

PROJECT ABBREVIATIONS	
Abbreviation	Definition
ACF	Adult Care Facility
ADL	Activities of Daily Living
ALF	Assisted Living Facility
APS	Adult Protective Services
СННА	Certified Home Health Agency
СМНС	Community Mental Health Center
CMS	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
CPS	Child Protective Services
DBR	Document-based review
DD	Developmental Disability
DDSOO	Developmental Disabilities State Operations Office
DOH	Department of Health
DSM	Diagnostic and Statistical Manual (a manual that identifies the clinical criteria for all mental health diagnoses)
EHD	Exempted Hospital Discharge
H&P	History and Physical
HCBS	Home and Community Based Services
H/C PRI	Hospital and Community Patient Review Instrument
IADL	Instrumental Activities of Daily Living
ID	Intellectual Disability, formerly known as mental retardation (MR)
LOC	Level of Care
LOS	Length of Stay
LTC	Long Term Care
MAR	Medication Administration Record
MDS	Minimum Data Set
МІ	Mental Illness—diagnoses supported by symptoms and behaviors detailed in the DSM-5
MMI	Major Mental Illness
MMIS	Medicaid Management Information System
NF	Nursing Facility
NOA	Notice of Action
NYS	New York State
OBRA	Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act
ОМН	Office of Mental Health
OPWDD	Office for People with Developmental Disabilities
OTDA	Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance
PAE	Preadmission Evaluation
PACE	Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly
PASRR	Preadmission Screening and Resident Review
PCP	Person-Centered Planning
PERS	Personal Emergency Response System
PRI	Patient Review Instrument
PTAC	PASRR Technical Assistance Center



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RC	Related Condition (often known as DD or developmental disability)
RHCF	Residential Health Care Facility
RR	Resident Review
RUG	Resource Utilization Group
R/S	Referral Source
SC	Status Change
SMI	Serious Mental Illness
SNF	Skilled Nursing Facility
SOF	State Operated Facility
SS	Specialized Services
STC	Short Term Care
TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury
TRR	Targeted Resident Review

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	Mental Illness and Intellectual Disability/Related Condition	
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	Pre-Admission 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	
Targeted Resident Review	A RR that is targeted for a subsequent review or quality check because certain markers are present (e.g. history of recidivism, aggression, etc.)	