



ACRONYM CHEAT SHEET

ACRONYM	FULL TERM
501	SCP Clinic (501 S. Washington Ave, Scranton, PA 18505)
AAP	American Academy of Pediatrics
AAPM&R	American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation
AATHC	American Association of Teaching Health Centers
ABFM	American Board of Family Medicine
ABIM	American Board of Internal Medicine
ACIP	Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices
ADAA	Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act
ADAP	The AIDS Drug Assistance Program
ACGME	Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education
ACLS	Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support
ACO	Accountable Care Organization
ACP	American College of Physicians
ACQA	National Committee for Quality Assurance
ADIO	Associate Designated Institutional Official
AEGD	Advanced Education in General Dentistry
AHA	American Heart Association
AHEC	Area Health Education Center
AIF	Annual Increase Factor
AIR	Annual Institutional Review
AIR	All-Inclusive Rate
AIRE	Advancing Innovations in Residency Education
AOA	American Osteopathic Association
APDs	Associate of Program Directors
APDIM	Association of Program Directors in Internal Medicine
APE	Annual Program Evaluation
APMs	Alternative Payment Models
ARs	Accounts Receivable
ATSU-KCOM	A.T. Still University – Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine
ASTU-SOMA	A.T. Still University – School of Osteopathic Medicine
AWV	Annual Wellness Visit
BAA	Business Associate Agreement
BEI	Bureau of Enforcement and Investigation
BHI	Behavioral Health Integration
BOD	Board of Directors

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BSC	Balanced Scorecard
CAA	Clinical Administrative Assistant
CAP	Corrective Action Plan
CARF	Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities
CBO	Congressional Budget Office
CBC	Community-Based Care
CCC	Clinical Competency Committee
CCM	Chronic Care Management
CCN-CMS	Certification Number
CDC	Center for Disease Control
CDE	Community Development Enterprise
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CEIN	Clinical and Educational Integrated Network
CEIS	Community Education & Input Series
CHAMPS	Community Health Academic Medical Partnerships
CHC	Commonwealth Health Center
CHH	Community Health Hub
CHOP	Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
CHOP	Child Hunger Outreach Partners
CHNA	Community Health Needs Assessment
CHS	Commonwealth Health System
CHW (Pronounced "CHAW")	Community Health Worker
CLER	Clinical Learning Environment Review
CMA	Certified Medical Assistant
CMMI	Center for Medicare and Medicaid Innovation
CMO	Chief Medical Officer
CMIO	Chief Medical Information Officer
CMS/CMMS	Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services
CNA	Community Needs Assessment
CNM	Certified Nurse Midwife
CoCM	Collaborative Care Model CP
CODA	Commission on Dental Accreditation
COGME	Council on Graduate Medical Education
COLA	Cost of Living Adjustment
COC	Code of Conduct
COE	Center of Excellence

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COI	Conflict of Interest
COO	Chief Operating Officer
COPC	Community-Oriented Primary Care
CPT	Current Procedural Terminology
CQHR	Community Health Center Quality Recognition
CR	Continuing Resolution
CRNP	Certified Nurse Practitioner
CSP	Clarks Summit Practice
CSW	Clinical Social Worker
CY	Calendar Year
CRT	Community Resource Tool
DA	Dental Assistant
DBH	Driving Better Health
DCP	Dickson City Practice
DEI	Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
DGME	Direct Graduate Medical Expenses
DHS	Department of Human Services
DIO	Designated Institutional Official
DO	Doctorate of Osteopathic Medicine
DOT	Direct Observation Tool
DSMT	Diabetes Self-Management Training
E/M	Evaluation and Management
EAP	Employee Assistance Program
EBITDA	Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation, and Amortization
ECFMG	Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates
ECP	Essential Community Provider
EDR	Electronic Dental Record
EEOC	Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
EFDA	Expanded Functions Dental Assistant
EHB	Electronic Handbook
EHR	Electronic Health Record
EKG	Electrocardiogram
EMG	Electromyography
EMR	Electronic Medical Records
EOS	Entrepreneurial Operating System
EP	Early and Periodic
EPAs	Entrustable Professional Activities

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EPSDT	Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment
ER	Emergency Room
ERAS	Electronic Residency Application Service
ERISA	Employee Retirement Income Security Act
ESG	Environmental, Social, and Governance
ETOH	Shorthand for Ethanol (Alcohol Use)
EWS	Employee Web Services
FAC	Focused Assessment Committee
FHP	Friendship House Practice
FLSA	Fair Labor Standards Act
FMAP	Federal Medical Assistance Percentage
FMEA	Failure Mode and Effects Analysis
FMLA	Family Medical Leave Act
FOIA	Freedom of Information Action
FQHC	Federally Qualified Health Center
FQLA	Federally Qualified (<i>Health Center</i>) Look-Alike
FSA	Flexible Spending Account
FTCA	Federal Tort Claims Act
FTE	Full-Time Equivalent
FY	Fiscal Year
GAF	Geographic Adjustment Factor
GAP	General Accounting Principles
GCMC	Geisinger Community Medical Center
GCSOM	Geisinger Commonwealth School of Medicine
GI	Gastroenterology
GME	Graduate Medical Education
GMEC	Graduate Medical Education Committee
GME-SNC	Graduate Medical Education Safety-Net Consortium
GWC	G et it. W ant it. Do you have the C apacity to carry it out?
GYN	Gynecology
HAP	Hawley Practice
HCCN	Health Center Controlled Network
HCH	Health City Hub
HCPCS	Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System
HE	Health Equity
HEDIS	Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set
HELP	Health, Education, Labor & Pensions

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HFMA	Healthcare Financial Management Association
HHA	Home Health Agency
HHS	Health and Human Services
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
HIT	Health Information Technology
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
HPSA	Health Professional Shortage Area
HR	Human Resources
HRSA	Health Resources and Services Administration
HSA	Health Savings Account
HSO	HealthSource Ohio
HSS	Hospital for Special Surgery
ICT	Integrated Community Therapy
ICYMI	In Case You Missed It
ID	Infectious Disease
IDT	Interdisciplinary Team
IHI	Institute for Healthcare Improvement
IM	Internal Medicine
IME	Indirect Medical Expense
IMG	International Medical Graduate
IPA	Internal Pay Adjustment
IPPE	Initial Preventive Physical Exam
IT	Information Technology
IRIS	Intern and Resident Information System
IRP	Initial Residency Period
JCAHO	Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations
KPI	Key Performance Indicator
LAAI	Long-Acting Antipsychotic Injectables
LCSW	Licensed Clinical Social Worker
LDCT	Low Dose Computed Tomography
LECOM	Lak Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine
LMA	Leadership, Management, Accountability
LPN	Licensed Practical Nurse
MA	Medical Assistant
MAC	Medicare Administrative Contractor
MACRA	Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015
MAT	Medicated Assistant Treatment

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MCO	Managed Care Organization
MD	Doctor of Medicine
MDEP	Multi-Dimensional Evaluation Project
MDRC	Medical Directors Report Card
MEI	Medicare Economic Index
MFHS	Maternal and Family Health Services
MG	Medical Group
MILD	Minimally Invasive Lumbar Decompression
MIPS	Meri-Based Incentive Payment System
MNT	Medical Nutrition Therapy
MOSPS	Medical Office Survey on Patient Safety
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MRN	Medical Record Number
MSA	Metropolitan Statistical Area
MSPE	Medical Student Performance Evaluation
MSW	Masters in Social Work
MTH	Moses Taylor Hospital
MUA	Medically Underserved Area
MUP	Medically Underserved Population
MVP	Mid-Valley Practice
NACHC	National Association of Community Health Centers
NAP	New Access Point (Application for FQHC Designation)
NASS	North American Spine Society
NCD	National Coverage Determination
NCQA	National Committee for Quality Assurance
NCS	Nerve Conduction Studies
NDC	National Drug Code
NECMA	New England County Metropolitan Area
NEPACHC	Northeast PA Community Health Center
NEJM	New England Journal of Medicine
NFMR	National Family Medicine Residency
NHSC	National Health Service Corps
NMTC	New Market Tax Credit
NOFO	Notice of Funding Opportunity
NLRB	National Labor Relations Board
NP	Nurse Practitioner
NPI	National Provider Identifier

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NPP	North Pocono Practice
NPDB	National Practitioners Database
NRMP	National Resident Matching Program
NRP	Neonatal Resuscitation Program
NSP	North Scranton Practice
OAG	Office of Attorney General
OBRA	Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act
OIG	Officer of Inspector General
OMT	Osteopathic Manipulative Treatment
ONC	Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology
OON	Out of Network
OOO	Out of Office
OPCO	Outpatient Care for Addictive Behavior
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
OSV	Operational Site Visit
PA	Physician Assistant
PACE	Performance Assessment and Competency Evaluation
PACHC	Pennsylvania Association of Community Health Centers
PALS	Pennsylvania Licensing System
PC	Physician Corporation
PCBHI	Primary Care/Behavioral Health Integration
PCDC	Primary Care Development Corporation
PCE	Primary Care Exception
PCE	Patient and Community Engagement
PCMH	Patient Centered Medical Home
PCML	Parental Caregiver Medical Leave
PCOM OPTI	Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine
PCP	Primary Care Physician
PCRT	Patient and Community Resource Tool
PD	Program Director
PDMP	Prescription Drug Monitoring Program
PDSA	Plan. Do. Study. Act.
PFS	Physician Fee Schedule
PGY	Post Grad Year
PhD	Doctor of Philosophy
PHI	Personal Health Information

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PHS	Public Health Service
PHRC	Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission
PISQ	Pregnancy Intention Screening Questionnaire
PLA	Project Labor Agreement
PM	Practice Manager
PM&R	Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation
POCUS	Point-of-Care Ultrasound
POPP	Pennsylvania Overdose Prevention Program
PPS	Prospective Payment System
PRA	Per Resident Amount
PSO	Patient Safety Organization
PTO	Paid Time Off
QI/QA	Quality Improvement/Quality Assurance
QLE	Qualifying Life Event
QRP	Quality Reporting System
RACE	Rescue, Alarm, Contain, Extinguish
RACI	Responsible. Accountable. Consulted. Informed.
RACP/RCAP	Redevelopment Assistance Capital Program
RAF	Risk Assessment Framework
RCA	Root Cause Analysis
RDME	Regional Director of Medical Education
RESC	Regional Executive Strategic Council
RFP	Request for Proposal
RFS	Request for Services
RHC	Rural Health Clinic
RHS	Regional Hospital of Scranton
RMHC	Ronald McDonald House Charities
RN	Registered Nurse
RO	Regional Office
RPh	Registered Pharmacist
RPM	Remote Patient Monitoring
RPRS	Right Person, Right Seat
RUCA	Rural Urban Commuting Area
RVU	Relative Value Unit
RWJ	Robert Wood Johnson
SA	Scholarly Activity
SACF	Scranton Area Community Foundation

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SAMSA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
SI	Sponsoring Institution
SBP	School-Based Practice
SCA	Single County Authority
SCI	Spinal Cord Injury
SCC	Scranton Counseling Center
SCP	Scranton Practice
SDOH	Social Determinants of Health
SI	Sponsoring Institution
SLP	Speech Language Therapy
SMART BP	Supporting Measurement Awareness and Remote Tracking of Blood Pressure
SMART Goals	Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, and Time-Bound Goals
SNF	Skilled Nursing Facility
SOAP	Supplemental Offer and Acceptance Program
SOMA	School of Osteopathic Medicine
SOP	Standard Operating Procedure
SOW	Statement of Work
SPBP	Special Pharmaceutical Benefits Program
SRF	Social Risk Factors
SUD	Substance Use Disorder
SVP	Senior Vice President
SWOT	Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, Threats
TCM	Transitional Care Management
TCMC	The Commonwealth Medical College
THC	Teaching Health Center
TIAA CREF	Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association – College Retirement Equities Fund
TKP	Tunkhannock Practice
T/O	Turnover
TOC	Transition of Care
TWC	The Wright Center
TWCCH	The Wright Center for Community Health
TWCGME	The Wright Center for Graduate Medical Education
TWCPCE	The Wright Center for Patient and Community Engagement
UA	Urbanized Area
UBI	Unrelated Business Income
UDS	Uniformed Data System



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USMLE	United States Medical Licensing Examination
USPSTF	U.S. Preventive Services Task Force
VAMC	Veterans Affairs Medical Center
VBC	Value-Based Care
WBGH	Wilkes-Barre General Hospital
WBP	Wilkes-Barre Practice
WCHC	Wyoming County Healthcare Center
WMCH	Wayne Memorial Community Health Center