

Wisconsin HIV Community Planning Network Acronyms

ADAP	AIDS Drug Assistance Program
AHP	Advancing HIV Prevention OR also used as abbreviation for AIDS/HIV Program
AHPI	Advancing HIV Prevention Initiative
AIDS	Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome
AN	AIDS Network
AODA	Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse
ARCW	AIDS Resource Center of Wisconsin
ARV	Antiretroviral
ASL	American Sign Language
ASO	AIDS Service Organization
ATEC	AIDS Training and Education Center – See MATEC
AZT	Azidothymidine (chemical name for zidovudine, brand name is Retrovir)
BHC	Black Health Coalition
BRFSS	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey
CADR	CARE Act Data Report renamed in 2007 – see RDR
CAIR	Center for AIDS Intervention Research
CAPS	Center for AIDS Prevention Studies (University of California, San Francisco)
CARE Act	Ryan White Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency Act, now known as the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Modernization Act of 2006
CAS	Client Assessment Sheet
CBA	Capacity Building Assistance
CBO	Community Based Organization
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CHC	Community Health Centers
CLD	Client Level Data
CLI	Community Level Intervention
CMS	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (Federal)
COBRA	Consolidate Omnibus Reconciliation Act
CPG	Community Planning Group
CQI	Continuous Quality Improvement
CTR	Counseling, Testing, and Referral
D&HH	Deaf and Hard of Hearing
DD	Developmental Disabilities
DEBIs	Diffusion of Effective Behavioral Interventions
DHS	Department of Health Services (Wisconsin)
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic acid
DOC	Department of Corrections
DPH	Division of Public Health
DPI	Department of Public Instruction
DWD	Department of Workforce Development
EBIs	Effective Behavioral Interventions
EC	Emerging Communities

EFA	Emergency Financial Assistance
EIS	Early Intervention Services
EMA	Eligible Metropolitan Area
EPSC	Evaluation and Program Support Center
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FOA	Funding Opportunity Announcement
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
FTM	Female to Male (Transgender)
GAMP	General Assistance Medical Program
GLBT	Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender
GLBTQ	Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender, Questioning
GLI	Group Level Intervention
GPR	General Purpose Revenue
HAART	Highly Active Antiretroviral Therapy
HAB	HIV/AIDS Bureau (Office within the federal Health Resources and Services Administration)
HAV	Hepatitis A Virus
HBV	Hepatitis B Virus
HC/PI	Health Communication / Public Information
HCV	Hepatitis C Virus
HIRSP	Health Insurance Risk Sharing Plan
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
HIV-positive:	HIV-infected, person has tested positive on standard HIV-antibody test
HOH	Hard of Hearing
HOPWA	Housing Opportunities for People With AIDS
HRH	High Risk Heterosexual
HRSA	Health Resources and Services Administration
HUD	Housing and Urban Development (Federal)
IDU	Injection Drug Use/Injection Drug User
ILI	Individual Level Intervention
IQ	Intelligence Quotient
IRC	(Wisconsin HIV/STD/HCV) Information Referral Center
LCS	Life Care Services (state funded case management services)
LGBT	Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender
LHD	Local Health Department
LLEGO	National Latina/o Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Organization
MA	Medicaid
MAI	Minority AIDS Initiative
MATEC	Midwest AIDS Training and Education Center
MCSM	Men of Color who have Sex with Men
MMWR	Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report
MSA	Metropolitan Statistical Area
MSM	Men who have Sex with Men
MSM/IDU	Men who have Sex with Men and are also Injection Drug Users
MTF	Male to Female (Transgender)
NAHOF	National Association on HIV Over Fifty

NASTAD	National Alliance of State and Territorial AIDS Directors
NCHSTP	National Center for HIV, STD, and TB Prevention
NEP	Needle Exchange Programs
NGLTF	National Gay and Lesbian Task Force
NGO	Non-Governmental Organizations
NNRTI	Non-Nucleoside Reverse Transcriptase Inhibitor – “Non-Nukes”
NRTI	Nucleoside Analog Reverse Transcriptase Inhibitor – “Nukes”
OMB	Office of Management and Budget (Federal)
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PCM	Prevention Case Management
PCR	Polymerase Chain Reaction (test or assay)
PCRS	Partner Counseling & Referral Services now known as Partner Services or PS
PEMS	Prevention Evaluation Monitoring System
PHIP	Prevention for HIV Infected Persons
PHS	Public Health Service (Federal)
PI	Protease Inhibitor
PIR	Parity, Inclusion, and Representation (Older language within CDC for prevention)
PLWA	Person Living with AIDS
PLWH	People Living with HIV
POL	Popular Opinion Leader
PTLT	Prevent, Test, Link, and Treat
PS	Partner Services, formerly Partner Counseling & Referral Services or PCRS
PSE	Public Sex Environment
QA	Quality Assurance
QI	Quality Improvement
QM	Quality Management
RDR	Ryan White Program Data Report (Replaces the CADR in 2007)
RFP	Request For Proposals
RNA	Ribonucleic Acid
SAMHSA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (Federal)
SAPG	Statewide Action Planning Group
SCSN	Statewide Coordinated Statement of Needs
SEP	Syringe Exchange Programs
SI	Structural Interventions
SIECUS	Sexuality Information and Education Council of the United States
SPNS	Special Projects of National Significance
STD	Sexually Transmitted Diseases
STI	Sexually Transmitted Infections
TA	Technical Assistance
TB	Tuberculosis
TGA	Transitional Grant Area
TTY	Text Telephone
UMOS	United Migrant Opportunities Services

WAPC	Wisconsin Association for Prenatal Care
WSW	Women who have Sex with Women
YAC	Youth Advisory Council
YMSM	Young Men who have Sex with Men
YRBS	Youth Risk Behavior Survey
ZDV	Zidovudine (generic name for Azidothymidine, brand name is Retrovir)