

## ACRONYMS

<u>ACRONYM</u>	<u>MEANING</u>	<u>DEFINITION</u>
<b>HRC Acronyms</b>		
<b>ADMIN</b>	Department of Administration	HRC department that includes accounting, information technology and facilities
<b>AS</b>	Department of Adult Services	HRC department serves clients (and families) who finished school through rest of life
<b>CAC</b>	Client Advisory Committee	Committee of clients that provides input to HRC's Board
<b>CNB</b>	City National Bank	HRC's bank
<b>CS</b>	Department of Children's Services	HRC department serves clients (and families) from 7 years until leave secondary school
<b>CSM</b>	Client Services Manager	CSMs supervise teams of Service Coordinators
<b>DCS</b>	Department of Community Services	HRC department that supports service providers and provides health and clinical services
<b>DHF</b>	Del Harbor Foundation	HRC's landlord of 2 buildings in Torrance and the Long Beach Office
<b>ECS</b>	Department of Early Childhood Services	HRC department serves clients (and families) from birth to 7 years
<b>HDDF</b>	Harbor Developmental Disabilities Foundation, Inc.	HRC's corporate name
<b>HHF</b>	Harbor Help Fund	Funded by donations, this fund can provide things outside of POS, including gift cards for the Holidays Are For Sharing program
<b>HOPE</b>	Home Ownership for Personal Empowerment	Nonprofit that develops and operates housing for clients of HRC & other Southern California RCs
<b>HRC</b>	Harbor Regional Center	HDDF's DBA
<b>LF</b>	Laserfiche	HRC's document management system
<b>MRQA</b>	Manager of Rights and Quality Assurance	Managers responsible for client service rights administration, special incident reporting, and federal
<b>NFR</b>	National Financial Realty	HRC's landlord of 1 building in Torrance
<b>OCM</b>	On Call Manager	Rotating Manager assigned to assist clients and families during non-business hours
<b>OD</b>	Officer of the Day	Service coordinator assigned as the team OD to respond to urgent matters during business hours in case their colleagues are unavailable
<b>OPS</b>	Operations Management	HRC's senior staff
<b>SC</b>	Service Coordinator	HRC staff who provide case management and service coordination. AKA counselor or case manager
<b>SCIHLP</b>	Southern California Integrated Health & Living Project	AKA the Integrated Project, a collaborative program of 10 Southern California RCs to develop resources for clients who are exiting from a State Developmental Center
<b>SPAC</b>	Service Provider Advisory Committee	Committee of service providers that provides input to HRC's Board
<b>TA</b>	Team Assistant	Provides support to teams of Service Coordinators and Client Service Managers
<b>VC</b>	Virtual Chart	HRC's case management software
<b>General Acronyms</b>		
<b>ABA</b>	Applied Behavior Analysis	
<b>AKA</b>	Also Known As	

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<b>ASD</b>	Autism Spectrum Disorder	
<b>AT</b>	Assistive Technology	
<b>BHT</b>	Behavioral Health Treatment	
<b>COI</b>	Conflict of Interest	
<b>CP</b>	Cerebral Palsy	
<b>DBA</b>	Doing Business As	
<b>DD</b>	Developmentally Disabled	
<b>DSM-5</b>	Diagnostic & Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders	
<b>FY</b>	Fiscal Year	HRC's FY is July 1st to June 30th
<b>HIPAA</b>	Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act	
<b>HR</b>	Human Resources	
<b>IDD</b>	Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities	
<b>SLP</b>	Speech & Language Pathologist	
<b>MOU</b>	Memorandum of Understanding	
<b>NICU</b>	Neonatal Intensive Care Unit	
<b>OT</b>	Occupational Therapist	
<b>PT</b>	Physical Therapist	
<b>RFP</b>	Request for Proposal	
<b>RN</b>	Registered Nurse	
<b>YTD</b>	Year to Date	Refers to expenditures from the beginning of the fiscal year to the present

### Regional Centers

<b>ACRC</b>	Alta California Regional Center
<b>CVRC</b>	Central Valley Regional Center
<b>ELARC</b>	Eastern Los Angeles Regional Center
<b>FDLRC</b>	Frank D. Lanterman Regional Center
<b>FNRC</b>	Far Northern Regional Center
<b>GGRC</b>	Golden Gate Regional Center
<b>IRC</b>	Inland Regional Center
<b>KRC</b>	Kern Regional Center
<b>NBRC</b>	North Bay Regional Center
<b>NLACRC</b>	North Los Angeles County Regional Center
<b>RCEB</b>	Regional Center of the East Bay
<b>RCOC</b>	Regional Center of Orange County
<b>RCRC</b>	Redwood Coast Regional Center
<b>SARC</b>	San Andreas Regional Center
<b>SCLARC</b>	South Central Los Angeles Regional Center
<b>SDRC</b>	San Diego Regional Center
<b>SGPRC</b>	San Gabriel/Pomona Regional Center
<b>TCRC</b>	Tri-Counties Regional Center
<b>VMRC</b>	Valley Mountain Regional Center
<b>WRC</b>	Westside Regional Center

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<b>Regional Center Terms</b>		
<b>AFPF</b>	Annual Family Program Fee	Families who have a child under 18 years, not receiving MediCal, and are receiving a purchased service, may be assessed this annual fee
<b>CDER</b>	Client Development Evaluation Report	
<b>CMF</b>	Client Master File	
<b>CPP</b>	Community Placement Plan	Type of dedicated funding RCs receive for the purpose of providing services to clients who are exiting from a State Developmental Center
<b>CRA</b>	Clients Rights Advocate	
<b>EFP</b>	Employment First Policy	
<b>EI</b>	Early Intervention	
<b>FCPP</b>	Family Cost Participation Program	Parents of children who receive respite and day care services and are not eligible for MediCal may be required to share responsibility for purchasing those services
<b>FRC</b>	Family Resource Center	
<b>OPS</b>	Operations Funding	Type of funding that is intended for the delivery of regional center "direct consumer services" and "administration" activities that are essential to the efficient conduct of business
<b>PEP</b>	Purchase of Service Expenditure Projection	Report RCs provide to DDS projecting POS Expenditures for the fiscal year (previously Sufficiency of Allocation Report [SOAR])
<b>POS</b>	Purchase of Service	Type of funding intended to support the purchase of services and programs for persons with developmental Case management software used by many RCs
<b>SANDIS</b>	San Diego Information System	Social Services Union SEIU, Local 721 represents clerical and case management staff of some RCs
<b>SEIU</b>	Service Employees International Union	Report required when a client is involved in an unusual and unexpected event, such as death, a crime or injury
<b>SIR</b>	Special Incident Report	
<b>TSR</b>	Transportation Service Report	
<b>UCI</b>	Unique Client Identifier	
<b>UFS</b>	Uniform Fiscal System	Accounting system used by DDS and RCs
<b>Organizations &amp; Service Providers</b>		
<b>ARC</b>	The ARC	Previously Association for Retarded Citizens
<b>ARCA</b>	Association of Regional Center Agencies	
<b>AST</b>	Autism Spectrum Therapies	
<b>CMS</b>	Centers for Medicaid/Medicare Services	
<b>DDMI</b>	Developmental Disability Mental Illness	Private psychiatric hospital located within College Hospital solely for regional center clients with severe mental illness
<b>DRC</b>	Disability Rights California	
<b>LBUSD</b>	Long Beach Unified School District	
<b>LRA</b>	LRA Interpreters, Inc.	Translation service provider (LRA is an individual's name)
<b>PTN</b>	Pediatric Therapy Network	
<b>SDC</b>	State Developmental Center	
<b>SVS</b>	Social Vocational Services	
<b>TMS</b>	Trust Management Services	Third Party representative payee
<b>Services &amp; Supports</b>		
<b>ARM</b>	Alternative Residential Model	

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<b>C2C</b>	College 2 Career	A program that provides extra education coaching and independent living training for clients attending Long Beach City College.
<b>CCF</b>	Community Care Facility	
<b>ESR</b>	Early Start Report	
<b>FMS</b>	Financial Management Services	
<b>ICF-DD</b>	Intermediate Care Facility	
<b>ICF-DD/H</b>	Intermediate Care Facility/Habilitation	
<b>ICF-DD/N</b>	Intermediate Care Facility/Nursing	
<b>IEP</b>	Individual Education Plan	A written document developed annually for each public school child who is eligible for special education
<b>IFSP</b>	Individual Family Service Plan	IPP for children and families served through the Early Start Program
<b>IHSS</b>	In Home Support Services	
<b>ILS</b>	Independent Living Services	
<b>IMD</b>	Institution of Mental Disease	Facility or more than 16 beds primarily for persons diagnosed with mental illness
<b>IPP</b>	Individual Person-Centered Plan	A plan developed through an interactive process with the client, family, HRC SC, service providers and community to support and enable the client to achieve his/her vision for the future
<b>LRE</b>	Least Restrictive Environment	
<b>P&amp;I</b>	Personal and Incidental Funds	The portion of a client's SSI funds used to pay for personal items, needs and activity; rather than the client's board and care expenses
<b>PFP</b>	Parental Fee Program	
<b>SDP</b>	Self Determination Program	
<b>SEP</b>	Supported Employment Program	
<b>SLP</b>	Supported Living Program	
<b>SLS</b>	Supported Living Services	
<b>SNF</b>	Skilled Nursing Facility	Residential facility for individuals with considerable medical needs
<b>TFS</b>	Together From the Start	Informative and educational training (infant/toddler development) classes for the parent while offering the child a chance to interact socially with other children
<b>WAP</b>	Work Activity Program	
<b>Government Agencies</b>		
<b>APS</b>	Adult Protective Services	
<b>Cal ABLE</b>	California Achieving a Better Life Experience	Program that allows qualified individuals with disabilities and families to open tax-free savings account
<b>CARF</b>	Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities	
<b>CCL</b>	Community Care Licensing	
<b>CCS</b>	California Children's Services	
<b>CDE</b>	California Department of Education	
<b>CHHS</b>	California Health & Human Services Agency	
<b>CPS</b>	Child Protective Services	
<b>DCFS</b>	Department of Children Family Services	
<b>DDS</b>	Department of Developmental Services	
<b>DHCS</b>	Department of Health Care Services	
<b>DHS</b>	Department of Health Services	

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<b>DOR</b>	Department of Rehabilitation	
<b>DPSS</b>	Department of Public Social Services	
<b>DR</b>	Department of Rehabilitation	
<b>DSS</b>	Department of Social Services	
<b>EPSDT</b>	Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment	
<b>ICC</b>	State Interagency Coordinating Council on Early Intervention	
<b>LAO</b>	Legislative Analyst's Office	
<b>LEA</b>	Local Education Agency	
<b>MTU</b>	Medical Therapy Unit	
<b>NPS</b>	Non Public School	
<b>OAH</b>	Office of Administrative Hearings	
<b>OSEP</b>	Office of Special Education Programs (Federal)	
<b>SCDD</b>	State Council on Developmental Disabilities	
<b>SCO</b>	State Controller's Office	
<b>SDC</b>	State Developmental Center (sometimes DC)	
<b>SELPA</b>	Special Education Local Planning Area	
<b>SSA</b>	Social Security Administration	
<b>WIC</b>	Women, Infants, and Children Supplemental Nutrition Program	

### Government Terms

<b>AB</b>	Assembly Bill	Assembly bill of the California Legislature
<b>CCR</b>	California Code of Regulations	
<b>EPSDT</b>	Early & Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment	Type of Federal Medicaid reimbursement funding
<b>HCBS</b>	Home & Community Based Services	Type of Federal Medicaid reimbursement funding
<b>IDEA</b>	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act	
<b>MW</b>	Medicaid Waiver	Type of Federal Medicaid reimbursement funding
<b>NHR</b>	Nursing Home Reform	Type of Federal Medicaid reimbursement funding
<b>SB</b>	Senate Bill	Assembly bill of the California Senate
<b>SPA</b>	State Plan Amendment	Agreement between a state and the Federal government describing how that state administers its Medicaid programs
<b>SSI</b>	Supplemental Security Income	Program pays benefits to disabled adults/children who have limited income and resources
<b>STP</b>	Statewide Transition Plan	Describes how the State will come into compliance with new Federal Home and Community-Based setting requirements that became effective March 17, 2014
<b>TBL</b>	Trailer Bill Language	Implementing language of the California State Budget Bill
<b>TCM</b>	Targeted Case Management	Type of Federal Medicaid reimbursement funding
<b>WIC</b>	Welfare and Institutions Code	The Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Act is codified in the California Welfare and Institutions Code