

ACRONYMS	
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AAAP	Association of Administrators in Academic Pediatrics
AAMC	Association of American Medical Colleges
AASA	Association of Academic Surgical Administrators
ABBC	Admission & Bed Coordination Center
ACAPT	Advisory Committee on Appointments, Promotions & Tenure
ACAR	Ambulatory Care Activity Report
ACCG	Ambulatory Care Coordinating Group
ACIS	Ambulatory Care Information Systems
ACS	Ambulatory Care Services
ACU	Ambulatory Care Unit
AD	Associate Directors
AFFF	Ambulatory Care Funds Flow Formula
AGH	Adult General Hospital
AHC	Academic Hearing Committee
AHD	Associate Hospital Director
AHOD	All Hands on Deck
ALOS	Average Length of Stay
AMA	American Medical Association
AMC	Academic Medical Center
AMGA	American Medical Group Association
AMS	Association of Multicultural Scientists
AMSA	American Medical Student's Association
AMWA	American Medical Women's Association
A/P	Accounts Payable
APADG	Associate Provosts and Associate Deans Group
APG	Academic Program Group
APRAPT	Advisory Committee on Primary Research Appointments, Promotions, and Titles
A/R	Accounts Receivable
	B
BAG	Budget Advisory Group
BCBSM	Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan
BCN	Blue Cross Network
BFAC	Business and Finance Advisory Committee
BMA/SNMA	Black Medical Association/Student National Medical Association
BMC	Biomedical Communications
BMRC	Biomedical Research Council
BRCF	Biomedical Research Core Facilities
BSARB	Basic Science Academic Review Board
BSRB	Biomedical Science Research Building (Renamed A. Alfred Taubman Biomedical Science Research Building ~April 2011) Located at 109 Zina Pitcher Place
BSSP	Biological Sciences Scholars Program

	C
CAGR	Compound Annual Growth Rate
CAI LAB	Computer Assisted Instruction Lab
CAO	Chief Administrative Officer or Chief Academic Officer
CARB	Clinical Academic Review Board
CBN	Capital Budget Number
CBP	Customs & Border Protection
CC	Cancer Center
CCA	Comprehensive Clinical Assessment
CCC	Comprehensive Cancer Center
CCGC	Cancer Center/Geriatrics Center
CCIT	Center for Clinical Investigations and Therapeutics
CCMB	Center for Computational Medicine and Bioinformatics
CDA	Chief Department Administrator
CDACD	Component Directors & Assistant Component directors
CDM	Charge Description Master, a code utilized for facility charges
CDS	Clinical Delivery System
CDSEC	Clinical Delivery System Executive Committee
CE	Clinical Enterprise
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CEW	Center for the Education of Women
CFO	Chief Financial Officer
CFOB	Clinical Faculty Office Building (1939-2003; where the CVC now stands)
CHRT	Center for Healthcare Research & Transformation
CIDSS	Clinical Information & Decision Support Services
CIO	Chief Information Officer
CLINACAP	Advisory Committee on Clinical Track Appointments and Promotions
CME	Continuing Medical Education
CMO	Chief Medical Officer
CMS	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
COB	Close of Business
COG	Capital Oversight Group
COI	Conflict of Interest
CPC	Curriculum Policy Committee
CPT	Current Procedural Terminology, a code utilized for indicating tasks/services provided by a medical practitioner to a patient
CRAO	Clinical Research - Calendar Review & Analysis Office, also known as CR2-AO
CRB	Clinical Research Billing
CRC	Clinical Research Center
CSC	Clinic Steering Committee
CSO	Chief Scientific Officer
CTA	Clinical Trial Agreement
CVC	Cardiovascular Center (Frankel Cardiovascular Center)

	D
DAC	Dean's Advisory Committee
DCR	Dean's Conference Room
DPS	Department of Public Safety
DVU	Diagnostic Vascular Unit
	E
EAP	Employee Assistance Program (Name was changed to the <i>Office of Counseling and Workplace Resilience</i> (March 2018))
EBIDA	Earnings Before Interest Depreciation Amortization
EBS	Endowment for the Basic Sciences
EC	Executive Committee (Medical School)
EHS	Environment, Health & Safety (formerly known as OSEH)
EMPLID	Employee Identifier
EO	Executive Officers
ESG	Executive Strategy Group
EVD	Executive Vice Dean
EVDCA	Executive Vice Dean, Clinical Affairs
EVDAA	Executive Vice Dean, Academic Affairs
EVPMA	Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs
	F
FAC	Finance Advisory Committee
FAIC	Finance, Audit, Investment Committee (sub-group of Regents)
FAM	Funds Allocation Model
FASAP	Faculty & Staff Assistance Program
FASR	Faculty and Staff Resources
FGP	Faculty Group Practice
Fishbowl	4302B Med Sci I (it's not an acronym, but used often)
FTE	Full-Time Employee
FY	Fiscal Year (runs July 1 st through June 30 th)
FYE	Fiscal Year End
	G
GME	Graduate Medical Education
GPAC	Grants Processing Advisory Committee
GSC	Graduate Student Council
	H
HAC	Health Affairs Committee (sub-group of Regents)
HFH	Henry Ford Hospital
HHC	(University) Hospitals and Health Centers
HHCEB	Hospital & Health Centers Executive Board
HHMI	Howard Hughes Medical Institute
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act
HITS	Health Information Technology & Services
HPPD	Hours Per Patient Day
HRRIS	Human Resources Records & Information Services
HRSC	Human Resources Solutions Center

HSDW	Health System Data Warehouse
HSEG	Health System Executive Group
	I
IACUC	Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (formerly called UCUCA; University Committee for the Use and Care of Animals)
IRB	Institutional Review Board
ISP	Internal Service Provider
ITOC	International Travel Oversight Committee
ITTP	Introduction to the Patient
	J
JCAHO/TJC	Joint Commission on Accreditation for Healthcare Organizations/The Joint Commission
	K
KEC	Kellogg Eye Center
KHRI	Kresge Hearing Research Institute
KMS	Building at 700 KMS Place (off State Street; houses UMHS Revenue Cycle departments)
	L
LANAMA	Latin American/Native American Medical Association
LCME	Liaison Committee on Medical Education
LRC	Learning Resource Center
LSI	Life Sciences Institute
	M
MAIS	Michigan Administrative Information Services
MCAS	Medical Center Alumni Society
MCHC	Maternal Child Health Center
MCIT	Medical Center Information Technology
MDRTC	Michigan Diabetes Research and Training Center
Med Sci I	Medical Science Building I
Medicare...	Federal health insurance program has the following services: <i>Part A</i> (covers inpatient hospital care, skilled nursing facilities, hospice care, and some home health care), <i>Part B</i> covers certain doctors' services, outpatient care, medical supplies, and preventive services, <i>Part C</i> (Medicare Advantage Plans), <i>Part D</i> (Prescription Drug Coverage)
MGMA	Medical Group Management Association
MH	Michigan House (located at 2301Commonwealth)
MHA	Michigan Health & Hospital Association
MHC	Michigan Health Corporation
MHRI	Mental Health Research Institute
MIB	Med Inn Building (1500 E. Medical Center Drive attached to U of M Hospitals)
MICHR	Michigan Institute for Clinical and Health Research
MLT	Michigan Leadership Team
MMOC	The Michigan Metabolomic and Obesity Center
MNIMBS	Michigan Nanotechnology Institute for Medicine and the Biological Sciences
MPB	Medical Professional Building
MPU	Medical Procedure Unit
MQS	Michigan Quality System
MS	Medical Science

MSA	Medical School Administration
MSI	Medical Science Building I
MSIS	Medical School Information Services (Re-named to Health Information Technology & Services; HITS)
MSRB	Medical Science Research Building
MSTP	Medical Scientist Training Program
MVN	Michigan Visiting Nurses
	N
NAC	Network Admission Control
NCAC	North Campus Administration Complex
NCRC	North Campus Research Complex (former Pfizer building located on 2800 Plymouth Rd.)
NIB	North Ingalls Building
NPP	Notice of Privacy Practices
NPPA	Nurse Practitioner/Physician Assistant Meeting
	O
OARS	Online Access Request System
OBS	Observation Cases
OCA	Office of Clinical Affairs
OOR	Office of Research
OSEH	Occupational Safety & Environmental Health (now called EHS; Environment, Health & Safety)
	P
PAF	Proposal Approval Form
PFAC	Pediatrics Finance Advisory Committee
PHI	Protected Health Information
PIBS	Program in Biomedical Sciences
PASS	Patient Activity Statistics System
POM	Physician Organization of Michigan
PS	Peoplesoft
	R
RFP	Request for Proposal
RIF	Reduction in Force
RVU	Relative Value Unit
	S
SACUA	Senate Advisory Committee on University Affairs
SAPAC	Sexual Assault Prevention and Awareness Center
SFP	Strategic Financial Plan
SJMH	St. Joseph Mercy Hospital
SPG	Standard Practice Guide
SPORE	Specialized Projects of Research Excellence
SSB	Sugar Sweetened Beverages
SSC	Shared Services Center
SSO	Sponsored Student Organization
SUB	Service Unit Billing
	T
TC	Taubman Center
THSL	Taubman Health Sciences Library

TSA	Transportation Security Administration
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UAAMSA	United Asian American Medical Student Association
UCUCA	University Committee on Use and Care of Animals – now called IACUC; The Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee
UH	University Hospital (main inpatient hospital)
UHS	University Health Service
ULAM	Unit for Laboratory Animal Medicine
UMHS	University of Michigan Health System (internal term since 01/09/17 when the name/branding changed to Michigan Medicine. Michigan Medicine includes the Health System. The Health System refers to the hospitals, health centers, and medical group practice.)
UMMC	University of Michigan Medical Center
UMMG	University of Michigan Medical Group
UMMS	University of Michigan Medical School
UMOD	University of Michigan Online Directory
UMRT	University of Michigan Related Travel
UMSN	University of Michigan School of Nursing
UOS	Unit of Service
	V
VAMC	Veterans Affairs Medical Center
VSO	Voluntary Student Organization
	W
WAAHC	West Ann Arbor Health Center
WT	Wolverine Tower
WoTo	Wolverine Tower
YoY	Year Over Year

*If you have any acronyms to add to this list, e-mail robinfox@umich.edu