

Acronym Dictionary 6-22-20

ACRONYM	FULL NAME	AGENCY	DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY
1 AA	Alcoholics Anonymous	aa.org	Alcoholics Anonymous is a 12-step program designed to assist those addicted to alcohol; participants aim to achieve and maintain sobriety through personal and group accountability relationships.	Recovery Oriented System of
2 ACOA	Adult Children of Alcoholics	https://adultchildren.org/meeting-search/	Adult Children of Alcoholics is an organization that is intended to provide a forum to individuals who desire to recover from the effects of growing up in an alcoholic or otherwise dysfunctional family.	Recovery Oriented System of
3 ACTION	Any Change Toward Improving One's Nature		Slogan used in recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
4 ADD	Attention Deficit Disorder		Any of a range of behavioral disorders occurring primarily in children, including such symptoms as poor concentration, hyperactivity, and impulsivity.	Mental Health
5 ADHD	Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder		ADHD is the official, medical term for the condition — regardless of whether a patient demonstrates symptoms of hyperactivity. ADD is a now-outdated term that is typically used to describe inattentive-type ADHD, which has symptoms including disorganization, lack of focus, and forgetfulness.	Mental Health
6 AF-CBT	Alternative for Families: A Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy		An evidence-based treatment designed to improve the relationships between children and caregivers in families involved in arguments, frequent conflict, physical force/discipline, or child physical abuse. This 4-part course provides an orientation to AF-CBT that is intended to provide an introduction to the model for clinicians who wish to learn more about it.	Mental Health
7 Al-Anon	Family Support Group for Alcoholics Anonymous	http://www.southfloridaal-anon.org/	Offering hope and help to families and friends of alcoholics.	Recovery Oriented System of
8 Al-Ateen	Child Support Group for Alcoholics Anonymous	https://al-anon.org/al-anon-meetings/find-an-alateen-meeting-1/	A community-based organisation of teenaged children of alcoholics which shares the philosophical and organisational structure of Alcoholics Anonymous. Alateen is the youth version of Al-Anon.	Recovery Oriented System of Care
9 AP	Alleged Perpetrator		The adult who is identified as the person who is alleged to have been responsible for the maltreatment.	Child Welfare
10 ASAM	American Society of Addiction Medicine	https://www.asam.org/	Similar to LOCUS and CALOCUS. A tool designed to determine level of care of substance using individual. Completed at onset of treatment, every 30 days during treatment, and at discharge.	Substance Use Disorder
11 BARC	Broward Addiction Recovery Center	www.broward.org	Broward Addiction Recovery Center (BARC) offers a comprehensive range of services for Broward County residents over the age of 18 who are affected by substance abuse and/or co-occurring disorders. Admissions is voluntary. BARC accepts individuals involved with the Criminal Justice system, Department of Children and Families and ChildNet. BARC embraces evidence-based practices.	Substance Use Disorder
12 BBHC	Broward Behavioral Health Coalition	Broward Behavioral Health Coalition	Managing Entity for Broward County/Program Funding and Oversight	Multi-Systemic
13 BIP	Battersers Intervention Program		Intimate Partner Abuse Education Programs (IPAEP) are education programs for people who abuse their intimate partners.	Program/Service
14 BPD	Borderline Personality Disorder		Borderline personality disorder is an illness marked by an ongoing pattern of varying moods, self-image, and behavior. These symptoms often result in impulsive actions and problems in relationships. People with borderline personality disorder may experience intense episodes of anger, depression, and anxiety that can last from a few hours to days.	Mental Health
15 BRIDGE	Broward Recovery Initiative for Dual-Diagnosis Guidance & Empowerment	Henderson Behavioral Health	In-home Substance Abuse services	Substance Use Disorder
16 Buprenorphine	MAT Medication		Medication-assisted treatment is the use of anti-craving medicine such as naltrexone (Vivitrol), buprenorphine (Suboxone) or methadone — along with comprehensive therapy and support — to help address issues related to opioid dependence, including withdrawal, cravings and relapse prevention.	Substance Use Disorder
17 BYRP	Broward Youth Reentry Program		The Broward Youth Reentry Program (BYRP) was created after a yearlong cross system planning process that was a collaboration between key community stakeholders providing expertise and insights about the needs of youths with behavioral health issues involved in the criminal justice system who are being sent away to a commitment program. A four-phase treatment and support program was created to serve these youth and young adults in conjunction with their families and/or caregivers. The goal is to provide these individuals with the needed supports and services to successfully transition to adulthood in the community upon completion of their commitment program. Community-based supervision and aftercare services have been found to reduce recidivism as well as increase the likelihood of youth attending school and going to work.	Program/Service
18 CA	Cocaine Anonymous	ca.org	Cocaine Anonymous is a twelve-step program for people who seek recovery from drug addiction. It is patterned very closely after Alcoholics Anonymous, although the two groups are unaffiliated	Recovery Oriented System of
19 CALOCUS	Child and Adolescent Level of Care Utilization System		The tool designed for children and adolescents to determine the level of care that an individual should receive. The LOCUS provides for six levels, ranging from see a case manager once a month to the most intense level of a medically managed residential service.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
20 CAT TEAM	Community Action Treatment Team	Smith Community Mental Health	Provides community-based, family-focused intensive behavioral health (bx) treatment for youth struggling with severe bx issues. Seeks to divert children and youth with significant bx need from higher levels of care.	Mental Health
21 CBC	Community Based Care	ChildNet	Community-Based Care is a comprehensive redesign of Florida's Child Welfare System. It combines the outsourcing of foster care and related services to competent service agencies with an increased local community ownership of service delivery and design.	Child Welfare
22 CBT	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy		Cognitive behavioral therapy is a psycho-social intervention that aims to improve mental health. CBT focuses on challenging and changing unhelpful cognitive distortions and behaviors, improving emotional regulation, and the development of personal coping strategies that target solving current problems. Originally, it was designed to treat depression, but its uses have been expanded to include treatment of a number of mental health conditions, including anxiety.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
23 CCT	Care Coordination Team	Banyan Health Systems, The Village South/Westcare, Archways	Care Coordination serves to assist individuals who are not effectively connected with the services and supports they need to transition successfully from higher levels of care to effective community-based care. This includes services and supports that affect a person's overall well-being, such as primary physical health care, housing, and social connectedness. Care Coordination connects systems including behavioral health, primary care, peer and natural supports, housing, education, vocation and the justice systems. It is time-limited, with a heavy concentration on educating and empowering the person served, and provides a single point of contact until a person is adequately connected to the care that meets their needs.	Program/Service
24 CFLA	Children and Families Leadership Association	Children Services Council	The Children and Families Leadership Association (CFLA) is a forum through which community-based child welfare prevention and treatment services, mandated and funded by federal, state and local government work together to establish and nurture community involvement that provides all children and families with the means to become and remain safe, secure and self-sufficient.	Child Welfare
25 CFSR	Child and Family Services Reviews		Performance Improvement Plan that the state is under to improve based on the pre-determined Federal Measures.	Child Welfare
26 CI&R	Coordinated Intake and Referral	Healthy Start Coalition of Broward	Through universal screenings at medical providers and hospitals, Connect identifies needs and links families to the programs that best serve them. Community partners and women can also self refer. This coordinated intake and referral process ensures the best fit for families and streamlines access to services. At the same time, it improves program enrollment and retention rates, reduces duplication of efforts and builds a broader early childhood system of care in Florida. Connect helps pregnant women, caregivers and families with young children by providing a one-stop entry point for needed services, such as education and support in childbirth, newborn care, parenting, child development, food and nutrition, mental health and financial self-sufficiency.	Service Provider

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27	CINS/FINS	Child in Need of Services/Family in Need of Services	Lutheran Services/Mt Bethel	The Florida Legislature passed a law (Chapter 984, F.S.) that provides help to Children In Need of Services (CINS) and Families in Need of Services (FINS). These programs are open to children age 6-17 years old and their families. The Florida Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) funds and supports these counseling programs to keep kids out of serious trouble. Young people who are runaways, habitually truant, ungovernable (do not obey their guardians) or homeless – and their families – can receive free services to improve their behaviors, resolve conflicts effectively and start communicating again. CINS/FINS programs are in your area and your local agency will walk you through the options that best fit your needs.	Program/Service
28	COD	Case Opening Document		Required in order to file staff a case for case management/removal.	Legal
29	CODA	Codependent Anonymous	https://coda.org/	A program of recovery from codependence, where each of us may share our experience, strength, and hope in our efforts to find freedom where there has been bondage and peace where there has been turmoil in our relationships with others and ourselves.	Recovery Oriented System of Care
30	COS	Circle of Security		The Circle of Security is a relationship-based early intervention program designed to enhance attachment security between parents and children.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
31	CPC's	Caregiver Protective Capacities		Specific indicators/scale used to determine whether a paren/caregiver can be protective	Child Welfare
32	CPIS	Child Protection Investigations Section	Broward Sheriff's Office	When a reported concern of suspected child abuse, neglect or abandonment by a caregiver or other person responsible for a child is received in Broward County, the Broward Sheriff's Office investigates the allegation in the specialized unit, Child Protective Investigations Section.	Child Welfare
33	CPP	Child-Parent Psychotherapy		Child-Parent Psychotherapy (CPP), is an intervention model for children aged 0-5 who have experienced at least one traumatic event (e.g., maltreatment, sudden or traumatic death of someone close, serious accident, sexual abuse, exposure to domestic violence) and/or are experiencing mental health, attachment and/or behavioral problems, including post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD).	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
34	CPT	Child Protection Team		Doctors/Nurses/Case Coordinators assigned to see children when cases are mandated by statute.	Child Welfare
35	CQI	Continuous Quality Improvement		Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI), refers to as Performance and Quality Improvement (PQI), is a process of creating an environment in which management and workers strive to create constantly improving quality.	Other
36	CRC	Centralized Receiving Center		The Centralized Receiving Center (CRC) provides adults experiencing a crisis a convenient point of entry into the mental health and substance use systems for immediate assessment, as well as subsequent referral and linkage to appropriate and available providers and services.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
37	CSC	Children's Services Council		An organization provides leadership, advocacy and resources to enhance the lives of the children of Broward County and empower them to become responsible, productive adults.	Multi-Systemic
38	IOP	Intensive Outpatient Program		Average of 3-12 hours of therapy per week offered in a combination of group and individual therapy. Individual's generally remain in the community.	Recovery Oriented System of
39	DBT	Dialectical Behavioral Therapy		Dialectical Behavior Therapy (DBT) is a type of cognitive behavioral therapy that focuses on the psychosocial aspects of therapy, emphasizing the importance of a collaborative relationship, support for the client, and the development of skills for dealing with highly emotional situations.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
40	DCF	Department of Children & Families	www.myfamilies.com	The mission of the Department of Children and Families is to work in partnership with local communities to protect the vulnerable, promote strong and economically self-sufficient families, and advance personal and family recovery and resiliency. Ch.20.19 F.S.	Multi-Systemic
41	DENIAL	Don't Even Notice I Am Lying		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
42	DJJ	Department of Juvenile Justice	http://www.djj.state.fl.us/	The mission is to increase public safety by reducing juvenile delinquency through effective prevention, intervention and treatment services that strengthen families and turn around the lives of troubled youth.	Legal
43	DMDD	Disruptive Mood Dysregulation Disorder		Disruptive mood dysregulation disorder is a mental disorder in children and adolescents characterized by a persistently irritable or angry mood and frequent temper outbursts that are disproportionate to the situation and significantly more severe than the typical reaction of same-aged peers. DMDD was added to the DSM-5 as a type of depressive disorder diagnosis for youths. The symptoms of DMDD resemble those of attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, oppositional defiant disorder, anxiety disorders, and childhood bipolar disorder.	Mental Health
44	DOC	Department of Corrections	http://www.dc.state.fl.us/	The Florida Department of Corrections operates state prisons in the U.S. state of Florida. It has its headquarters in Florida's capital of Tallahassee. The Florida Department of Corrections operates the third largest state prison system in the United States. It is the largest agency administered by the State of Florida, with a budget of \$2.4 billion, over 95,000 inmates incarcerated and another 115,000+ offenders on some type of community supervision.	Legal
45	DST	Decision Support Team		Protocol utilized when a removal episode is imminent. Brings together CPI, Supv, Manager and co-located providers to staff case.	Child Welfare
46	DVCWA	Domestic Violence Child Welfare Advocate		This Advocate is co-located at the BSO Child Protection Investigation Section (CPIS) in Broward County and/or ChildNet (Community Based Care -CBC-Partner Agency) office. The Domestic Violence Child Welfare Advocate serves as the expert on child welfare-involved domestic violence cases and helps build the capacity of child welfare professionals to partner with survivors and hold batterers accountable.	Program/Service
47	EGO	Easing God Out		Slogan used in the community.	Recovery Oriented System of
48	EMDR	Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing		A psychotherapy that enables people to heal from the symptoms and emotional distress that are the result of disturbing life experiences. Repeated studies show that by using EMDR therapy people can experience the benefits of psychotherapy that once took years to make a difference.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
49	ESE	Exceptional Student Education		The special help they are given at school is called exceptional student education (ESE). The purpose of ESE is to help each child with a disability progress in school and prepare for life after school. ESE services include specially designed instruction to meet the unique needs of the child.	Other
50	FAILURE	Fearful, Arrogant, Insecure, Lonely, Uncertain, Resentful, Empty		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
51	FAITH	Fear Ain't In This House		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
52	Family CPR	Family Connections Through Peer Recovery		A five-year Federal research grant rewarded to Broward Behavioral Health Coalition in full partnership with ChildNet, as well as other community stake holders. The key principles of the grant are: • An integrated continuum of care • Intensive family engagement • Peer Support	Multi-Systemic
53	FARR	Florida Association of Recovery Residences	https://farronline.org/	FARR is affiliated with national, state and local organizations committed to serving the Recovery Community. While our primary mission focuses on providing support for recovery housing providers, the FARR vision necessarily connects us to resources that support education initiatives at the high school and collegiate levels, substance use disorder treatment platforms, fair housing rights, employment counseling opportunities, mutual aid groups, faith-based recovery ministries, corrections re-entry programs and prevention coalitions. The organizations below deliver the highest quality support to those they serve.	Recovery Oriented System of Care
54	FCOP	Family Counseling Outpatient Program	Henderson Behavioral Health	Office-based individual and family therapy utilizing solution-focused intervention in a brief therapy model. Youth ages 3-18.	Program/Service
55	FEAR	False Evidence Appearing Real		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
56	FEP	Family Engagement Program	Henderson Behavioral Health	Serves caregivers with open CPIS Investigations, with allegations of substance misuse. Peer specialists link these caregivers to community providers for Substance Use Evaluations and collaborate with the Investigators throughout the process.	Substance Use Disorder

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57	FFA	Family Functioning Assessment	BSO, ChildNet	Assessment completed by a CPI at the completion of the their investigation. Addresses 6 domains of information collection, the safety decision and caregiver protective capacities. This assessment is carried over to Child Welfare (ChildNet) and is an on-going assessment of care giver protective capacities.	Child Welfare
58	FINE	Frustrated, Insecure, Neurotic and Emotional		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
59	FIT	Family Intervention Team	Henderson Behavioral Health	Immediate, intense, crisis-oriented individual and family therapy utilizing solution-focused interventions. Designed to stabilize a crisis after a Baker Act and to divert hospitalizations. Utilizes a brief therapy model 8-12 weeks.	Mental Health
60	FITT	Family Intensive Treatment Team	Henderson Behavioral Health	Intensive team-based, family-focused services for families in the child welfare system with parental substance use. For families with at least 1 child ages 0-8 yrs., families are under judicial supervision, either in-home or out-of-home, caregiver has substance use disorder.	Substance Use Disorder
61	FSFN	Florida Safe Families Network	https://fsfn.state.dcf.fl.us	Florida's Statewide Automated Child Welfare Information System. Replaced Homesafenet. Official Child Welfare Case Record	Child Welfare
62	FSPT	Family Systems Planning Team	Community Stakeholders, Child Welfare	The objective of FSPT staffing is to link families with the necessary traditional and non-traditional services to stabilize children in our communities and keep them out of residential treatment. The FSPT staffing team will be led by a facilitator from Children's Home Society and will comprise a multidisciplinary group of professionals including case managers and local community providers who will work to provide both traditional and non-traditional approaches, including therapeutic mentorship, behavioral analysis services, as well as other specialized therapies catering to both the mental health and social needs of the children and families being served.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
63	GA	Gamblers Anonymous	www.gamblersanonymous.org	Gamblers Anonymous is an international fellowship of people who have a compulsive gambling problem.	Recovery Oriented System of
64	GIFT	God Is Forever There		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
65	GOD	Good Orderly Direction		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
66	HALT	Hungry, Angry, Lonely, Tired		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
67	HELP	Hope, Encouragement, Love and Patience		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
68	HOPE	Hang On Pain Ends		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
69	HOW	Honest, Open-minded and Willing		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
70	HT	Human Trafficking		Human trafficking is the trade of humans for the purpose of forced labour, sexual slavery, or commercial sexual exploitation for the trafficker or others. This may encompass providing a spouse in the context of forced marriage, or the extraction of organs or tissues, including for surrogacy and ova removal. Human trafficking can occur within a country or trans-nationally. Human trafficking is a crime against the person because of the violation of the victim's rights of movement through coercion and because of their commercial exploitation. Human trafficking is the trade in people, especially women and children, and does not necessarily involve the movement of the person from one place to another.	Child Welfare
71	IEP	Individualized Education Plan		A document, mandated by the IDEA, which clearly defines the individual goal and objectives set for a child with a disability. These programs are written documentation of the special education program and academic modifications required to meet the child's individual needs.	Other
72	IMR	Illness Management Recovery	Smith Community Mental Health	Evidenced-based practice that gives consumers information about mental illness and coping skills to help them manage their illnesses, develop goals and take an active role in their recovery.	Mental Health
73	IPV	Intimate Partner Violence		omestic violence by a spouse or intimate partner against the other spouse or partner. Intimate partner violence (IPV) is domestic violence by a current or former spouse or partner in an intimate relationship against the other spouse or partner. IPV can take a number of forms, including physical, verbal, emotional, economic and sexual abuse.	Other
74	KISS	Keeping It Simple, Spiritually		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
75	LCSW	Licensed Clinical Social Worker		A social worker trained in psychotherapy who helps individuals deal with a variety of mental health and daily living problems to improve overall functioning. A social worker usually has a master's degree in social work and has studied sociology, growth and development, mental health theory and practice, human behavior/social environment, psychology, research methods.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
76	LIFT	Learning Independence From Trauma	Henderson Behavioral Health	Individual and family therapy provided in-home with children/youth coping with abuse, neglect or trauma. Solution-focused, Cognitive Behavioral Therapy and/or Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy are utilized.	Mental Health
77	LMFT	Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist		A licensed marriage and family therapist is a mental health practitioner with a master's degree or doctoral degree as well as specialized training that includes at least two years or 3,000 clinical hours of experience supervised by a marriage and family therapist. Upon completion of supervised hours, a therapist must also pass a state licensing exam or the Association of Marital and Family Therapy Regulatory Board's national MFT exam, which is used in most states. In addition to finding a qualified licensed MFT practitioner, it is important to work with someone you and family members trust and feel comfortable working with in a counseling environment.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
78	LMHC	Licensed Mental Health Counselor		A licensed mental health counselor is a mental health expert who can treat a wide range of mental health issues. LMHC is a state-specific license. Licensed mental health counselors support you to make behavioral changes based on your values and goals. For instance, a client who struggles with low motivation but who wants to be more successful at work might seek help to boost motivation.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
79	LOCUS	Level of Care Utilization System		The tool designed to determine the level of care that an individual should receive. The LOCUS provides for six levels, ranging from see a case manager once a month to the most intense level of a medically managed residential service.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
80	MARA	Medication Assisted Recovery Anonymous	https://www.mara-international.org/	"Medication-Assisted Recovery Anonymous is a support group of people who believe in the value of medication as a means to recovery. We understand that our individual needs may not be the same; our backgrounds may not be the same; our futures may not be the same. However, our desire to live a safe lifestyle joins us together. Non-judgement is our code."	Recovery Oriented System of Care
81	MAT	Medication Assisted Treatment		Medication prescribed to eliminate or reduce withdrawals when not using substance and euphoria if substances are used. Most commonly used to treat opioid/ opiate use or alcohol	Recovery Oriented System of
82	MAT Staffings	Multi-disciplinary Team Staffings		Held Tuesday, Facilitated by BSO on all cases received with any substance abuse maltreatment and a child in the home 12 months or younger.	Child Welfare
83	MDD	Major Depressive Disorder		Major depressive disorder (MDD), also known simply as depression, is a mental disorder characterized by at least two weeks of low mood that is present across most situations. It is often accompanied by low self-esteem, loss of interest in normally enjoyable activities, low energy, and pain without a clear cause. Those affected may also occasionally have false beliefs or see or hear things that others cannot.	Mental Health
84	MDT	Multi-disciplinary Team		A multidisciplinary team is a group of health care workers who are members of different disciplines (professions e.g. Psychiatrists, Social Workers, etc.), each providing specific services and recommendation for the individual and family.	Child Welfare
85	MI	Motivational Interviewing	https://motivationalinterviewing.org/	A counseling approach. It is a directive, client-centered counseling style for eliciting behavior change by helping clients to explore and resolve ambivalence. Compared with non-directive counseling, it is more focused and goal-directed, and departs from traditional Rogerian client-centered therapy through this use of direction, in which therapists attempt to influence clients to consider making changes, rather than engaging in non-directive therapeutic exploration. The examination and resolution of ambivalence is a central purpose, and the counselor is intentionally directive in pursuing this goal.	Multi-Systemic

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86	MSST	Multi-Systemic Support Team		Staffings of vulnerable children with behavioral and/or mental health concerns.	Child Welfare
87	MST	Multi-Systemic Therapy	https://www.mstservices.com/	MST targets youths between the ages of 12 and 17 who present with serious antisocial and problem behavior and with serious criminal offenses. The MST intervention is used on these adolescents in the beginning of their criminal career by treating them within the environment that forms the basis of their problem behavior instead of in custody, removed from their natural ecology.	Program/Service
88	NA	Narcotics Anonymous	https://www.narcotics.com/na-meetings/florida/	A Narcotics Anonymous group is any meeting of two or more recovering addicts who meet regularly at a specific time and place for the purpose of recovery from the disease of addiction. All Narcotics Anonymous groups are bound by the principles of the Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions of NA	Recovery Oriented System of Care
89	NAMI	National Alliance for the Mentally Ill	https://www.nami.org/Home	NAMI is the nation's largest grassroots organization dedicated to improving the lives of individuals and families affected by serious mental illnesses. NAMI Brevard County is an affiliate of the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) and NAMI Florida.	Mental Health
90	Nar-Anon	Family Support Group for Narcotics Anonymous	https://www.nar-anon.org/	The Nar-Anon Family Groups is primarily for those who know or have known a feeling of desperation concerning the addiction problem of someone very near to you. We have traveled that unhappy road too, and found the answer with serenity and peace of mind.	Recovery Oriented System of Care
91	NPP	Nurturing Parent Program	https://www.nurturingparenting.com/	The Nurturing Parenting Programs are a family-centered trauma-informed initiative designed to build nurturing parenting skills as an alternative to abusive and neglecting parenting and child-rearing practices.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
92	NUTS	Not Using The Steps		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
93	OA	Overeaters Anonymous	https://oa.org/find-a-meeting/?type=0	Each group has but one primary purpose -- to carry its message to the compulsive eater who still suffers. We are compulsive eaters, including bingers, grazers, bulimics, and anorexics. The way we have found to recover from compulsive eating is to follow the directions in the Big Book, taking the Twelve Steps swiftly and thoroughly with the guidance of a recovered sponsor, and helping other compulsive eaters in turn.	Recovery Oriented System of Care
94	OAG	Office of Attorney General	http://myfloridalegal.com/	The Children's Legal Services Bureau, General Civil Litigation Division, of the Office of the Attorney General was established by the Legislature as a pilot project in 1995. This bureau is charged with the responsibility of litigating child abuse, abandonment and neglect cases for the Department of Children and Families in Broward and Hillsborough counties.	Legal
95	OCP3	One Community Partnership III		THE OCP3 TRANSITION TO INDEPENDENT PROCESS (TIP) INITIATIVE is a collaborative learning and implementation project for the One Community Partnership 3(OCP3) System of Care Expansion Grant administered by the Broward County Human Services Department's Community Partnerships Division in collaboration with the Broward Behavioral Health Coalition (BBHC) and the Children's Services Council (CSC). TIP training and fidelity implementation is being provided by the Stars Behavioral Health Group and the National Network on Youth Transition.	Other
96	ODD	Oppositional Defiance Disorder		DD is a behavioral disorder that results in defiance and anger against authority. It can affect a person's work, school, and social life. ODD affects between 1 and 16 percent of school age children. It's more common in boys than girls. Many children start to show symptoms of ODD between the ages of 6 and 8 years. ODD also occurs in adults. Adults with ODD who were not diagnosed as children often go undiagnosed.	Mental Health
97	PA	Participant		Person receiving and engaged in services.	Recovery Oriented System of
98	PACE	Positive Attitudes Change Everything		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
99	PAD	Petition to Adjudicate Dependent		When a child/ren are found to be unsafe and a petition is filed with court but the children remain in the home.	Legal
100	PC	Probable Cause		The finding the court makes at shelter hearings.	Legal
101	PDA	Present Danger Assessment	CPIS	Is required on all investigations, must be in FSFN within 48 hours of case being received.	Child Welfare
102	PPP	Placement Partnership Program	Henderson Behavioral Health	Placement stabilization program provided to preserve the placement of children in foster care. The program also helps prevent new youth from entering the foster care system by intervening in potential lock out situations.	Program/Service
103	PTSD	Post Traumatic Stress Disorder		A condition of persistent mental and emotional stress occurring as a result of injury or severe psychological shock, typically involving disturbance of sleep and constant vivid recall of the experience, with dulled responses to others and to the outside world.	Mental Health
104	PUP/HomeBuilders	Preventing Unnecessary Placement/HomeBuilders	Henderson Behavioral Health/Kids In Distress	PUP utilizes the HOMEBUILDER'S best practice model to prevent the out-of-home placement of children. Services are provided from 4-6 weeks with 8-10 hours of services provided per week to best meet the family's needs. Therapists will work with 2-3 families at a time. Referrals only accepted from BSO-CPIS.	Program/Service
105	RCO	Recovery Community Organization	South Florida Wellness Network	A recovery community organization (RCO) is an independent, non-profit organization led and governed by representatives of local communities of recovery. RCOs organize recovery-focused policy advocacy activities, carry out recovery-focused community education and outreach programs, and/or provide peer-based recovery support services.	Recovery Oriented System of Care
106	RCSI	Recovery Capital Scale Inventory		Recovery capital comprises everything you have working to your advantage when trying to stay sober. The more forms of recovery capital you have, and the better the quality, the easier recovery will be. On the other hand, if you have little or no recovery capital, you may have trouble staying sober even if you have received quality treatment. Recovery capital falls into basically four categories.	Recovery Oriented System of Care
107	RCSWI	Register Clinical Social Worker Intern		Registered clinical social worker intern means a person registered under this chapter who is completing the postgraduate clinical social work experience requirement specified in s. 491.005(1)(c).	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
108	REACH	Responding Effectively to Adolescents & Children In-home	Henderson Behavioral Health	Focuses on youth who are recently discharged from residential treatment or are at risk of removal from home due to their behavioral health issues. This program utilizes a team approach providing intensive in-home services utilizing the Wraparound approach. Youth must have diagnosis and previous behavioral health treatment.	Mental Health
109	REWG	Race Equity Work Group	Community Stakeholders	Continuous institution and structural analysis: We seek to understand our racialized history, the distribution of power and resources, and the policies, systems and practices that create and perpetuate inequities. Confronting and naming racism: We will pursue deliberate and focused attention on the various manifestations of racism - interpersonal, cultural, institutional and systemic. Courageous partnerships with families: We will adopt an equity-oriented approach that centers and actively seeks full inclusion of people of color to identify challenges and shape solutions that will impact their lives and communities. Rigorous organizational self-assessment: We will seek solutions that are grounded in a commitment to shifting power imbalances and achieving race equity. Shared Accountability: Through a strength-based, equity lens, we will build upon research of effective practices, create a common framework, and invest in training and professional development. We will evaluate and monitor practice, establish metrics and outcomes that support values-based practices with families. Commitment to action, innovation and transformational change: We will create an agency/system level race equity agenda and action plan to support organizational redesign, deliberately evaluate the vision for change within our organizations and identify staff champions to lead race equity initiatives.	Multi-Systemic
110	RFP	Request for Proposal		A request for proposal is a document that solicits proposal, often made through a bidding process, by an agency or company interested in procurement of a commodity, service, or valuable asset, to potential suppliers to submit business proposals.	Other
111	RMFTI	Register Marriage and Family Therapist Intern		Registered marriage and family therapist intern* means a person registered under this chapter who is completing the post-master's clinical experience requirement specified in s. 491.005 (3) (c).	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
112	RMHCI	Register Mental Health Counselor Intern		Every applicant for licensure as a clinical social worker, marriage and family therapist or mental health counselor shall submit to the Board a completed application on Form DH-MQA 1174, Application for Licensure (revised 11/18), hereby adopted and incorporated by reference, which can be obtained from http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-10300 , or the web at http://www.floridamentalhealthprofessions.gov/resources . The application shall be accompanied with the application fee and the initial licensure fee.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)

	ACRONYM	FULL NAME	AGENCY	DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY
113	ROSC	Recovery Oriented System of Care	https://facesandvoicesofrecovery.org/	A ROSC is a coordinated network of community-based services and supports that is person-centered and builds on the strengths and resilience of individuals, families, and communities to achieve abstinence and improved health, wellness, and quality of life for those with or at risk of alcohol or drug problems.	Recovery Oriented System of Care
114	Safety Plan	Contract to not hurt self or other		Used in treatment to mitigate danger of one hurting self or others.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
115	Safety Plan	Plan of how to reduce/ eliminate danger to children		Used in child welfare to mitigate danger threat.	Child Welfare
116	SAMH	Substance Abuse and Mental Health	Department of Children and Families	The Department provides treatment for substance abuse through a community-based provider system that offers detoxification, treatment and recovery support for adolescents and adults affected by substance misuse, abuse or dependence.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
117	SAMHSA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration	https://www.samhsa.gov/	The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) is the agency within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services that leads public health efforts to advance the behavioral health of the nation. SAMHSA's mission is to reduce the impact of substance abuse and mental illness on America's communities.	Multi-Systemic
118	SATC	Sexual Assault Treatment Center	Nancy J. Cotterman Center	Broward County's only Certified Rape Crisis and Accredited Children's Advocacy Center	Other
119	SLA	Sex and Love Addicts Anonymous	https://slaafws.org/meetings	Sex and Love Addicts Anonymous (SLAA) is a twelve-step program for people recovering from sex addiction and love addiction. The overarching goal of the program is to stop compulsive sexual and "romantic" behavior.	Recovery Oriented System of
120	SLIP	Sobriety Loses Its Priority		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
121	SMART	Safety Management Action Response Team	Henderson Behavioral Health, Community Based Connections	Used to oversee a safety plan during an open investigation.	Child Welfare
122	SMART	Self Management and Recovery Training	https://www.smartrecovery.org/	SMART Recovery is an international non-profit organization that provides assistance to individuals seeking abstinence from addiction. SMART stands for Self-Management and Recovery Training. The SMART approach is secular and science-based, using cognitive behavioral therapy and non-confrontational motivational methods.	Recovery Oriented System of Care
123	SOR	State Opioid Response	Department of Children and Families	Florida's State Opioid Response Project (SOR) is administered through the Office of Substance Abuse and Mental Health (SAMH) in the Florida Department of Children and Families. SOR is funded by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), and is designed to address the opioid crisis and reduce opioid-related deaths by providing a comprehensive array of evidence-based prevention, medication-assisted treatment (MAT), and recovery support services	Substance Use Disorder
124	SPONSOR	Sober Person Offering Newcomers Suggestions On Recovery		A person familiar with the 12-step philosophy who is ready to help another person along the recovery journey.	Recovery Oriented System of
125	STEPS	Solutions To Every Problem, Sober		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
126	SUD	Substance Use Disorder		Substance use disorder occurs when a person's use of alcohol or another substance (drug) leads to health issues or problems at work, school, or home. This disorder is also called substance abuse.	Substance Use Disorder
127	TBOS	Therapeutic Behavioral Onsite	Henderson Behavioral Health	In-home therapy designed to assist children/youth with complex needs, impaired social functioning and/or academic functioning. Youth age 5-18.	Mental Health
128	TF-CBT	Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy		Trauma focused cognitive behavioral therapy is an evidence-based psychotherapy or counselling that aims at addressing the needs of children and adolescents with post traumatic stress disorder and other difficulties related to traumatic life events. The goal of TF-CBT is to provide psychoeducation to both the child and the non-offending caregivers and help them to identify and cope with emotions, thoughts, and behaviors. Research has shown TF-CBT to be effective in treating childhood PTSD and with children who have experienced traumatic events.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
129	TIP	Transition To Independent Process	Banyan Health Systems, FLITE Center, Covenant House, Broward County Office of Justice, Gulf Coast, Camelot, Henderson, SMITH, South Florida Wellness Network, SunServe, Handy, Harmony, Memorial, Pace, Urban League	Transition to Independence Process (TIP) is a model used to work with youth in Broward County's Youth System of Care, implemented by Broward Behavioral Health Coalition, the regional managing entity. TIP focuses on youth ages 14-29 who have emotional and mental health challenges, and who may also have experiences with trauma and/or substance use issues. TIP provides these young people and their families with assistance during their transition into adulthood by supporting their recovery, resiliency and wellness. TIP is offered in 15 agencies across Broward County.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
130	TIR	Trauma Incident Reduction		Traumatic Incident Reduction therapy is a one-on-one therapeutic technique performed by trained professionals, called "facilitators," in a highly structured manner. TIR is considered a rapid therapy form as it may not last as long as traditional methods. Sessions are typically 60-90 minutes in length and generally offered weekly. The number of needed sessions is determined by each individual and their specific needs and progress.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
131	TPR	Termination of Parental Rights		Legal Term for when a Parent's rights are being terminated in dependency court.	Legal
132	TPR	Treatment Plan Review		The treatment plan review is used for the person in treatment to identify progress and lack thereof of progress in treatment. It is a live document that changes based on needs of the individual in treatment.	Co-Occurring (MH/SUD)
133	Triple P	Positive Parenting Practices	https://www.triplep.net/glo-en/home/	The Triple P – Positive Parenting Program is one of the most effective evidence-based parenting programs in the world, backed up by more than 35 years of ongoing research. Triple P gives parents simple and practical strategies to help them build strong, healthy relationships, confidently manage their children's behavior and prevent problems developing. Triple P is currently used in more than 25 countries and has been shown to work across cultures, socio-economic groups and in many different kinds of family structures.	Multi-Systemic
134	VC	Victim Child	BSO, ChildNet	The child in the home who is identified as being primarily impacted by the maltreatment (abuse/neglect/abandonment)	Child Welfare
135	WHAM	Whole Health Action Management	https://www.thenationalcouncil.org/consulting-services/whole-health-action-management/	Whole Health Action Management is a peer-led intervention to facilitate self-management to reach whole health goals through peer coaching and support groups.	Recovery Oriented System of Care
136	WID	Women in Distress	https://www.womenindistress.org/	Mission: To stop domestic violence abuse for everyone through intervention, education and advocacy. Our History:	Service Provider
137	WILLING	When I Live Life, I Need God		Slogan used in the recovery community.	Recovery Oriented System of
138	WRAP	Wellness Recovery Action Plan	https://mentalhealthrecovery.com/wrap-is/	The Wellness Recovery Action Plan or WRAP, is a self-designed prevention and wellness tool that you can use to get well, and stay well. WRAP is for anyone, any time, and for any of life's challenges.	Recovery Oriented System of
139	YES Team	Youth Emergency Services Team	Henderson Behavioral Health	Provides 24/7 telephone consultation, linkage, referral and mobile outreach services to youth and families of Broward County experiencing a crisis.	Mental Health
140	PHP	Partial Hospitalization Program		A partial hospitalization program is a hospital-based form of outpatient drug rehabilitation. These programs offer services comparable to a residential inpatient program, including access to mental health care services, if needed; however, they do not require the person to stay at the program full-time.1 Different partial hospitalization programs may be tailored to meet the needs of adolescents or adults.	Substance Use Disorder