' system to verify enrollees' coverage and eligibility dates under the health

care programs.

F

FA Functional Assessment

FBG Community Mental Health Services Federal Block Grant (federal grant to state)

FCSS Family Community Support Services – children's mental health rehabilitation

program

FFCMH Federation of Families for Children's Mental Health

FFP Federal Financial Participation - Federal monies, matched by state and local

monies, which are used to provide for maintenance service needs of eligible individuals. For example, federal monies available through Title XX of the

Social Service Act to be used in payment for social services.

FFS Fee For Service

FFY Federal Fiscal Year - Oct. 1 through Sept. 30. Federal funding is appropriated

based on these dates.

FNS Food and Nutrition Service - Government unit that works with federally funded

nutrition programs. Chief functions are to authorize retailers to accept food support (formerly food stamps), provide Federal Quality Control by monitoring State Quality Control and to oversee the WIC (Women, Infants and Children)

nutrition program.

FPG Federal Poverty Guidelines

FPL Federal Poverty Level

FQHC Federally Qualified Health Center

FSC Family Services Collaborative

FTE Full Time Equivalent

FY Fiscal Year

G

GA-EA General Assistance-Emergency Assistance (also known as EGA) - Monies

provided to eligible persons in crisis situations which receiving EGA will resolve, provided that the individual is unable to resolve the crisis situation on their own without EGA and that the situation will result in severe hardship for

the individual if not resolved. Must be a bonafide emergency.

GAO General Accounting Office

GIRPS Goal and objective, Intervention, Response, Plan, and Significant observations

used as an outline for charting contact/progress notes

GRH Group Residential Housing - GRH is a state-funded income supplement

program that pays for room and board costs for low-income persons who have been placed in a licensed or registered setting with which a county human

service agency has negotiated a monthly rate.

Н

HCBS Home and Community-Based Services

HCBW Home and Community Based Medicaid Waivers - Waivers to regular medical

assistance program that are authorized by state law and approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (formerly the federal Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA)), which allows reimbursement of services not usually covered by Medical Assistance (MA), but will help an individual get the services they need in the community and keep them out of an institution. Includes day program, habilitation services, supported employment program, respite care, SILS and adaptive equipment. This program can serve a limited

number of individuals.

HCPCS Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System

HCPD Health Care Purchasing and Delivery Systems

HEDIS Health Plan Employer Data Information Set. A standardized set of performance

measures used to assess the performance of health plans in several areas, including access to care and quality of care. It is sponsored, supported and maintained by the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA).

HHA Home Health Aide

HHA Home Health Agency - A facility or program licensed, certified or otherwise

authorized pursuant to state and federal laws to provide health care services in

the home.

HIPAA Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act

HIT Health Information Technology

HIV/AIDS Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome

HMO Health Maintenance Organization - An organization that provides an agreed-

upon set of basic and supplemental health maintenance and treatment services to an enrolled group of persons within a particular geographic area. The HMO is reimbursed for those services through a predetermined, fixed periodic prepayment made by or on behalf of each person or family unit enrolled in the

HMO without regard to the amounts of actual services provided.

HMIS Homeless Management Information System

HOH/HH Hard of Hearing

HQS Housing Quality Standards

HR Human Resources

HRA Housing Redevelopment Authority

HRSA Health Resources and Services Administration (US Dept. of Health and Human

Services)

HS Human Services

HSS Housing Support Specialists

HUD Housing and Urban Development

I

IAPRS International Association of Psychosocial Rehabilitation Services

ICD International Classification of Diseases - A recognized manual of diagnoses and

diseases.

ICD-9 CM International Classification of Diseases, 9th Edition, Clinical Modification

ICF Intermediate Care Facility - Term is obsolete. Formerly used to identify a

facility certified by the state Department of Health to provide, on a regular basis, health-related services to individuals who do not require hospital or skilled nursing facility care, but whose mental or physical condition required

above the level of room and board.

ICF/DD Intermediate Care Facility for persons with Developmental Disabilities -

Facility certified by the state Department of Health to provide health or rehabilitative services for persons with developmental disabilities or persons

with related conditions who require active treatment.

ICPC Interstate Compact on Placement of Children

ICRS Intensive Community Rehabilitation Service

ICSP Individual Community Support Plan – Service/care plan developed between

client and adult mental health case manager

ICU Intensive Care Unit

IDDT Integrated Dual Diagnosis Treatment – an evidence-based adult mental health

practice which integrates mental illness and chemical dependency treatment

IDEA Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (1990)

IDT Interdisciplinary Team

IEIC Interagency Early Intervention Committee

IEP Individual Education Plan

IEVS Income and eligibility verification system - A set of data exchanges with other

state and federal sources that is used to verify income and assets of MA

applicants and enrollees.

IHS Indian Health Services

ILS Independent Living Service

IMCare Itasca Medical Care

IMD Institution for Mental Diseases - Classification under Medical Assistance (MA)

that denotes a hospital, nursing facility or other institution of more than 16 beds that is primarily engaged in providing diagnosis, treatment or care of persons

with mental diseases.

IMU Income Maintenance Unit workers

IMR Illness Management and Recovery – an evidence-based mental health practice

INS Immigration and Naturalization Services - Agency of the U.S. Department of

Justice, which enforces federal laws on the entry of noncitizens to the United

States and determines who can stay in the country legally.

IPS Individual Placement and Supports (Supported Employment concept/practice)

IRB Institutional Review Board

IRTS Intensive Residential Treatment Services - Facilities with up to 16 beds that

provide short-term, intensive 24/7 mental health treatment.

IS Information System

ISP Individual Service Plan

IT Information Technology

ITP Individual Treatment Plan - A written plan of intervention, treatment and

services for a person with mental illness. It is developed by a service provider under the clinical supervision of a mental health professional on the basis of a

diagnostic assessment.

ITV Interactive Television – Videoconferencing

IV-A Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) Title of the Social Security

Act

J

JCAHO Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organization

JPB Joint Powers Board

JTPA Job Training Partnership ACT

L

LAC Local Advisory Council – county mental health advisory council

LCC Local Coordinating Council

LCP Licensed Clinical Psychologist

LCTS Local collaborative time study - A federal funding source for family service

collaboratives and Children's Mental Health Collaboratives. Time studies statistically measure the percentage of time spent on local activities that help

children and families.

LD Learning Disability

LEP Limited English Proficiency

LICSW Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker

LMFT Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist

LMHA Local Mental Health Authority

LOC Level of Care

LOCUS Level of Care Utilization System - is a level of care instrument developed by the

American Association of Community Psychiatrists. For adult MH-TCM services, it will be used for the purpose of helping to determine appropriate referrals to services.

LOS Length of Stay

LP Licensed Psychologist

LPN Licensed Practical Nurse

LPR Lawful Permanent Resident - An immigrant legally admitted to the United

States under the U.S. Immigration and Nationality Act on a permanent basis.

LSS Lutheran Social Services

LSW Licensed Social Worker

LTC Long Term Care - Medical and social services and supports needed by

individuals who, through age or infirmity, need assistance to remain

independent.

LTCC Long Term Care Consultation

M

MA Medical Assistance - also known as Medicaid or Title XIX of the Social

Security Act

MA-ED Medical Assistance - Elderly Disabled

MA-FC Medical Assistance for Families and Children.

MACMH Minnesota Association for Children's Mental Health

MACMHP Minnesota Association of Community Mental Health Programs

MACSSA Minnesota Association of County Social Service Administrators - formerly

referred to as County Directors Association.

MAHA Minnesota Association of Homes for the Aged

MA-EPD Medical Assistance for Employed Persons with Disabilities

MA-FC Medical Assistance for Families and Children

MA-ID Medical Assistance-Identification Card - ID card mailed by the Department of

Human Services to an eligible individual to show health care provides that the individual is a Medical Assistance recipient and to provide billing information

to the providers.

MAMHRF Minnesota Association of Mental Health Residential Facilities

MAPS Minnesota Accounting and Procurement Systems — MAPS is the statewide

government accounting system used to budget and account for all state revenues

and expenditures.

MAXIS A master computer system that determines eligibility for public assistance to

Minnesota Family Investment Program, Medical Assistance, General

Assistance, food support (formerly Food Stamps), Minnesota Supplemental Aid, eligibility and issues payments for cash and food assistance programs. Originating from the Department of Human Services, this is a statewide system. Not an acronym, but derived from Minnesota ACCESS (ACCESS is the SD

system from which MAXIS evolved.).

MC Managed Care

MCAMHA Minnesota Comprehensive Adult Mental Health Act [Minnesota Statute

245.461 - 245.486.]

MCCMHA Minnesota Comprehensive Children's Mental Health Act [Minnesota Statute

245.487 - 245.4888.1

MCO Managed Care Organization

MCT Mobile Crisis Team

MD Medical Doctor

MDE Minnesota Department of Education

MDH Minnesota Department of Health

MDMDA Minnesota Depressive and Manic Depressive Association

MEED Minnesota Employment and Economic Development Act

METO Minnesota Extended Treatment Options

MFIP Minnesota Family Investment Program - A program designed to simplify the

structure and administration of the public assistance system in Minnesota. The focus is on using existing resources more effectively and efficiently and includes consolidating Temporary Assistance to Families (TANF), Family General Assistance (FGA), and food support (formerly known as food stamps)

and to help promote recipients' transition to self-sufficiency.

MH Mental Health

MHA Mental Health Association (of Minnesota)

MHBA Mental Health Behavioral Aide

MHCP Minnesota Health Care Programs - PMAP/PGAMC (Prepaid Medical Assistance

Program/Prepaid General Assistance Medical Care Program), MinnesotaCare, Minnesota Senior Health Option, Minnesota Disability Health Option, Minnesota

Senior Care, and Minnesota Senior Care Plus, others

MHCSN-MN Mental Health Consumer/Survivor Network of Minnesota

MHFA Minnesota Housing Finance Agency

MHI Mental Health Initiatives

MHLP Mental Health Law Project

MHP Mental Health Professional

MHP Metropolitan Health Plan

MHCP Mental Health Program Consultant

MH-TCM Mental Health Targeted Case Management

MI Mental Illness

MI Motivational Interviewing

MI/CD Mental Illness/Chemical Dependency

MI & D Mentally Ill and Dangerous

MMA Minnesota Medical Association

MMHAG Minnesota Mental Health Action Group

MMIS Medicaid Management Information System - Mechanized claims processing

and information retrieval system used by the Medical Assistance program.

MMPI Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory

MNCare Minnesota Care – a Minnesota Health Care Program

MnDHO Minnesota Disability Health Options - A voluntary managed care program that

combines Medicare and Medicaid financing and services for people ages 18 through 64, who have a certified disability, and are eligible for Medical Assistance. Home and community- based services are provided by the health

plan.

MN-ITS Minnesota Information Transfer System

MnSIC Minnesota State Interagency Committee

MOE Maintenance of Effort

MOMA Maltreatment of Minors Act

MRO Medicaid Rehabilitation Option

MS Minnesota Statutes

MSA Minnesota Supplemental Aid - State program that provides financial assistance

to elderly, disabled and blind recipients or Supplemental Security Income (SSI).

MSH Minnesota Security Hospital

MSHO Minnesota Senior Health Options - A voluntary managed care program that

combines Medicare and Medicaid financing and acute and long-term care service delivery systems for people age 65 or older. Formerly known as the

Long Term Care Options Project.

MSOCS Minnesota State Operated Community Services

MSOP Minnesota Sex Offender Program, Moose Lake and St. Peter

MSSA Minnesota Social Services Association

MUA Medically Underserved Areas

MUP Medically Underserved Populations

N

NACBHD National Association of County Behavioral Health Directors

NAMHPAC National Association of Mental Health Planning and Advisory Councils

NAMI National Alliance on Mental Illness

NAMI- National Alliance on Mental Illness – Minnesota Chapter

Minnesota

NARPA National Association for Rights and Advocacy

NASMHPD National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors

NASUA National Association for State Units on Aging

NF Nursing Facility - An institution, certified by the state Department of Health to

provide skilled nursing care.

NHIN National Health Information Network

NIAAA National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism

NIDA National Institute on Drug Abuse

NIH National Institutes of Health

NIMH National Institute of Mental Health

NOM National Outcome Measure – national mental health goals

NP Nurse Practitioner

NPF Non Profit

NPI National Provider Identifier - A HIPAA Administrative Simplification

Standard; a unique 10-position, intelligence-free numeric identifier for covered health care providers, health plans and health care clearinghouses for the administrative and financial transactions adopted under HIPAA. MHCP-enrolled providers must use the NPI or UMPI on all paper and electronic health

care eligibility, authorization, claim and payment transactions.

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OBRA Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1981 [Federal Laws: OBRA 1987]

(Public Law 100-203), OBRA 1989 (Public Law 101-239), and OBRA 1990

(Public Law 101-5080) and OBRA 1993 (Public Law 103-66).]

OCD Obsessive Compulsive Disorder

OEP Open Enrollment Period

OIG Office of Inspector General

OJT On the job training

OMB Office of Management and Budget - Federal agency of the Executive Office of

the President's Office of Administration. Also stands for the Office of

Management of Budget at DHS, which is part of the Finance and Management

Operations administration.

OSA Office of State Auditor

OT Occupational Therapy/Therapist

OTC Over The Counter

P

P4P Pay for Performance

PA Prior Authorization - Method of authorizing Medical Assistance or General

Assistance Medical Care coverage of certain restricted health care services.

DHS administers PA system.

PA Physician's Assistant

P&A Protection and Advocacy

PACE Program of All-inclusive Care of the Elderly

PACER Parent Advocacy Coalition for Educational Rights

PADS Psychiatric Advance Directives

PAS Preadmission Screening - Program that screens an individual before entering a

nursing facility - screening outcome recommends nursing facility care or home

care if applicable.

PASRR Preadmission Screening Resident Review

PASS Plan to achieve self-support

PATH Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness

PBC Performance Based Contracting

PCA Personal Care Assistant

PCIT Parent-Child Interactive Therapy

PCN Primary Care Network - A group of primary care physicians who have joined

together to share the risk of providing care to their patients who are covered by

a given health plan

PCP Primary Care Physician - A physician whose practice is devoted primary to

internal medicine, family/general practice and pediatrics (or primary care

provider)

PCCM Primary Care Case Manager

PCP Person-Centered Planning - A process focusing on the person and what he or

she wants for the future.

PD Provisional Discharge

PDD Pervasive Developmental Disability

PDN Private Duty Nursing

PDP Prescription Drug Program

PGAMC Prepaid General Assistance Medical Care

PHI Protected Health Information

PHN Public Health Nurse

PHP Prepaid Health Plan

PIN Personal Identification Number

PIN Preferred Integrated Network

PIP Practice/Physician Incentive Program

PMAP Prepaid Medical Assistance Program

PMI Person Master Index - A unique identification number that MAXIS assigns to

each person

PMPM Per Member Per Month

PMPY PMPY

PMQI Performance Measurement & Quality Improvement

PMR Person Months Receiving

POMS Program Operations Manual System - Social Security Administration's policy

manual for its programs including SSI.

PPD Psychopathic Personality Disorder

PPO Preferred Provider Organization - A program in which contracts are established

with providers of medical care. Providers under such contracts are referred to as

preferred providers

PPS Prospective Payment System - Payment system in which the payments are not

retroactively settled but are paid under a fixed fee schedule.

PPS Pre-petition Screening

PRS Psychosocial Rehabilitation Service

PsyD Doctor of Psychology

PT Physical Therapy

PTE Pathways to Employment

PTSD Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder

Q

QA Quality Assurance

QI or CQI Quality Improvement or Continuous Quality Improvement - Service design that

uses continuous feedback to improve effectiveness and/or efficiency.

QM Quality Management

R

RCA Refugee Cash Assistance - A program that provides time limited financial help

to refugees ineligible for both MFIP and SSI.

RES Refugee Employment Services

RFI Request for Information

RFP Request for Proposal - A formal notification that funds are available and

invitation to service providers to submit grant proposals.

RMA Refugee Medical Assistance - Medical Assistance available to persons newly

arrived in the United States as refugees from another country.

RMS Random Moment Time Study

RN Registered Nurse

RRC Regional Resource Center (Mental Health CSN)

RRP Refugee Resettlement Program - Program of cash, medical and support services

provided as assistance to refugees under the Refugee Act of 1980.

RSC Regional Services Center for Deaf and Hard of Hearing People - Minnesota has

eight Regional Service Centers in different areas of the state; all of which provide regional consultants, interpreters and telephone equipment distribution

program staff.

RSDI Retirement, Survivors, Disability Insurance - Social Security entitlement under

Title II of the Social Security Act.

RSS Refugee Social Services

RTC Regional Treatment Center - A state-operated institutional facility providing 24-

hour a day care and treatment for persons diagnosed as mentally ill or

chemically dependent. Formerly known as state hospitals.

S

SAC State Advisory Council (on Mental Health)

SAMHSA Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

SBIRT Screening/Brief Intervention/Referral for Treatment

SCHA South Country Health Alliance

SCHIP State Children's Health Insurance Program. Allows states to establish a state-

designed program, to expand their Medicaid program, or to use a combination

of these approaches to provide health insurance to low-income children.

SDQ Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire

SE Supported Employment - an evidence-based adult mental health practice

SED Serious Emotional Disturbance

SELF Support for emancipation and living functionally is a program to help older

adolescents in substitute care transition to independent living.

SEMA4 The payroll, human resources and benefits system developed and supported by

the departments of Finance and Employee Relations.

SEP Supported Employment Program - A program to assist a developmentally

disabled (DD) person to keep a job with support from a program that includes a job coach, social workers and staff knowledgeable in working with individuals

with DD.

SFY State Fiscal Year – July 1st to the following June 30th – example SFY2010 is

July1, 2009 to June 30th, 2010.

SG Substantial Gainful Employment

SIRS Surveillance & Integrity Review Section

SLR Supported Living Residence

SMHAC State Mental Health Advisory Council. Established by state statute (M.S.

245.697); composed of 30 members appointed by the governor to advise the governor, the Legislature and the Department of Human Services on policies,

programs and services to persons with mental illness.

SMRT State Medical Review Team - determines disability status using Social Security

Administration criteria

SMI Serious Mental Illness

SMI Supplemental Medical Insurance. Part B of the Medicare program.

SNAPP Strengths, Needs, Abilities, Preferences, Perception of Illness and Risk –

Interpretive summary paints a picture of the client and incorporates a client's

SNAPP

SNBC Special Needs BasicCare - A voluntary managed care program that combines

Medicare and Medicaid financing and services for people ages 18 through 64, who have a certified disability, and are eligible for Medical Assistance. People who enroll continue to receive most home and community-based services

Medical Assistance fee-for-service.

SNF Skilled Nursing Facility - Facility certified by the state Department of Health to

provide on a daily, inpatient v\basis health-related services as defined by

Medicare

SNV Skilled Nursing Visit

SOAR SSI/SSDI Outreach Access and Recovery

SOCS State Operated Community Services - Community ICFs/MR facilities with

fewer than six beds that are operated by the Department of Human Services.

SOGS South Oaks Gambling Screen (screening tool)

SOS State Operated Services

SPA State Plan Amendment

SPMI Serious and Persistent Mental Illness

SPRTC St. Peter Regional Treatment Center

SRO Single Room Occupancy

SSA Social Security Administration, also Social Security Act

SSDI/IRSDI Social Security Disability Income/Retirement, Survivors and Disability

Insurance

SSI Supplemental Security Income - Federal program that provides a monthly grant

to qualified aged, blind and disabled individuals under Title XVI of the Social

Security Act to help pay their living expenses.

SSIS Social Service Information System - a statewide electronic record system.

SSTS Social Services Time Study - A federally approved method of allocating social

service costs of administering Title IV-E and Medical Assistance.

ST Speech Therapist

SW Social Worker

T

TACIP Telephone Access for Communicating with Hearing Impaired Persons

TANF Temporary Assistance for Needy Families - A federal block grant to states that

replaced AFDC, implemented in Minnesota as MFIP.

TBI Traumatic Brain Injury

TCM Targeted Case Management

TD Tardive Dyskinesia

TDD Telephone Device for the Deaf

TEFRA Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act of 1962 - Federal Public Law 97-248.

This term is also commonly used to describe the optional medical assistance (MA) category of eligibility enacted under TEFRA Subs. 134 for disabled children who require a level of care of an institutional setting and who, if they lived in an institution, would be MA eligible but for whom care at home is less

expensive for the MA program.

TF-CBT Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy

TPL Third Party Liability

TSFC Therapeutic Support for Foster Care - a rehabilitation program.

TWP Trial Work Period

U

UCARE Minnesota UCARE

UCR Usual, Customary and Reasonable - Health care providers' charge to the general

public for a service.

UM Utilization Management - A process of integrating review and case

management of services in a cooperative effort with other parties, including

patients, employers, providers and payers.

UMPI Unique Minnesota Provider Identifier – The Minnesota equivalent of NPI for

atypical providers who do not meet the federal definition of a health care

provider. MHCP-enrolled providers must use the NPI or UMPI on all paper and electronic health care eligibility, authorization, claim and payment transactions.

UR Utilization Review - A formal assessment of the medical necessity, efficiency

and/or appropriateness of health care services and treatment plans on a

prospective, concurrent or retrospective basis.

V

VA Veterans Administration or Vulnerable Adult

VAA Vulnerable Adult Act

VFCA Voluntary Foster Care Agreement

VR Vocational Rehabilitation

W

WIC Women, Infants and Children Program - Supplemental food program for

nutritionally at-risk pregnant or nursing women, infants and children to age 6.

WIS Welfare Information System - Computerized case information file which

maintains eligibility information for the various public assistance programs.

WRAP Wellness Recovery Action Plan

WS Waivered Services

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YTD Year To Date

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