Continuum of Care Acronym List	
AES	Adaptive Enterprise Solutions (Adsystech)
AH	Affordable Housing
AHAR	Annual Homeless Assessment Report
AIRS	Alliance of Information and Referral Systems
AMI	Area (Annual) Median Income
APR	Annual Performance Report
ARD	Annual Renewal Demand (formerly called HHN)
CAHP	Coordinated Assessment and Housing Placement
CDBG	Community Development Block Grant
CE	Coordinated Entry
CH	Chronic Homeless
CHAP	Community Homeless Assistance Providers
CHO	Contributing HMIS Homeless Organization
CIS	Community Information Systems
CMS	Client Management System (our local HMIS)
CoC	Continuum of Care
CSBG	Community Services Block Grant
CSV	Comma Separated Values (csv exports used for HUD/Federal funding reporting)
DV	Domestic Violence
EHIC	Electronic Housing Inventory Chart
ES	Emergency Shelter
ESG	Emergency Solutions Grants
esnaps	Electronic data system for SNAP (see SNAP)
FAQ's	Frequently Asked Questions
FIPS	Federal Information Processing Standards Codes for States, counties, and named populated places.
FMR	Fair Market Rent
FPL	Federal Poverty Level
HEARTH	Homeless Emergency and Rapid Transition to Housing
HHN	Hold Harmless Need Amount (now called ARD)
HIC	Housing Inventory Chart
HIPPA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996
HMIS	Homeless Management Information Systems
HP	Homeless Prevention
HUD	(U.S. Dept. of) Housing and Urban Development
I & R	Information and Referral
NOFA / NOFO	Notice of Funding Availability / Notice of Funding Opportunity
PATH	Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness
PIT	Point In Time
PKI	Public Key Infrastructure
PPI	Personal Protected Information
PRN	Pro Rata Need Amount
PSH	Permanent Supportive Housing
QPR	Quarterly Performance Report
RFP	Request for Proposal
RHY	Runaway & Homeless Youth
RHYMIS	Runaway and Homeless Youth Management Information System
ROMA	Results-Oriented Management and Accountability
RRH	Rapid ReHousing
S+C	Shelter Plus Care (former PSH program for chronic homeless)
SA	Substance Abuse
SH	Safe Haven
SHP	Supportive Housing Program (includes TH, S+C, SPC and SRO)
SNAP	Special Needs Assistance Programs
SNAP	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (food stamps)
SOAR	SSI/SSDI Outreach, Access, and Recovery Program
SRO	Single Room Occupancy
SSDI	Social Security Disability Income

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SSI	Supplemental Security Income
SSO	Supportive Services Only
SSVF	Supportive Services for Veteran Families Program
SuperNOFA	Super (Consolidated) Notice of Funding Availability
SysPM	System Performance Measures Report
TA	Technical Assistance
TANF	Temporary Assistance to Needy Families
TBRA	Tenant Based Rental Assistance
TH	Transitional Housing
TIP	Transition in Place
USICH	U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness
VASH	HUD-VA Supportive Housing Program
VAWA	Violence Against Women Act
VI-SPDAT	Vulnerability Index Service Prioritization Decision Assistance Tool
TAY-VI-SPDAT	Transitioning Age Youth VI-SPDAT - aka "Next Step Tool for Homeless Youth"
XML	Extensible Markup Language