

Acronyms

AAA	Area Agency on Aging
AAIDD	American Association for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities
ABA	Applied Behavior Analysis
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act
ADL	Activities of Daily Living
ADS	Adult Day Services
ADT	Adult Development Training
AE	Administrative Entity
AS	Asperger Syndrome
ASD	Autism Spectrum Disorder
AT	Assistive Technology
ATF	Adult Training Facility
BHA	Bureau of Hearings and Appeals
BHRS	Behavioral Health Rehabilitative Services
BIP	Behavior Intervention Plan
BSE	Bureau of Special Education
BSU	Base Service Unit
CAAC	County Administrators Advisory Committee
CAO	County Assistance Office
CASSP	Child & Adolescent Service System Program
CDS	College of Direct Support
CLA	Community Living Arrangement
CLM	Competent Learner Model
CMS	Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services
DD	Developmental Disability or Dual Diagnosis
DPW	Department of Public Welfare
DRN	Disability Rights Network
ED	Emotional Disturbance
EDL	Everyday Lives

EI	Early Intervention
EITA	Early Intervention Technical Assistance
EPSDT	Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment
ER	Evaluation Report
ESY	Extended School Year
FAPE	Free Appropriate Public Education
FBA	Functional Behavioral Assessment
FBVR	Facility Based Vocational Rehabilitation
FC	Facilitated Communication
FERPA	Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
FFP	Federal Financial Participation
FLP	Family Living Provider
FSS	Family Support Services
HCBS	Home and Community Based Services
HCQU	Health Care Quality Unit
HCSIS	Home and Community Services Information System
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
HRP	Health Risk Profile
ICF/MR	Intermediate Care Facility/Mental Retardation
ICM	Intensive Case Management
IDEA	Individuals With Disabilities Education Act
IEP	Individualized Education Program
IESF	Individual Emergency Support Form
IM	Incident Management
IM4Q	Independent Monitoring for Quality
ISO	Intermediary Service Organization
ISP	Individual Support Plan
IU	Intermediate Unit (Local Education Agency)
LEA	Local Education Agency
LICC	Local Interagency Coordinating Council
LMS	Learning Management System
LOC	Level of Care

LRE	Least Restrictive Environment
MA	Medical Assistance
MCI	Master Client Index
MDT	Multidisciplinary Team
MH/MR	Mental Health/Mental Retardation
MPI	Master Provider Index
NOREP	Notice of Recommended Educational Placement
OA	Operating Agreement
OCDEL	Office of Child Development and Early Learning
OCS	Office of Developmental Programs Consulting System
OCYF	Office of Children, Youth and Families
ODP	Office of Developmental Programs
ODR	Office for Dispute Resolution
OLTL	Office of Long Term Living (formerly Office of Social Programs)
OMAP	Office of Medical Assistance Programs
OMHSAS	Office of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services
OSEP	Office of Special Education Programs
OVR	Office of Vocational Rehabilitation
P/FDS	Person/Family Directed Support Waiver
PA Plus	Supplemental questions for Pennsylvania that accompany the SIS
PAC	Planning and Advisory Committee (to the Office of Developmental Programs)
PASA	Pennsylvania Alternate System of Assessment
PaTTAN	Pennsylvania Training and Technical Assistance Network
PCBH	Personal Care Boarding Home
PCP	Person Centered Planning
PDD	Pervasive Developmental Disorder
PDD-NOS	Pervasive Developmental Disorder - Not Otherwise Specified
PDE	Pennsylvania Department of Education
PLF	Private Licensed Facility (Interim Care)

PPRT	Positive Practices Resource Team
PROMISe™	Provider Reimbursement and Operation Management Information System
PUNS	Prioritization of Urgency of Need for Services
QI or QM	Quality Initiative or Quality Management
QMRP	Qualified Mental Retardation Professional
SBBH	School Based Behavioral Health
SC	Supports Coordinator
SDI	Specially Designed Instruction
SEA	State Educational Agency
SEAP	Special Education Advisory Panel
SEES Plan	Social/Emotional/Environmental Support Plan
SEP	Supported Employment Program
SIS	Supports Intensity Scale
SSA	Social Security Administration
SSD	Services and Supports Directory
SSDI	Social Security Disability Income
SSI	Supplemental Security Income
TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury
TEACCH	Treatment and Education of Autistic and Related Communication-Handicapped Children
TSM	Targeted Service Management
TSS	Therapeutic Staff Support
VB	Verbal Behavior
VF/EA FMS	Vendor Fiscal/Employer Agent Fiscal Management Services

