

Passport Advantage Provider Manual Section 14.0 Acronyms

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Acronym	Definition
ADA	American Diabetes Association
AHFS	American Hospital Formulary System
AIS	Alternative Intermediary System
AMHP	AmeriHealth Mercy Health Plan
CHFS	Cabinet for Health and Family Services
CLAS	Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Standards
COE	Category of Eligibility
CMS	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
COB	Coordination of Benefits
COPD	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
DCBS	Department for Community Based Services
DEA	Drug Enforcement Agency
DME	Durable Medical Equipment
DMERC	Durable Medical Equipment Regional Carrier
DMS	Department for Medicaid Services
DOS	Date of Service
DRA	Deficit Reduction Act

DRE	Dilated Retinal Exam
DRG	Diagnostic Related Group
EDI	Electronic Data Interchange
EFT	Electronic Funds Transfer
EOB	Explanation of Benefits
FDA	Federal Drug Administration
FQHC	Federally Qualified Health Centers
GBA	Government Benefits Administrator
GOLD	Global Initiative for Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease
HEDIS®	Health Effectiveness Data Information Set
HHS	Health and Human Services Department
HIPAA	Health Information Portability and Accountability Act
IBNRs	Incurred But Not Reported Claims
ID	Identification Card
ICF	Intermediate Care Facility
IVR	Interactive Voice Response System
KCHIP	Kentucky Children's Health Insurance Program
KHC	Kentucky Health Choices (a.k.a. Ky Health Choices)
LEP	Limited-English Proficiency
LOS	Length of Stay
MAC	Medicare Appeals Council
MAID	Kentucky Medicaid Identification Number
MAO	Medicare Advantage Organization
MOC	Model of Care
NCCI	National Correct Coding Initiative
NCQA	National Committee for Quality Assurance
NDC	National Drug Code
NHLBI	National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute
NIH	National Health Institute
NOMNC	Notice of Medicare Non-Coverage
NPDB	National Practitioner Data Bank
NPI	National Provider Identifier

OTC	Over-the-Counter
PA	Prior Authorization
PAD	Passport Advantage (Medicare Advantage Special Needs Plan)
PBM	Pharmacy Benefit Manager
PCP	Primary Care Practitioner
PCN	Pharmaceutical Care Network
PCSU	Provider Claims Service Unit
PHI	Protected Health Information
PHP	Passport Health Plan
PIC	Program Integrity Coordinator
PMPM	Per Member Per Month
POIS	Passport Online Information Service (Provider E-mail Service)
PFTF	Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility
QDWIs	Qualified Disabled Working Individuals
QI	Quality Improvement
QIO	Quality Improvement Organization
QMB	Qualified Medicare Beneficiary
RHC	Rural Health Center
RHHI	Regional Home Health Intermediary
RN	Registered Nurse
SCMBs	Specified Low Income Medicare Beneficiaries
SOBRA	Sixth Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act
SNF	Skilled Nursing Facility
SSA	Social Security Administration
SSI	Social Security Income
TANF	Temporary Assistance to Needy Families
TDD	Telecommunications Device for the Deaf
TIN	Tax Identification Number
TPA	Third Party Administrator
TPL	Third Party Liability
UHC	University Health Care, Inc.
UM	Utilization Management

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