ACRONYM LISTING

Acronym/Term	Definition
CC/MCC	Complications and comorbidities/major complications and comorbidities
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CMS	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
CMSO	Center for Medicaid and State Operations
COB	Coordination of Benefits
HAC	Hospital Acquired Condition
HAI	Health Care Associated Infection
IPPS	Inpatient Prospective Payment System
LCD	Local Coverage Determination
MAC	Medicare Administrative Contractor
MFCU	Medicaid Fraud Control Unit
MIC	Medicaid Integrity Contractor
MIP	Medicaid Integrity Program
MS-DRG	Medicare-Severity DRG
MSP	Medicare Secondary Payer
NCD	Medicare National Coverage Determination
NQF	National Quality Forum
NQF SRE	NQF Serious Reportable Events – Errors in medical care that are of concern to both the public and health care professionals and providers, clearly identifiable and measurable (and thus feasible to include in a reporting system), and of a nature such that the risk of occurrence is significantly influenced by the policies and procedures of the health care organization
POA	Present on Admission
PSAE	Preventable Serious Adverse Event
RAC	Medicare Recovery Audit Contractor (contingency fee)
Serious Event	Event involving a patient's clinical care that results in death or compromises patient safety and results in an unanticipated injury requiring the delivery of additional health services to the patient
TPL	Medicaid Third Party Liability