

ACRONYMS

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| AADB | American Association of the Deaf-Blind |
| ADA | Americans with Disabilities Act |
| ALD | Assistive Listening Device |
| ASL | American Sign Language |
| BDAP | Bureau of Drug and Alcohol Programs |
| BH-MCO | Behavioral Health Managed Care Organization |
| BHRS | Behavioral Health Rehabilitation Services for Children and Adolescents |
| BSU | Base Service Unit |
| CART | Computer Assisted Real Time Captioning |
| CASSP | Child and Adolescent Service System Program |
| C.F.R. | Code of Federal Regulations |
| CSP | Community Support Program |
| DAP | Disability Advocacy Program |
| D&A | Drug and Alcohol |
| DLI | Department of Labor and Industry |
| DOJ | Department of Justice (U.S.) |
| DOH | Department of Health |
| DPW | Department of Public Welfare |
| HC | HealthChoices |
| MCO | Managed Care Organizations |
| MH/MR | Mental Health/Mental Retardation |
| ODHH | Office for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing |
| OMA | Office of Medical Assistance |
| OMAP | Office of Medical Assistance Programs |
| OMHSAS | Office of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services |
| OVR | Office of Vocational Rehabilitation |
| PSE | Pidgin Signing English |
| PRS | Pennsylvania Relay System |
| PA.C.S. | Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes |
| PSAD | Pennsylvania Society for the Advancement of the Deaf |
| RCDHH | Rehabilitation Counselor for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (OVR) |
| SCA | Single County Authority |
| SCPI | Sign Communication Proficiency Interview |
| SEE | Signing Exact English |
| SHHH | Self Help for Hard of Hearing People |
| TTY | Text Telephone for the Deaf |
| U.S.C. | United States Code |