

## Primer Hands On – Child Welfare

### Acronyms

ACF	Administration for Children And Families
ADH	Administrative Disqualification Hearings
AECF	Annie E. Casey Foundation
AHA	American Humane Association
ASO	Administrative Services Organization
BH	Behavioral Health
BHO	Behavioral Health Organization
CAFAS	Child and Adolescent Functional Assessment Scale
CANS	Child and Adolescent Needs And Strengths
CAPTA	Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act
CASA	Court Appointed Special Advocate
CASSP	Child and Adolescent Service System Program
CBT	Cognitive Behavior Therapy
CFSR	Child and Family Services Review
CME	Care Management Entity
CMHS	Center on Mental Health Services
CMS	Centers on Medicare And Medicaid Services
CPA	Child Placement Agency
CPPC	Community Partnerships for Protecting Children
CPS	Child Protective Services
CQI	Continuous Quality Improvement
CRS	Congressional Research Service
CW	Child Welfare
DHHS	Department of Health and Human Services
DHS	Department of Human Services
DSS	Department of Social Services
EBP	Evidence-Based Practice
ED	Education
EPSDT	Medicaid Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment Program
F2F	Family-To-Family
FCFC	Family & Children First Council
FFS	Fee-For-Service
FGDM	Family Group Decision Making
FSPT	Family Service Planning Teams
GAL	Guardian Ad Litem
GUCCHD	Georgetown University Center for Child And Human Development
HCBS	Home and Community Based Services
HRD	Human Resource Development
IFSP	Individual Family Service Plan
IP/ER	In-Patient/Emergency Room
JJ	Juvenile Justice
MCO	Managed Care Organization
MDFT	Multi-Dimensional Treatment Foster Care
MH	Mental Health

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MHSPY	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's Mental Health Services Program For Youth
MIS	Management Information System
MRS	Multiple Response System
MSO	Management Service Organization
MST	Multisystemic Therapy
NRCOI	National Child Welfare Resource Center for Organizational Improvement
PCIT	Parent-Child Interaction Therapy
PEP	Positive Education Program
PIP	Program Improvement Plan
QA	Quality Assurance
QI	Quality Improvement
RFP	Request for Proposals
RTC	Residential Treatment Center
SA	Substance Abuse
SAMHSA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
SCHIP	State Children's Health Insurance Program
SCY	Strengthening Communities - Youth
SED	Serious Emotional Disorder
SOC	System of Care
SSA	Social Security Act
SSI	Supplemental Security Income
TANF	Temporary Assistance to Needy Families
TEFRA	Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act of 1982
UM	Utilization Management
UR	Utilization Review