

ACRONYMS IN AGING AND ADULT SERVICES

AAA	Area Agency on Aging
4AM	Area Agency on Aging Association of Michigan
AAAAM	Area Agency on Aging Association of Michigan
AAANM	Area Agency on Aging of Northwest Michigan, Inc. (Region 10)
AAAWM	Area Agency on Aging of Western Michigan, Inc. (Region 8)
AANP	Adult Abuse and Neglect Prevention
AARP	American Association of Retired Persons
AASA	Aging and Adult Services Agency (formerly OSA)
ACA	Affordable Care Act
ACL	Administration for Community Living
ACP	Adult Community Placement
AD	Alzheimer's Disease
ADC	Adult Day Care
ADDGS	Alzheimer's Disease Demonstration Grants for States (now ADSSP)
ADRC	Aging and Disability Resources Collaborations
ADS	Adult Day Service
ADSSP	Alzheimer's Disease Supportive Services Program (formerly ADDGS)
ADL	Activities of Daily Living
AFC	Adult Foster Care
AG	Attorney General
AHH	Adult Home Help
AIP	Annual Implementation Plan
AIRS	Alliance of Information and Referral Systems
AIS	Aging Information System
ANS	Aging Network Services
AoA	Administration on Aging

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- APS** Adult Protective Services (now Adult Services Policy Unit)
- ASA** American Society on Aging
- ASCAP** Adult Services Comprehensive Assessment
- ASM** Aging Services of Michigan (formerly MAHSA)
- BCAL** Bureau of Child and Adult Licensing (LARA)
- BGC** Background Check
- BCHS** Bureau of Community & Health Systems, LARA (new as of July 2015).
Regulates hospitals, nursing, homes, and children and adult (AFCs/HFAs) licensing and camps.
- BPL** Bureau of Professional Licensing, LARA (Health & Occupations)
- BHS** Bureau of Health Systems (DCH)
- BTBQ** Building Training... Building Quality
- CACIL** Capital Area Center for Independent Living
- CAP** Community Action Program
- CCC** Creating Confident Caregivers (SAVVY Caregiver)
- CCTP** Community-Based Care Transitions Program
- CDSME** Chronic Disease Self-Management Education
- CEU** Continuing Education Unit
- CFC** Controlled Fat & Carbohydrate (home delivered meals)
- CFDA** Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance
- CFL** Communities for a Lifetime
- CHW** Community Health Workers
- CILS** Centers for Independent Living
- CIM** Center for Information Management, Inc.
- CLC** Community Living Consultation
- CLP** Community Living Program (formerly Nursing Home Diversion Program)
- CM** Care Management
- CMH** Community Mental Health

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CMIS	Client Management Information System
CMMI	Center for Medicare and Medicaid Innovations
CMP	Civil Monetary Penalty
CMS	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
CNAs	Certified Nursing Assistants
CNCS	Corporation for National and Community Service
COA	Commission on Aging/Council on Aging
CON	Certificate of Need
CPHA	Community Public Health Agency
CPR	Cardiopulmonary Respiration
CR	Caregiver Respite (state)
CSA	Commission on Services to the Aging
CSE	Crisis Services for the Elderly
CSI	Quality=Choice, Satisfaction, Independence (Consumer Group)
CSHCS	Children’s Special Health Care Services
CTS	Client Tracking System
DAAA	Detroit Area Agency on Aging
DAS	Direct Access Staff
DCH	Department of Community Health (now MDHHS)
DCIS/CIS	Department of Consumer and Industry Services
DCW	Direct Care Workers
DHHS	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
DHS	Michigan Department of Human Services (now MDHHS)
DHS-1171	Medicaid (MA) Application
DLEG	Michigan Department of Economic Growth
DMB	U. S. Department of Management and Budget
DMVA	Department of Military and Veteran’s Affairs
DNM	Disability Network of Michigan

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DNMM	Disability Network of Mid-Michigan
DPATH	Diabetes Personal Action Toward Health
DoE	U.S. Department of Education
DoL	U.S. Department of Labor
DoD	U.S. Department of Defense
DoT	U.S. Department of Transportation
DOOR	Refers to the 7 specific categories of the NFLOCD listing areas of medically eligibility for the MI Choice Waiver Program
DTMB	Michigan Department of Technology, Management and Budget
DV	Domestic Violence
EBDP	Evidence-Based Disease Prevention
EPIC	Estates and Protected Individuals Code (Closed)
ELM	Elder Law of Michigan, Inc.
EOA	Empowering Older Adults
EOC	Emergency Operation Center
ESL	English as Second Language
FAP	Food Assistance Program (food stamps/Bridges)
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FGP	Foster Grandparent Program
FI	Fiscal Intermediary (Self-Determination Option in the Waiver)
FOC	Freedom of Choice
FTC	Federal Trade Commission
FY	Fiscal Year
GAO	General Accounting Office
HB	House Bill (state)
HCAM	Health Care Association of Michigan
HCBS/ED	Home & Community-Based Services for the Elderly and Disabled Waiver (HCBS/ED) program commonly known as MI Choice

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HDM	Home Delivered Meals
HFA	Home for the Aged
HHPs	Home Help Providers
HHS	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
HMO	Health Maintenance Organization
HR	House Resolution (federal)
HRSA	Health Resource Services Administration
HSA	Health Systems Agency
I&A	Information and Assistance or Information and Awareness
ICO	Integrated Care Organization
I&R	Information and Referral
IADL	Instrumental Activities of Daily Living
ILS	Independent Living Services
IM	Information Memorandum
IoG	Institute of Gerontology
LAM	LeadingAge Michigan (represent the nonprofit nursing homes and other long-term care services)
LARA	Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs
LCA	Local Contact Agency
LEP	Limited English Proficiency
LGBT	Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender
LOC	Level of Care
LRS	Licensed Residential Setting
LSD	Legal Services Developer
LSP	Legal Services Program
LTC	Long Term Care

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LTCSS	Long Term Care Supports and Services
MA	Medicaid
MALA	Michigan Assisted Living Association
MASC	Michigan Association of Senior Centers
MADSA	Michigan Adult Day Services Association
MAHSA	Michigan Association of Homes for the Aged (now ASM)
MATF	Merit Award Trust Fund (formerly Tobacco Settlement Fund)
MC	Medicare
MCO	Managed Care Organization
MDCH	Department of Community Health (changed to MDHHS)
MDCWI	Michigan Direct Care Workforce Initiative
MDHHS	Michigan Department of Health and Human Services
MDOT	Michigan Department of Transportation
MDRC	Michigan Disability Rights Coalition
MDSA	Michigan Directors of Services to the Aging
MFP	Money Follows the Person (part of Waiver/Nursing Facility Transition)
MHSCC	Michigan Hispanic Senior Citizens Coalition
MIACoA	Michigan Indian Advisory Council on Aging
MICIS	MI Choice Information System
MIPPA	Medicare Improvements for Patients & Providers Act for Beneficiaries
MI RX	Michigan Drug Discount Program
MIS	Management Information System
MLSC	Michigan Legal Services Corporation
MMAP	Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program
MOACSEP	Michigan Older American Community Service Employment Program
MOA	Memorandum of Agreement
MOB	Matter of Balance
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding

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MoW	Meals on Wheels
MPAS	Michigan Protection and Advocacy Services, Inc.
MPBH	Michigan Pathways to Better Health
MRT	Medical Review Team (DHS)
MSA	Medical Services Administration
MSAC	Michigan Senior Advocates Council
MSC	Michigan Senior Coalition (formerly Senior Power Day)
MSHDA	Michigan State Housing Development Authority
MSG	Michigan Society of Gerontology
MSU	Michigan State University
MQCCC	Michigan Quality Community Care Council
MVAA	Michigan Veterans' Affairs Agency
MYP	Multi-Year Plan
N4A	National Association of Area Agencies on Aging
NAPIS	National Aging Programs Information System
NAPSA	National Adult Services Protective Association
NASOP	National Association of State Ombudsman Programs
NASUA	National Association of State Units on Aging
NCBA	National Center on Black Aged
NCCNHR	National Citizens Coalition for Nursing Home Reform
NCOA	National Council on Aging
NCSC	National Council of Senior Citizens
NEMCSA	Northeast Michigan Community Service Agency, Inc. (Region 9 AAA)
NF	Nursing Facility
NFA	Notification of Financial Assistance
NFCSP	National Family Caregiver Support Program
NFLOCD	Nursing Facility Level of Care Determination (tool)
NFT	("nifty") Nursing Facility Transition

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- NFTI** Nursing Facility Transition Initiative
- NHD** Nursing Home Diversion (now called Community Living Program)
- NIA** National Institute on Aging
- NISC** National Institute of Senior Citizens
- NORS** National Ombudsman Reporting System
- NSSC** National Senior Service Corps
- NWD** No Wrong Door
- OAA** Older Americans Act
- OAS** Older Adult Services
- OAVP** Older American Volunteer Program
- OHDS** Office of Human Development Services
- OMA** Older Michiganians Act
- OMB** Office of Management and Budget (federal)
- OMD** Older Michiganians Day
- OSA** Office of Services to the Aging (now AASA)
- OWL** Older Women's League
- PA** Public Act
- PATH** Personal Action Toward Health
- PCA** Personal Care Aides
- PCP** Person-Centered Planning
- PCT** Person-Centered Thinking
- PERS** Personal Emergency Response System
- PI** Program Instruction
- PIL** Protected Income Level (Medicaid)
- PICK** Portable Information Collection Kit
- PHI** Formerly Paraprofessional Healthcare Institute; now just PHI
- POC** Plan of Care
- PREVNT** Elder Abuse Prevention State Fund

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PRR	Program Revision Request
PS	Protective Services
PSA	Planning and Service Area
PTSD	Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder
PY	Program Year
QARS	Quality Assurance and Review Section (MDHHS)
RFP	Request for Proposal
RSDI	Social Security Income; Retirement, Survivors, Disability Income
RSVP	Retired & Senior Volunteer Program
SA	Service Authorization
SAC	State Advisory Council (SAC) on Aging
SB	Senate Bill (state)
SCP	Senior Companion Program
SCSEP	Senior Community Service Employment Program
SD	Self-Directed or Direction
SDA	State Disability Assistance
SEAQRT	Senior Exploitation and Abuse Quick Response Team
SEMISRC	Southeast Michigan Senior Regional Collaborative
SGA	Statement of Grant Award
SILC	Statewide Independent Living Council
SLTCOP	State Long Term Care Ombudsman Program
SMOU	Special Memorandum of Understanding (Waiver)
SMSA	Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area
SNF	Skilled Nursing Facility
SPE	Single Point of Entry (Abolished 2009)
SPF	Senior Project Fresh
SR	Senate Resolution (federal)
SS	Social Security

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SSA	Social Security Administration
SSD	Social Security Disability
SSI	Supplemental Security Income
SSN	Social Security Number
SUA	State Unit on Aging
TA	Technical Assistance
TASC	Technical Assistance, Support and Compliance Division
TCARE	Tailored Caregiver Assessment & Referral Program
TCM	Targeted Case Management
TCOA	Tri-County Office on Aging (Region 6 AAA)
TED	Michigan Talent and Economic Development
TPAAN	Training Program to Prevent Adult Abuse and Neglect
TSA	The Senior Alliance, Inc. (Region 1C AAA)
UBA	United Benefits Application
UPAAA	Upper Peninsula Area Agency on Aging (Region 11 AAA)
UPCAP	Upper Peninsula Commission for Area Progress (UPCAP Services, Inc. – Region 11 AAA)
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
USDHHS	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
VA	U.S. Veterans' Administration
VAAA	Valley Area Agency on Aging (Region 5)
VCATs	Veterans Community Action Teams
VD-HCBS	Veteran's Directed Home and Community-Based Services
VHA	Veterans Health Administration
VSO	Veterans Service Officer
WA	Waiver
WHCoA	White House Conference on Aging
WISP	Waiver Information Services Portal