

Term	Definition
ABA	Applied Behavior Analysis
ADHD	Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorders
APA	American Psychological Association
APPIC	Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers
ASD	Autism Spectrum Disorders
ATS	Applicant Tracking System
BSC	Balanced Scorecard
CAM	Clinical Accountability Model
CARES	Center for Autism Research and Educational Services
CARF	Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities
CBC	Community Based Care
CBHS	Children's Behavioral Health Services
CES	Center for Effective Schools
CIDDS	Children's Intellectual Developmental Disabilities Services
CMHC	Devereux's client accounting system
COA	Council on Accreditation
COM	Clinical Operations Model
CPI	Crisis Prevention Intervention
CRP	Community Residential Program
CS	Community Services
DAS	Director of Administrative Services
DBT	Dialectical Behavior Therapy
DBD	Disruptive Behavioral Disorders
DCF	Department of Children & Families (in Florida)
DCRC	Devereux Center for Resilient Children
DCTR	Direct Care Training Resources
DECA	Devereux Early Childhood Assessment
DECI	Devereux Early Childhood Initiative
DESSA	Devereux Elementary Student Strength Assessment
DHHS	(U.S.) Department of Health & Human Services
DOE	Department of Education (in Pennsylvania)
DOH	Department of Health
DPW	Department of Public Welfare
DSS	Department of Social Services
DSRA	Devereux Suicide Risk Assessment
Dx	Diagnosis
DYFS	Department of Youth & Family Services (in New Jersey)
EBP	Evidence-based Practices
EPSDT	Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment Program
eCET	electronic Clinical Expert Technology (clinical information system)
eSAR	Electronic System Access Request
ED	Executive Director
HFC	Heartland for Children
HIM	Health Information Management
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act
HRIS	Human Resources Information System
HRMS	Human Resources Management System

Term	Definition
ICF	Intermediate Care Facility
ICPTR	Institute for Clinical and Professional Training & Research
IDD	Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities
IEP	Individual Service Plan
IP	In-patient
IR	Information Resources (also known as IT – Information Technology)
iRec	Oracle iRecruitment applicant tracking system
IRB	Institutional Review Board
ISP	Individual Service Plan
JCAHO	Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organizations
LMS	Learning Management System
MFT	Marriage and Family Therapist
MH/CD	Mental Health/Chemical Dependency
MH/ID	Mental Health/Intellectual Disabilities
MR/DD	Mental Retardation/Developmentally Disabled
MRE	Major Risk Event
MSP	myStaffingPro – applicant tracking system
NEC	(Devereux’s) National Ethics Committee
NJ DDD	New Jersey Department of Developmental Disabilities
NMAC	(Devereux’s) National Medical Advisory Committee
ODD	Oppositional Defiant Disorders
OE	Open Enrollment
OOP	Office of the President
PAR	Personnel Action Request
PBS	Positive Behavior Support
PDOP	Post-Discharge Outcome Project
PIC	Program Integrity Committee
PoC	Philosophy of Care
PPD	Skin test for tuberculosis
PQC	President’s Quality Council
PTSAD	Post Traumatic Stress and Affective Disorder
QI	Quality Improvement
QM	Quality Management
QSV	Quality Site Visit
RFP	Request for Proposal
RTC	Residential Treatment Center
SED	Severely Emotionally Disturbed
SPSS	Statistical Package for the Social Sciences (computer software)
SRRP	Suicide Risk Reduction Program
STP	Special Treatment Procedure
Tx	Treatment