

## Acronyms

<b>ADA</b>	<b>Americans with Disabilities Act</b>
<b>ACS</b>	<b>Association of Community Services</b>
<b>BPSS</b>	<b>Board to Promote Self-Sufficiency</b>
<b>CAC</b>	<b>Community Action Council of Howard County</b>
<b>CCH</b>	<b>Congregations Concerned for the Homeless</b>
<b>CDBG</b>	<b>Community Development Block Grant</b>
<b>CoC</b>	<b>Continuum of Care</b>
<b>CSH</b>	<b>Corporation for Supportive Housing</b>
<b>CSP</b>	<b>Community Service Partnerships</b>
<b>DCRS</b>	<b>Department of Community Resources and Services</b>
<b>DHCD</b>	<b>Department of Housing and Community Development, Maryland</b>
<b>DHMH</b>	<b>Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, Maryland</b>
<b>DHR</b>	<b>Department of Human Resources, Maryland</b>
<b>DORS</b>	<b>Division of Rehabilitation Services (part of MSDE)</b>
<b>DSS</b>	<b>Department of Social Services (local office of DHR)</b>
<b>EAFC</b>	<b>Emergency Assistance to Families with Children</b>
<b>EFSP</b>	<b>Emergency Food and Shelter Program</b>
<b>EITC</b>	<b>Earned Income Tax Credit</b>
<b>ESG</b>	<b>Emergency Shelter Grants</b>
<b>ETHS</b>	<b>Emergency and Transitional Housing</b>
<b>EUSP</b>	<b>Electric Universal Service Program</b>
<b>FARM</b>	<b>Free and Reduced-Price Meals</b>
<b>FPL</b>	<b>Federal Poverty Level</b>
<b>FSP</b>	<b>Family Stabilization Program</b>
<b>HMIS</b>	<b>Homeless Management Information System</b>
<b>HPP</b>	<b>Homelessness Prevention Program</b>
<b>HSMP</b>	<b>Human Services Master Plan</b>
<b>HUD</b>	<b>Housing and Urban Development, U.S. Department of</b>
<b>MCHIP</b>	<b>Maryland Child Health Insurance Program</b>
<b>MIHU</b>	<b>Moderate Income Housing Unit</b>
<b>MEAP</b>	<b>Maryland Energy Assistance Program</b>
<b>MSDE</b>	<b>Maryland State Department of Education</b>
<b>NAEH</b>	<b>National Alliance to End Homelessness</b>
<b>SHP</b>	<b>Supportive Housing Program</b>
<b>SLH</b>	<b>Service Linked Housing</b>
<b>SNAP</b>	<b>Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program</b>
<b>SSI</b>	<b>Supplemental Security Income</b>
<b>TANF</b>	<b>Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (formerly AFDC – Aid to Families with Dependent Children)</b>
<b>TCA</b>	<b>Temporary Cash Assistance</b>
<b>USDA</b>	<b>United States Department of Agriculture</b>
<b>USICH</b>	<b>United States Interagency Council on Homelessness</b>
<b>UWCM</b>	<b>United Way of Central Maryland</b>