

Acronym List

<u>Acronym</u>	<u>Full Term</u>	<u>Category</u>
ACEs	Adverse Childhood Experiences	Concept
ACOM	AHCCCS Contractors Operations Manual	Entity
ACT	Assertive Community Treatment	Concept
ADA	Americans with Disabilities ACT	Entity
ADD	Attention Deficit Disorder	Condition/Substance
ADHD	Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder	Condition/Substance
ADHS	Arizona Department of Health Services	Entity
ADL	Activities of Daily Living	Concept
ADP	American Data Processing (human resources software)	Software
AHCCCS	Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (Medicaid)	Entity
AIDS	Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome	Condition/Substance
ALTCS	Arizona Long Term Care Services	Entity
AMA	Against Medical Advice	Charting
Amp	Amphetamine(s)	Condition/Substance
AMPM	AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual	Entity
AOD	Alcohol and Other Drugs	Condition/Substance
APA	American Psychological Association	Entity
APS	Adult Protective Services	Entity
ARROWS	Alert, Respond, Refer, Outreach, Wraparound Services	Protocol
ART	Adult Recovery Team	Concept
ASAM	American Society of Addiction Medicine	Entity
ASIST	Applied Suicide Intervention Skill Training	Concept
ASOC	Adult System of Care	Entity
ASU	Arizona State University	Entity
ATD	Association for Talent Development	Entity
AWFDA	AzAHP Workforce Development Alliance	Entity
AWOL	Absent Without Leave	Charting
AZAHP	Arizona Association of Health Plans	Entity
AzCH	Arizona Complete Health	Entity
AzEIP	Arizona Early Intervention Program	Entity
AzSH	Arizona State Hospital (most intense level of psychiatric care in AZ)	Entity
B-UFC	Banner-University Family Care	Entity
BH	Behavioral Health	Concept
BHH	Behavioral Health Home (see also Health Home, Integrated Health Home)	Entity
BHMP	Behavioral Health Medical Practitioner	Person
BHP	Behavioral Health Professional (Licensed, Master's level)	Person
BHPP	Behavioral Health Paraprofessional	Person
BHRF	Behavioral Health Residential Facility	Entity
BHS/BHT/BHW	Behavioral Health Specialist/Technician/Worker	Person
KA	Below Knee Amputation	Condition/Substance
BOWS	Benzodiazepine & Opiate Warning Signs	Protocol
BPAD	Bipolar (Affective) Disorder	Condition/Substance
BPD	Borderline Personality Disorder	Condition/Substance
Bx	Behavior	Charting
BZO	Benzodiazepines	Condition/Substance
C/O	Complains or Complaint of	Charting
CALOCUS/LOCUS	Child & Adolescent Level of Care Utilization System for Psychiatric and Addiction Services	Concept

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Care1st	Care 1 st Health Plan Arizona	Entity
CASA	Court Appointed Special Advocate	Person
CBHSF	Children’s Behavioral Health Service Funds	Funding
CBT	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy	Concept
CCO	Chief Clinical Officer	Person
CD	Conduct Disorder	Condition/Substance
CEO	Chief Executive Officer	Person
CFO	Chief Financial Officer	Person
CFR	Case File Review (HCA/AHCCCS QM chart auditing)	Concept
CFT	Child and Family Team	Concept
CHP	Comprehensive Health Plan	Entity
CHF	Congestive Heart Failure	Condition/Substance
CHI	Closed Head Injury	Condition/Substance
CIO	Chief Information Officer	Person
CLAS	Culturally & Linguistically Appropriate Services (set of standards)	Concept
CM	Case Manager (at health home)	Person
CMO	Chief Medical Officer	Person
CMS	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (overseers of AHCCCS)	Entity
COC	Coordination of Care	Concept
COE	Court Ordered Evaluation (involuntary commitment)	Legal
COO	Chief Operating (or Operations) Officer	Person
COPD	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease	Condition/Substance
COT	Court Ordered Treatment (involuntary commitment)	Legal
CPI	Crisis Prevention Institute	Entity
CP/I	Crisis Prevention/Intervention	Concept
CPR	Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation	Concept
CPT	Cognitive Processing Therapy	Concept
CSA	Community Service Agency	Entity
CSOC	Children’s System of Care	Entity
CSPMP	Controlled Substance Prescriptions Monitoring Program	Concept
DBT	Dialectical Behavioral Therapy	Concept
DCS	Department of Child Safety	Entity
DCW	Direct Care Worker	Person
DDD	Division of Developmental Disabilities	Entity
DEDD	Diazepam Equivalent Daily Dose	Concept
DEP	Dependence	Condition/Substance
DM	Disease Management	Program/Department
DMO	Deputy Medical Officer	Person
DOB	Date of Birth	Charting
DOC	Department of Corrections (prison)	Protocol
DRG	Diagnosis Related Group	Charting
DSM 5	Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders Fifth Edition	Entity
Dx	Diagnosis	Charting
ED	Emergency Department	Entity
EDGE	Empowering, Development, Growth & Change	Software
EHR	Electronic Health Record	Concept
EMDR	Eye Movement Desensitization & Reprocessing	Concept
EMR	Electronic Medical Record	Concept
EPSDT	Early Periodic Screening Diagnosis & Treatment	Program/Department
ETOH	Alcohol	Condition/Substance
EVV	Electronic Verification System	Concept

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FFS	Fee For Service	Concept
FMRI	Functional Magnetic Resonance Imaging	Concept
FPE	Family Psychoeducation	Concept
FQHC	Federally Qualified Health Center	Entity
FSS	Family Support Specialist	Person
G&A	Grievance & Appeal	Program/Department
GAD	Generalized Anxiety Disorder	Condition/Substance
GMH	General Mental Health	Concept
GMHSA	General Mental Health or Substance Abuse (adult, non-SMI population)	Concept
GOYFF	Governor's Office of Youth, Faith & Families	Entity
HCA	Health Choice Arizona	Entity
HCB	Health Care Buddy	Person
HCV	Hepatitis C Virus	Condition/Substance
HH	Health Home	Entity
HIE	Health Information Exchange	Concept
HIPAA	Health Insurance Privacy & Accountability Act (federal confidentiality law)	Legal
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus	Condition/Substance
HNCM	High Needs Case Manager	Person
HP	Health Plan	Entity
Hx	History	Charting
IAD	Incident, Accident, Death (Report)	Concept
ICC	Integrated Clinical Coordinator	Person
ICD	International Classification of Diseases	Entity
ICM	Integrated Care Manager	Person
ICMP	Integrated Care Management Plan	Concept
ICU	Intensive Care Unit	Entity
IDDM	Insulin Dependent Diabetes Mellitus	Condition/Substance
IDDT	Integrated Dual Disorder Treatment	Concept
IHCDO	Integrated Health Care Development Officer	Person
IHH	Integrated Health Home	Entity
ILS	Independent Living Skills	Concept
IMR	Illness Management Recovery	Concept
IOP	Intensive Outpatient (Program)	Program/Department
ISP	Individual Service Plan	Concept
IISP	Integrated Individual Service Plan	Concept
L2000	Legal 2000 (involuntary commitment in NV)	Legal
LGBTQ2SIA	Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Transsexual, Queer and Questioning, Two-Spirit, Intersex Asexual and Advocate/Ally	
LMS	Learning Management System	Concept
LOA	Letter of Agreement	Concept
LOC	Level of Consciousness	Charting
LOC	Level of Care	Concept
M&M	Mortality & Morbidity (Committee)	Concept
MC	Mercy Care	Entity
MCA	Mercy Care Advantage	Entity
MCC	Molina Complete Care	Entity
MCH	Maternal/Child Health	Program/Department
MCO	Managed Care Organization	Entity
MCS	Mobile Crisis Stabilization	Concept
MDD	Major Depressive Disorder	Condition/Substance
MEDD	Morphine Equivalent Daily Dose	Concept

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Meth	Methamphetamines	Condition/Substance
MH	Mental Health	Condition/Substance
MHBG	Mental Health Block Grant	Concept
MI	Motivational Interviewing	Concept
MIS	Management of Information Systems	Program/Department
MM	Medical Management	Program/Department
MMR	Mild Mental Retardation	Condition/Substance
MOR	Monthly Operating Review (reporting to AHCCCS)	Concept
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding (contract type)	Concept
MRE	Most Recent Episode	Charting
NAMI	National Alliance on Mental Health	Entity
NAU	Northern Arizona University	Entity
NEO	New Employee Orientation	Concept
NIMH	National Institute of Mental Health	Entity
NKA	No Known Allergies	Charting
NKDA	No Known Drug Allergies	Charting
NMT/NME/NMC/NMS	Neurosequential Model of Therapeutics/in Education/Caregiving/Sport)	Concept
NOS	Not Otherwise Specified	Charting
OCD	Obsessive Compulsive Disorder	Condition/Substance
ODD	Oppositional Defiant Disorder	Condition/Substance
OIFA	Office of Individual & Family Affairs	Entity
OXY	Oxycodone	Condition/Substance
PBIS	Positive Behavior Intervention and Support	Concept
PCIT	Parent-Child Interaction Therapy	
PCL	Population Care Lead	Person
PCP	Primary Care Physician (or Provider or Practitioner)	Person
PD	Personality Disorder	Condition/Substance
PDD	Pervasive Developmental Disorder	Condition/Substance
PHI	Protected Health Information	Legal
PI	Performance Improvement	Program/Department
PRN	Per Request Needed ("As Needed")	Charting
PSS	Peer Support Specialist	Person
PTSD	Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder	Condition/Substance
Px	Physical	Charting
QM	Quality Management	Program/Department
R/O	Rule Out	Charting
R/T	Related To	Charting
RBHA	Regional Behavioral Health Authority	Entity
ROI	Release of Information, short for "Authorization to Use/Disclose PHI"	Legal
RPM	Repository of Policies and Manuals	Software
RSA	Rehabilitation Services Administration	Entity
RTC	Residential Treatment Center	Entity
RW	Recover Wellness	Program/Department
Rx	Prescription	Charting
SABG/SAPT	Substance Abuse Block Grant / Substance Abuse Prevention & Treatment	Concept
SAD	Seasonal Affective Disorder	Condition/Substance
SafeTALK	Suicide Alertness for Everyone	Concept
SAMHSA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration	Entity
SCA	Single Case Agreement	Concept
SE	Somatic Experience	Condition/Substance
SED	Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (designation for children only)	Concept

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SDOH	Social Determinants of Health	Concept
SHG	Spectrum Health Group (health home in eastern Yavapai County)	Entity
SHOUT	Safety-Help-Outreach-Understand-Track (suicide re-attempt prevention)	Protocol
SH	Self harm	Condition/Substance
SI	Suicidal Ideation	Condition/Substance
SLMC	St. Luke's Medical Center (hospital in Maricopa County, IASIS-owned)	Entity
SMI	Seriously Mentally Ill or Serious Mental Illness (designation for adults only)	Concept
SNF	Skilled Nursing Facility	Entity
SUD	Substance Use Disorder	Condition/Substance
Sx	Symptoms	Charting
T36	Title 36 (involuntary commitment statute in AZ law)	Legal
TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury	Condition/Substance
TBRI	Trust-Based Relational Intervention	Concept
TCI	Therapeutic Crisis Intervention	Concept
TIC	Trauma-Informed Care	Concept
TITLE XIX	Title 19 Medicaid Eligibility	Concept
TFCBT	Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy	Concept
TFT	Thought-Field Therapy	Concept
Tx	Treatment	Charting
UArizona	University of Arizona	Entity
UDS	Urine Drug Screen	Concept
UHCCP	UnitedHealthcare Community Plan	Entity
UHG	Unitedhealth Group	Entity
UM	Utilization Management	Program/Department
VBP	Value Based Program/Purchasing	Concept
VR	Vocational Rehabilitation	Program/Department
WFD	Workforce Development	Concept
WFDP	Workforce Development Plan	Concept
WICHE	Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education	Entity
WITS	Web Infrastructure for Treatment Services	Concept

Additional Acronym Resources:

AHCCCS List: <https://www.azahcccs.gov/shared/acronyms.html>

MedicineNet: https://www.medicinenet.com/common_medical_abbreviations_and_terms/article.htm

Office of Mental Health: <https://omh.ny.gov/omhweb/resources/acronyms.html>

SAMHSA: <https://www.samhsa.gov/grants/grants-glossary>