Acronyms for April 10, 2012 Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on HHS Presentation on PCS/1915(i) Option

ACH – Adult Care Home

ADA – American's with Disability Act

ADL – Activities of Daily Living include eating, bathing, walking

CAP-DA – Community Alternative Program for Disabled Adults (a 1915c home and community based waiver)

CAP-MR/DD – Community Alternatives Program for People with Mental Retardation/Developmental Disabilities (1915c home and community based waiver)

CMS – Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services

DOJ – US Department of Justice

DSS – County Departments of Social Services

HCBS – Home and Community Based Standards

IADL – Instrumental Activities of Daily Living such as obtaining food, cooking, washing clothes, managing medication

ICFMR - Intermediate Care Facility for MR/DD

IMD – Institution for Mental Disease

LME – Local Management Entities

NF - Nursing home

PCS – Personal Care Services

SCU – Special Care Units in Adult Care Homes. Typically serve people with Dementia or Alzheimer Disease

SPA – State Plan Amendment

1915i – the Section of the Social Security Act that outlines the regulations associated with use of the option