

Provider Manual

Section 17.0

Acronyms

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Acronym	Definition
AAA	Area Agencies on Aging
AAP	American Academy of Pediatrics
ABMS	American Board of Medical Specialists
ACCESS	Automated Community Connection to Economic Self-Sufficiency, the Department of Children and Families' public assistance service delivery system
ACOG	American College of Obstetricians & Gynecologists AHCA
AMA	American Medical Association
ARNP	Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner
CAP	Corrective Action Plan
CAQH	Council for Affordable Quality Healthcare
CCP	Cultural Competency Plan
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CHCUP	Child Health Check-Up Program
CHD	County Health Department
CMS	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
COPD	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
CPT®	Physicians' Current Procedural Terminology
DCF	Florida Department of Children and Families
DD	Developmental Disability or Developmental Disabilities

DME	Durable Medical Equipment
DOEA	Department of Elder Affairs
DOH	Department of Health
DRG	Diagnostic Related Group
DSM	Direct Secure Messaging
EDI	Electronic Data Interchange
EFT	Electronic Funds Transfer
EH	Emotionally Handicapped
EOB	Explanation of Medicaid Benefits
EPO	Exclusive Provider Organization
EPSDT	Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment Program
ER	Emergency Room
ERA	Electronic Remittance Advice
FQHC	Federally Qualified Health Center
F.S.	Florida Statutes
HCB	Home and Community-Based
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HEDIS	Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set
HHS	Health and Human Services Department
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
HIPP	Health Insurance Premium Payment
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
HMO	Health Maintenance Organization
ICP	Institutional Care Program

ID	Identification Card
IVR	Interactive Voice Response System
LTC	Long-Term Care
MCP	Managed Care Plan
MMA	Managed Medical Assistance
NAIC	National Association of Insurance Commissioners
NCCI	National Correct Coding Initiative
NCPDP	National Council for Prescribed Drug Programs
NCQA	National Committee for Quality Assurance
NDC	National Drug Code
NIH	National Institute of Health
NMHPA	Newborns and Mothers Health Protection Act
NPDB	National Practitioner Data Bank
NPI	National Provider Identifier
OTC	Over-the-Counter
PA	Prior Authorization
PCP	Primary Care Provider
PDL	Preferred Drug List
PHI	Protected Health Information, as defined in 45 CFR 160 and 164, and 42 CFR 431.305(b)
PSN	Provider Service Network
QI	Quality Improvement
RN	Registered Nurse
SMMC	Statewide Medicaid Managed Care Program
SNF	Skilled Nursing Facility
SSI	Supplemental Security Income
TIN	Tax Identification Number

TPL	Third Party Liability
UM	Utilization Management
VCF	Vaccines For Children
WIC	Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants & Children



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