

PROJECT ABBREVIATIONS		
Abbreviation	Definition	
ACF	Adult Care Facility	
ADLs	Activities of Daily Living	
ALF	Assisted Living Facility	
APS	Adult Protective Services	
AMI	Web-based system that Maximus staff and independent contractors use to complete assessments.	
СМНС	Community Mental Health Center	
CMS	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services	
CPS	Child Protective Services	
DBR	Document-based review	
DD	Developmental Disability	
DDDS	Division of Developmental Disabilities Services	
DOM	Division of Medicaid	
DSM-V	Diagnostic and Statistical Manual (a manual that identifies the clinical criteria for all mental health diagnoses)	
EHD	Exempted Hospital Discharge	
GH	Group Home	
H&P	History and Physical	
HCBS	Home and Community Based Services	
IADL	Instrumental Activities of Daily Living	
IC	Independent Contractor Assessor	
ID	Intellectual Disability	
IMD	Institute of Mental Disease	
LOC	Level of Care	
LOS	Length of Stay	
LTC	Long Term Care	
MAR	Medication Administration Record	
MCO	Managed Care Organization	
MDD	Major Depressive Disorder	
MDS	Minimum Data Set	
МІ	Mental Illness—diagnoses supported by symptoms and behaviors detailed in the DSM-5	
MMIS	Medicaid Management Information System	
NF	Nursing Facility	
NH	Nursing Home	
NOA	Notice of Action	
OBRA	Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act	
OT	Occupational Therapy	
PACE	Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly	
PAS	PreAdmission Screening	



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PASRR	Preadmission Screening and Resident Review
PCP	Person-Centered Planning or Primary Care Physician
PDN	Private Duty Nursing
PERS	Personal Emergency Response System
PHI	Protected Health Information
POS	Physician Order Sheets
PT	Physical Therapy
PTAC	PASRR Technical Assistance Center
RC	Related Condition (often known as DD or developmental disability)
ROI	Release of Information
RR	Resident Review
SC	Status Change
SMI	Serious Mental Illness
SNF	Skilled Nursing Facility
SOF	Summary of Findings
SS	Specialized Services
ST	Speech Therapy
STC	Short Term Care
TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury

GLOSSARY		
Term	Definition	
Admitting Facility	The identified nursing facility to which the person intends to be admitted	
Community Placement	Any housing situation aside from hospital or nursing facility—this includes, but is not limited to, Assisted Living Facilities, Hospice, group homes, independent living homes, and senior communities	
Dual Diagnosis	A diagnosis of both Mental Illness and a substance use disorder	
Legal Guardian	The person or entity who is court appointed and legally responsible for decision-making on behalf of an individual.	
Level I	PASRR screening tool for persons admitting to Medicaid certified NFs, who have or may have a Serious Mental Illness (SMI), intellectual/Developmental Disability (ID/DD), or Related Condition (RC)	
Level II	In-depth PASRR evaluation for persons with a Serious Mental Illness (SMI), intellectual/Developmental Disability (ID/DD), or Related Condition (RC)	
PASRR	Preadmission Screening and Resident Review	
Provider	Health care provider or agency providing medical care or services	
Referral Source	The person/facility/agency who submitted the Level I and/or Level of Care screen	
Specialized Services	Intensive services exceeding those which can be provided by NF staff or rehabilitative services	