A psychiatric unit is a distinct unit of a general hospital that is engaged in providing 24/7 acute short-term psychiatric stabilization which will facilitate reintegration into the community for one or more children who are not relatives of the operator who require assistance or supervision in activities of daily living or instrumental activities of daily living. The term includes a premise that has been licensed as a psychiatric unit, or a distinct part of the residence which is specifically designated by the Department as capable of providing cognitive support services to residents with severe cognitive impairments, including dementia or Alzheimer's disease, in the least restrictive manner to ensure the safety of the resident and others in the residence while maintaining the resident's ability to age in place.

Comm. Residential Services – Host home services for children
A program providing living accommodations with maximum supervision, personal assistance and a full range of psycho-social rehabilitation services for psychiatrically disabled children who display severe interpersonal adjustment problems and who require an intensive, structured living situation.

Comm. Residential Services-Adults
Transitional residential programs in community settings for persons with chronic psychiatric disability. CRRR's provide housing, personal assistance and psychosocial rehabilitation to clients in nonmedical settings. There are two levels of care, full or partial, which are distinguished by the level of functioning of the clients served and the intensity of rehabilitation and training services provided by CRRR staff to the clients. In both levels of care, the provider acts as landlord to the client. Except for homes for children, every site used by a CRRR to house clients is owned, held, leased or controlled by the provider or a provider-affiliate.

County Children & Youth Agency
County program to provide protective services for children.

Crisis Intervention – Telephone
Crisis Intervention services are immediate, crisis oriented services designed to ameliorate or resolve precipitating stress which are provided to adults, adolescents and children and their families who exhibit an acute problem of disturbed thought, behavior, mood or social relationships. The services provide rapid response to crisis situations which threaten the well-being of the individual or others. MHIC includes, intervention, assessment, counseling, screening and disposition services which are commonly considered appropriate to the provision of mental health crisis intervention.

Day Treatment
A premise or part thereof, operated for a portion of a 24-hour day in which alternative education, instruction, activities of daily living or instrumental activities of daily living. The term includes a premise that has been licensed as a day treatment program, or a distinct part of the residence which is specifically designated by the Department as capable of providing cognitive support services to residents with severe cognitive impairments, including dementia or Alzheimer's disease, in the least restrictive manner to ensure the safety of the resident and others in the residence while maintaining the resident's ability to age in place.

Family Based Services
In-home delivered services rendered in the home and community which are designed to integrate mental health treatment, family support services and case management so families may continue to care for their children and adolescents with serious mental illness or emotional disturbances at home.

Foster Family Care
A public or private agency which recruits, approves, supervises and places children with foster families.

Inpatient
Private Psychiatric Hospitals Inpatient is an institution, other than a general hospital, not directly operated or controlled by the Department that is engaged in providing acute short-term psychiatric services on an inpatient basis to children and adults with acute or chronic mental illness.

Intermediate Care Facility Persons with Intellectual Disability
An institution (or distinct part of an institution) that provides, in a protected residential setting, ongoing evaluation, planning, 24-hour supervision, coordination, and integration of health or rehabilitative services to help each individual function at his greatest ability.

Intermediate Care Facility Persons with Other Related Conditions
An institution (or distinct part of an institution) that provides, in a protected residential setting, ongoing evaluation, planning, 24-hour supervision, coordination, and integration of health or rehabilitative services to help each individual function at his greatest ability.

Long Term Structured Residences
Hospital is a highly structured therapeutic residential mental health treatment facility designed to serve persons 18 years of age or older who are eligible for hospitalization but who can receive adequate care in an LTSR. Admission is limited to individuals who require the services described in this chapter. Admission may occur voluntarily under section 201 of the act (50 P. S. § 7301) or involuntarily under section 304, 305 or 306 of the act (50 P. S. § 7304—7306).

Mobile Program
A residential program that provides services in a variety of settings that do not occupy a stationary site.

Outpatient
A nonresidential treatment setting in which psychiatric, psychological, social, educational and other related services are provided under medical supervision. It is designed for the evaluation and treatment of patients with mental or emotional disorders. Outpatient services are provided in a planned and regularly scheduled basis.

Partial Hospitalization
A nonresidential treatment modality which includes psychiatric, psychological, social and vocational elements under medical supervision. It is designed for patients with moderate to severe mental or emotional disorders. Partial hospitalization patients require less than 24-hour care, but more intensive and comprehensive services than are offered in outpatient treatment programs. Partial hospitalization is provided on a planned and regularly scheduled basis for a minimum of 3 hours, but less than 24 hours in any 1 day.

Peer Support Services
Peer Support Services are specialized therapeutic interactions conducted by self-identified current or former consumers of behavioral health services that are trained and certified to offer support and assistance in helping others in their recovery and community-integration process.

Personal Care Services
A premise in which food, shelter, and personal assistance or supervision are provided for a period exceeding 24 hours, for four or more adults who are not relatives of the operator, who do not require the services in or of a licensed long-term care facility, but who do require assistance or supervision in activities of daily living or instrumental activities of daily living. The term includes a premise that has been licensed as a personal care home and provides food and shelter to four or more adults who need personal care services, but who are not receiving the services.

Private C&Y Agency (Alternative Treatment)
Agency that provides adoption and foster care services.

Private C&Y Agency (Supervised Independent Living)
Agency that provides adoption and foster care services.

Psych Rehab
Agency that provides adoption and foster care services...

Psych Unit
Psychiatric unit in a permanent one of a general hospital that is engaged in providing 24/7 acute short-term psychiatric services on an inpatient basis.

Residential Services
Child residential facility is a premise or part thereof, operated in a 24-hour living setting in which care is provided for one or more children who are not relatives of the facility operator.

Residential Treatment Facility – Adult
A highly structured therapeutic residential mental health treatment facility designed to provide psychiatric stabilization which will facilitate reintegration into the community.

Secure Care
Care provided in a 24-hour living setting to one or more children who are delinquent or alleged delinquent, from which voluntary egress is prohibited through one of the following mechanisms: (i) Egress from the building, or a portion of the building, is prohibited through internal locks within the building or exterior locks. (ii) Egress from the premises is prohibited through secure fencing around the perimeter of the building.

Secure Detention
A type of secure care located in a temporary 24-hour living setting, in which one or more delinquent or alleged delinquent children are detained, generally in a predetention status.
Transitional Living

A home or living unit for fewer than five children, who are 16 years of age or older, with or without their own children, who are all able to live in a semi-independent living setting. A child's own children are counted to determine the maximum number of four children per transitional living residence.