

Glossary of Terms and Acronyms



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A & E	Accident and Emergency
AfC / A4C	Agenda for Change
AHP	Allied Health Professional
APMS	Alternative provider medical services
AQP	Any Qualified Provider
AT	Area Team
BAME	Black, asian and minority ethnic
BMA	British Medical Association
BME	Black and minority ethnic
CAMHS	Child and adolescent mental health services
CCG	Clinical Commissioning Group
C-Diff	Clostridium difficile
CHC	Continuing health care
CMHT	Community mental health team
COBICS	Capitated outcomes based incentivised contracts
CPA	Care programme approach
CPR	Child protection register
CQC	Care Quality Commission
CQUIN	Commissioning for quality and innovation
CSR	Comprehensive spending review
CSS	Commissioning support service
CSU	Commissioning support unit
CYP	Children and young people
DES	Directed enhanced services
DPA	Data Protection Act
DPH	Director of Public Health
E&D	Equality and diversity
EPR	Electronic Patient Record
EPRR	Emergency preparedness, resilience and response
FESC	Framework for procuring external support for commissioners
FFT	Friends and Family Test
FOI	Freedom of information
Footprint	The area of planning for a Sustainability and Transformation plan
FT	Foundation Trust
GMC	General Medical Council
GMS	General Medical Service
GPwSI	General Practitioner with special interest
HCAI	Healthcare acquired infection
HSCIC	Health and social care information centre
HSE	Health and Safety Executive
HSMR	Hospital standardised mortality ratio
HWB	Health and Wellbeing Board
HWE	Healthwatch England
ICA	Independent Complaints Advocacy

IG	Information
IM&T	Information management and technology
ISTC	Independent sector treatment centre
JSNA	Joint Strategic Needs Assessment
KPI	Key Performance Indicator
LA	Local Authority
LAA	Local Area Agreement
LAC	Looked after children
LD	Learning disabilities
LDP	Local delivery plan
LES	Local enhanced service
LINs	Locality integrated networks
LMC	Local Medical Committee
LSP	Local strategic partnership
LTC	Long term conditions
MSCP	Multispecialty Community Provider (new model of care)
MRSA	Methicillin resistant Staphylococcus Aureus
MUS	Medically unexplained symptoms
NHSE	NHS England
NMC	Nursing and Midwifery Council
NPSA	National Patient Safety Agency
OGIM	Objectives, goals, impact, outcome model
OOH	Out of hours
OSC	Overview and Scrutiny Committee
PALs	Patient advice and liaison service
PbR	Payment by results
PACS/PCS	Integrated primary and acute care systems (new model of care)
PHB	Personal health budget
PHE	Public Health England
PMS	Personal medical services
PPE	Patient and public engagement
PPG	Patient participation group
PPI	Patient and public involvement
PROM	Patient reported outcome measure
PWP	Psychological wellbeing practitioner
QIPP	Quality, innovation, productivity and prevention
QOF	Quality outcomes framework
SCR	Summary care record
SDIP	Service development improvement plan
SLA	Service level agreement
SRO	Senior Responsible Officer
STP	Sustainability and Transformation Plan
Vanguard	NHS England approved early implementer sites of new models of care
VCS	Voluntary and community sector
VFM	Value for money