

## UCS ACRONYMS

AAA	Area Agencies on Aging
AABD	Aid to the Aged, Blind, & Disabled
ACF	Administration for Children & Families
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ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act
ADAP	Alcohol & Drug Abuse Programs
AHS	Agency of Human Services
AMI	Alliance for the Mentally Ill
ANFC	Aid to Needy Families & Children (replaced by TANF)
ANR	Agency of Natural Resources
APHSA	American Public Human Services Association (formerly APWA)
BBA	Burr and Burr Academy
BBBS	Big Brothers Big Sisters
BCHS	Bennington County Head Start
BCIC	Bennington County Industrial Corporation
BEEP	Bennington Early Education Project: State Program for Preschools
BEN-L	Bennington Elementary School
BISHCA	Dept of Banking, Insurance, Securities and Health Care Administration
BROC	Bennington/Rutland Opportunity Council
BRSU	Bennington Rutland Supervisory Union
BVSU	Battenkill Valley Supervisory Union (Arlington)
C&E	Consultation and Evaluation
CA	Community Assessment
CAC	Children's Advocacy Center
CAC	Certified Alcohol Counselor
CADC	Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor
CARF	The Rehabilitation Accreditation Commission
CBA	Comprehensive Benefits Administrator: Third Party Administrator of UCS Group Insurance
CCDF	Child Care Development Fund
CCV	Community College of Vermont
CDF	Community Development Fund
CFDA	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance
CFO	Chief Financial Officer
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CIO	Chief Information Officer
CMC	Clara Martin Center
CMHC	Community Mental Health Center
CMS	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services ( <i>formerly HCFA</i> )
COA	Council on Aging
COLA	Cost-of-Living Adjustment
CP	Certified Provider
CPI	Crisis Prevention and B39 Intervention
CRASH	Countermeasures Related to Alcohol and Safe Highways - Driver Retraining Program for DUI/DWI Offenders
CRES	Community Rehabilitation & Emergency Services
CRT	Community Rehabilitation and Treatment
CSAC	Counseling Service of Addison County
CSBG	Community Services Block Grant
CSP	Community Support Program
CSW	Clinical Social Worker
CTF	Children's Trust Fund
CTT	Continuous Treatment Team - Part of CRT program
CUPS	Children's Up Stream Services
CVS	Champlain Vocational Services, Inc.
D&E	Diagnosis and Evaluation
DA	Designated Agency
DAD	Dept of Aging & Disabilities
DAIL	Department of Aging and Independent Living
DBT	Dialectical Behavior Therapy
DBVI	Division for the Blind & Visually Impaired
DCA	Division of Cost Allocation

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DCF	Department of Children and Families
DD	Developmental Disabilities
DDC	Developmental Disabilities Council
DDS	Division of Developmental Services
DDS	Disability Determination Services
DEC	Dept of Environmental Conservation
DET	Dept of Employment & Training
DET	Department of Employment and Training
DFS	Drug Free Schools
DH	Developmental Home
DHHS	Department of Health and Human Services
DO	District Office
DOC	Dept of Corrections
DOE	Dept of Education
DOE	Dept of Energy
DOH	Dept of Health
DRS	Division of Rate Setting
DS	Developmental Services
DSQT	Developmental Services Quality Team
DSW	Dept of Social Welfare ( <i>now PATH</i> )
ECC	Early Childhood Council
EEl	Early Education Initiative
E&T	Employment & Training Programs
EA	Emergency Assistance
EAP	Employee Assistance Program
EBD	Emotionally Behaviorally Disturbed
EDS	Electronic Data Systems (Medicaid claims processing)
EEE	Essential Early Education Program
EFMAP	Enhanced Federal Medical Assistance Percentage (CHIP)
EHS	Early Head Start
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FES	Family Emergency Services
FLSA	Fair Labor Standards Act
FMIS	Financial Management Information System
FMLA	Family Medical Leave Act
FNS	Food and Nutrition Service (of USDA)
FPL	Federal Poverty Level
FSP	Food Stamp Program
FSR	Financial Status Report
FY	Fiscal Year [FFY = "Federal"; SFY = "State"]
GAO	Government Accounting Office
GAPS	Grant Administration & Payment System
GBCC	Greater Bennington Chamber of Commerce
GF	General Funds
HCFA	Health Care Financing Administration ( <i>now CMS</i> )
HCHS	The Howard Center for Human Services
HCRS	Health Care & Rehabilitation Services of Southeastern Vermont
HHS	Dept of Health & Human Services
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability & Accessibility Act
HMO	Health Maintenance Organization
HS	Head Start
HSB	Human Services Board
IEP	Individualized Education Plan
IFBS	Intensive Family-Based Services
III ( <i>Title</i> )	Older Americans Act - Administration on Aging
IOP	Intensive Outpatient Therapy
IPS	Individual Placement and Support
IRRC	Incident and Risk Review Committee
ISA	Individual Support Agreement
ISB	Individualized Service Budget
IV-A ( <i>Title</i> )	Temporary Assistance for Needy Families

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IV-B (Title)	Child Welfare Service
IV-D (Title)	Child Support Enforcement Program
IV-E (Title)	Foster Care and Adoption Assistance Program
JAIBG	Juvenile Accountability Incentive Block Grant
JFO	Joint Fiscal Office
JJDP	Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Programs
LCMH	Lamoille County Mental Health Services
LCSW	Licensed Clinical Social Worker
LEAP	Learning, Exercise, Awareness, Potential
LIHEAP	Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program
LIT	Local Inter Agency Team
LOC	Letter of Credit
LSI	Lincoln Street, Inc.
MAP	Medical Assistance Program (re: Medicaid)
MBES	Medicaid Budget & Expenditure System
MCH	Maternal & Child Health
MCO	Managed Care Organization
MEMS	Manchester Elementary and Middle School
MH	Mental Health
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MI	Mentally Ill
MICA	Mentally Ill Chemical Abuse (or Addiction)
MIS	Management Information System
MSW	Master of Social Work
MVP	Mohawk Valley Physician's Health Plan
NAMI	National Alliance for the Mentally Ill
NAPPI	Non-Abusive Psychological and Physical Intervention
NASW	National Association of Social Workers
NCAC-I	National Certified Alcohol Counselor – Level 1
NCAC-II	National Certified Alcohol Counselor – Level 11
NCCMHS	National Council of Community Mental Health Services
NCSS	Northwestern Counseling & Support Services, Inc.
NFI	Northeastern Family Institute
NHSA	National Head Start Association
NKHS	Northeastern Kingdom Human Services, Inc.
NRS	National Reporting System
O/E	Operating Expenses
OADAP	Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Programs
OCS	Office of Child Support Services
OEO	Office of Economic Opportunity
OJP	Office of Justice Programs
OMB	Office of Management & Budget
OVHA	Office of Vermont Health Access
PA	Public Assistance
PAL	Parent's Assistance Line
PATH	Dept of Prevention, Assistance, Transition and Health Access (formerly DSW)
PATH	VT Dept. of Prevention, Assistance, Transition and Health Access (used to be Dept. of Social Welfare)
PAVE	Project Against Violent Encounters
PC	Policy Council
PCA	Personal Care Attendant
PCC	Parent Child Center
PDD	Pervasive Developmental Disability
PHO	Physician/Hospital Organization
PHS	Preventive Health Services
POCA	Psychiatric Outpatient Centers of America or Plan of Corrective Action
POS	Parent Outreach Services
PRISM	Program Review Instrument for System Monitoring
PRWORA	Personal Responsibility & Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996
QA	Quality Assurance
QI	Quality Improvement
QT	Quality Team

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RMH	Rutland Mental Health
RMHS	Rutland Mental Health Services
RPS	Residential Program Specialist
RWJ	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
SAFE	Substance Abuse Family Education Program
SAMHSA	Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration
SAPT	Substance Abuse Prevention & Treatment Block Grant
SARC	Substance Abuse Receiving Center
SAS	Sterling Area Services
SCHIP	State Children's Health Insurance Program
SCIP	Strategies for Crisis Intervention Prevention
SCS	Specialized Children's Services
SED	Severely Emotionally Disturbed
SHRM	Society of Human Resource Management
SILP	Supported Independent Living Program
SL	Shared Living
SOCP	System of Care Planning
SSA	Specialized Service Agency
SSBG	Social Services Block Grant
SSI	Supplemental Security Income
STEP	Systematic Training for Effective Parenting
SVC	Southern Vermont College
SVHC	Southwestern Vermont Health Care
SVMC	Southwestern Vermont Medical Center
SVSU	Southwest Vermont Supervisory Union
SWVCOA	Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging
TCM	Targeted Case Management
TEP	Transitional Employment Program
TPA	Third Party Administrator
TPR	Termination of Parental Rights
UM	Utilization Management
USDA	United States Dept of Agriculture
UVS	Upper Valley Services
UW	United Way of Bennington County
VAC	Vermont Achievement Center
VCCMHC	Vermont Council of Community Mental Health Centers
VCF	Vermont Community Foundation
VHAP	Vermont Health Access Plan
VHAP	VT Health Access Plan
VHC	Vermont Humanities Council
VHSA	Vermont Head Start Association
VISION	Vermont Integrated Solution for Informational and Organizational Needs
VP & A	Vermont Protection & Advocacy (defending consumer rights)
VPICT	Vermont Prevention Institute Consultation Team
VPS	Vermont Psychiatric Survivors (Consumer and Support Advocacy)
VR	Division of Vocational Rehabilitation
VSH	Vermont State Hospital
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VSTAT	Vermont Safety Awareness Training
VVH	Vermont Veteran's Home
WCMH	Washington County Mental Health
WIC	(Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for) Women, Infants, and Children
WWW	World Wide Web
XIX ( <i>Title</i> )	Medicaid Program
XVIII ( <i>Title</i> )	Medicare Program
XXI ( <i>Title</i> )	State Children's Health Insurance Program
Y2K	Year 2000