

Camden County Family Support Organization

COMMONLY USED ACRONYMS IN

The Department of
Children & Families
And
HUMAN SERVICES



COMMONLY USED ACRONYMS IN HUMAN SERVICES

— A —

AA	Alcohols Anonymous
ACE	Action for Career Employment
ACEI	Atlantic City Casino Employment Initiative
ACF	Administration for Children and Families (Federal child care funding)
ACLU	American Civil Liberties Union
ACNJ	Association for the Children of New Jersey
ACSES	Automated Child Support Enforcement System
ACSW	Academy of Certified Social Workers
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act or American Diabetes Association
ADACO	Alcoholism & Drug Abuse Council of Ocean County
ADAU	Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Unit
ADC	Alternative Disposition Committee
ADD	Attention Deficit Disorder
ADHD	Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder
ADL	Activities of Daily Living
ADRC	Aging & Disability Resource Connection
AE	Administrative Entity
AFB	Air Force Base
AFDC	Aid to Families with Dependent Child
AFL-CIO	American Federation of Labor-Congress of Industrial Organizations
AG	Attorney General
AH	Auditory Handicapped
AHCPR	Agency for Health Care Policy and Research
AHMS	Affordable Housing Management Service (DCA) Fair Share Housing
AIDS	Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome
AIP	Adult Intervention Program
AJB	America's Job Bank
AL-ANON	Support Group for Family Members of Alcoholics
ALA-TEEN	Support Group for Teenage Alcoholics
ALC	Adult Learning Center
ALS	Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis
AMHBG	Alcohol & Mental Health Block Grant
AO	Administrative Order
AOC	Administrative Office of the Courts
AOSOS	America's One Stop Operating System
AOTU	Adolescent Offenders Treatment Unit
APH	Ancora Psychiatric Hospital
APS	Adult Protective Services
APWA	American Public Welfare Association
ARC	Adoption Resource Centers or Association for Retarded Citizens
ARCC	At Risk Child Care
ASAP	Adolescent Substance Abuse Program
ASC	Adolescent Services Continuum
ASFA	Adoption and Safe Families Act
ASO	Administrative Service Organization
ASPA	American Society of Public Administration
ATB	America's Talent Bank
AWEP	Alternative Work Experience Program

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BA	Behavioral Assistance
BABES	Beginning Alcohol & Addiction Basic Education Studies
BAK	Before & After Kindergarten Program
BAT	Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training
BCF	Board of Chosen Freeholders
BEIP	Business Employment Incentive Program (Grant)
BLS	Basic Living Skills
BLS	Bureau of Labor Statistics (US Department of Labor)
BOCHA	Bring Our Children Home Act
BOSS	Board of Social Services
BRAG	Business Relocation Assistance Grant
BREM	Basic and Remedial Education (FDP)
BS	Basic Skills
BSS	Board of Social Services
BSDA	Basic Skills for Deaf Adults
BSR	Business Services Representatives
BSW	Bachelor's degree in Social Work

— C —

C&E	Consultation & Education
C&R	Coordination and Review
CA	Cocaine Anonymous
CAA	Creative Achievement Academy (CMO)
CAC	Certified Alcoholism Counselor
CADC	Certified Drug & Alcohol Counselor
CAFAS	Child/Adolescent Functional Assessment Score
CAFS	Child, Adolescent, and Family Support Services Program
CAM	Capable Adolescent Mothers
CANS	Children Adjusting to New Situations
CAP	Continuum Aftercare Project or Consumer Assistance Program
CAPA	Community Action Program Agency
CAPU	Children/Adolescent Psychiatric Unit
CARA	Coalition Against Rape & Abuse
CARF	Counseling Alternatives for Resistive Families or Council on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities
CART	Child Abuse Record Investigation
CART	Case Assessment Resource Team
CASSP	Child and Adolescent Services System Program
CAT	County Assessment Team or Crisis Assessment Tool
CBO	Community Based Organization
CBVI	Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired
CCC	Children's Coordinating Council
CCBOSS	Camden County Board of Social Services
CCDBG	Child Care & Development Block Grant
CCDF	Child Care & Development Fund
C-CHAS	County Comprehensive Homeless Assistance Strategy
CCHCC	Camden County Health Services Center
CCIS	Children's Crisis Intervention Services
CCM	Clinical Case Management

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— C —

CCPED	Community Care Program for the Elderly and Disabled
CCRR	Child Care Resource & Referral System
CCSA	Cost of Current Service Adjustment
CDBG	Community Development Block Grant
CDCP	Center for Disease Control and Prevention
CEAS	Comprehensive Emergency Assistance Systems
CECEP	Center for Early Childhood Education Program
CEI	Calculated Earned Income
CEO	Chief Elected Official
CEPP	Commitment Extended Pending Placement
CES	Current Employment Statistics
CFA	Consolidated Funding Application
CFAU	Capital Facilities Approval Unit (State)
CFDA	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers
CFG	Center for Family Guidance
CFS	Center for Family Services
CFT	Child/Family Team
CGC	Child Guidance Center for New Jersey
CH	Communication Handicapped
CHAS	Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy
CHEP	Cuban/Haitian Entrant Program
CHLP	Community Health Law Project
CHS	Children's Home Society
CHSAC	County Human Services Advisory Council
CHSP	Comprehensive Human Services Plan
CI	Children's Initiative
CIACC	County Inter-Agency Coordinating Council for Children
CIC	Crisis Intervention Center
CICRF	Catastrophic Illness in Children Relief Fund Commission
CIDS	Career Information Delivery System
CIL	Center for Independent Living
CIP	Classification of Instructional Programs
CIT	Crisis Intervention Training (or Team)
CIU	Crisis Intervention Unit
CLPC	Child Life Protection Commission
CM	Case Management
CMHC	Community Mental Health Center
CMI	Chronically Mentally Ill
CMO	Care Management Organization
CMS	Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services
CMU	Case Manager Unit
CN	Certificate of Need
CAN	Certified Nursing Assistant
CNS	Community Nursing Services
CO	Certificate of Occupancy
COA	Council on Accreditation of Children and Family Services
COC	Continuum of Care
CODA	Co-Dependence Anonymous
COEI	Center for Occupational Employment Information
COLA	Cost of Living Adjustment/ Cost of Current Services
COMHCO	Coalition of Mental Health Consumer Organizations

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CON	Certificate of Need
COPE	Center of Psychiatric Evaluation
COSA	Children of Substance Abusers
COSAC	Center for Outreach and Services to the Autism Community
CP	Cerebral Palsy
CPA	Certified Public Accountant
CPAC	Community Planning & Advocacy Center
CPC	Child Partial Care
CPG	Community Partnership Grant
CPRB	Child Placement Review Board
CPS	Child Protective Services
CQI	Continual Quality Improvement
CR	Conditional Release
CSA	Contracted Systems Administrator or Comprehensive Social Assessment
CSCC	Children's System Coordinating Committee
CSP	Community Support Program or Child Support and Paternity
CST	Child Study Team
CRF	Committed or Classroom Training Children's Trust Fund
CT	Committed
CTO	Chief Technology Officer
CTP	Comprehensive Treatment Plan
CTS	Community Treatment Solutions
CVBI	Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired (NJ)
CWA	County Welfare Agency or Communication Workers of America
CWEP	Community Work Experience Program
CY	Calendar Year
CYSC	County Youth Service Commission

— D —

DAC	Disaster Application Center
DAS	Division of Addiction Services
DAPP	Drug & Alcohol Prevention Program
DARE	Drug Awareness Resistance Education
DATE	Disability Awareness Through Education (Team)
DCA	Department of Community Affairs or Day Care Administration
DCBHS	Division of Child Behavioral Health Services
DCC	Day Care Centers
DCF	Department of Children and Families
DD	Developmentally Disabled and/or Developmental Disability
DDC	Developmental Disabilities Council
DDD	Division of Developmental Disabilities
DDHH	Division of the Deaf & Hard of Hearing
DDS	Division of Disability Services
DDRT	Developmental Disabilities Resource Tool
DHHS	Department of Health and Human Services

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DEA	Division of Economic Assistance
DEPART	Disabled, Elderly Persons Accessible Recreational Transportation
DFD	Division of Family Development
DFDI	Division of Family Development Instruction
DHS	Department of Human Services
DHSS	Department of Health & Senior Services
DIAL	Disabled Information Awareness & Living, Inc.
DIT	Division of Information Technology
DJS	Division of Juvenile Services
DMAHS	Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services
DMHC	Drenk Mental Health Center
DMHS	Division of Mental Health Services
DMVA	Division of Military & Veterans Affairs
DO	District Office (DYFS-now called Local Office)
DOAE	Department of Adult Education
DOC	Department of Corrections
DOE	Department of Education
DOH	Department of Health
DOHE	Department of Higher Education
DOL	Department of Labor
DOLETA	Department of Labor Employment and Training Administration
DOLMA	Department of Labor Management Association
DOPDOSP	Department of Personnel Discharge Oriented Service Plan
DOT	Department of Transportation
DOVIA	Directors of Volunteers in Associations
DPCP	Division of Prevention and Community Partnership
DRG	Diagnostic Related Group
DRS	Designated Record Set
DSC	Designated Screening Center
DSM-IV	Diagnostic & Statistical Manual, 4th Edition
DV	Domestic Violence
DVA	Department of Veteran's Affairs
DVPSS	Division of Veterans Program & Special Services
DRV	Division of Veterans Program & Social Services
DVRS	Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services (NJ)
DVRT	Domestic Violence Response Team
DYFS	Division of Youth & Services
DYFS, DO	Division of Youth & Services, District Office

— E —

E&T	Employment and Training
EA	Emergency Assistance (DFD)
EAP	Emergency Apartment Program or Employee Assistance Program
EASE	Easy Access, Single Entry (services for elderly citizens)
EBT	Electronic Benefits Transfers
ED	Emotionally Disturbed

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EDA	Employment Directed Activities
EDP	Employability Development Plan
EEDA	Education and Employment Directed Activity (FDP)
EEl	Early Employment Initiative (WFNJ program)
EEO	Equal Employment Opportunity
EEOC	Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
EIRC	Education Information & Resource Center
ELP	Essential Lifestyle Plan (DDD)
EMR	Educable Mentally Retarded
EPSDT	Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis & Treatment
ERE	Employment Related Expenses
ES	Employment Services or Emergency Services
ESGP	Emergency Shelter Grants Program
ESL	English as a Second Language

— F —

FACE	Family & Consumer Exchange
FACES	Family & Children Early Education Services (Reiner Project)
FACS	Family and Community Services
FAMIS	Family Management Information System
FAPE	Free Appropriate Public Education
FAR	Federal Acquisition Regulations
FAS	Fetal Alcohol Syndrome
FBANJ	Family Based Association of New Jersey
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FCIU	Family Crisis Intervention Unit
FCM	Family Case Management, Superior Court
FDC	Family Day Care (a.k.a. - Registered Family Day Care Provider)
FDI	Family Development Initiative
FDP	Family Development Program
FEIN	Federal Employer Identification Number (IRS)
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency (emergency food & shelter)
FFP	Federal Financial Participation
FFY	Federal Fiscal Year
FH	Fair Hearing
FLC	Family Learning Center
FLEX	Families Living in Extreme Stress
FOCUS	Family Outreach Creating Understanding & Stability
FPL	Federal Poverty Level
FPS	Family Preservation Services
FPSS	Family Preservation and Support Services Initiative (Federal)
FS	Food Stamps
FSA	Family Support Act or Family Service Association
FSE&T	Food Stamp Employment and Training
FSETP	Food Stamp Employment and Training Program (DHS/DFD)
FSO	Family Support Organization
FSP	Food Stamp Program

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FSS	Family Self Sufficiency
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
FUTA	Federal Unemployment Tax Act
FVO	Family Violence Option
FY	Fiscal Year
FYI	For Your Information

— G —

G&A	General & Administrative
GA	General Assistance (DFD)
GAEP	General Assistance Employability Program (DFD)
GAM-ANON	Gamblers Anonymous
GAPB	General Assistance Procedural Bulletin
GAPI	General Assistance Program Instruction
GARS	General Assistance Automated System
GED	General Education Development or Graduate Equivalency Diploma
GGI	Guided Group Interaction
GH	Group Home
GIS	Geographic Information System (transportation for WFNJ)
GS	Guardianship Services
GSA	General Services Administration (NJ)
GSETA	Garden State Employment & Training Association
GSHP	Garden State Health Plan

— H —

HA	Housing Authority
HAAAD	Hearing Aid Assistance to the Aged and Disabled
HBC	Health Benefits Coordinator
HC	Handicapped Commission
HCCS	Homeless Continuum of Care System (replaces CHAS)
HCEP	Home Care Expansion Program
HCFA	Health Care Financing Administration
HCI	Healthcare Commons Inc.
HEA	Home Energy Assistance (DFD)
HI	Hearing Impaired
HICCHIPA	Homeless Interagency Coordinating Council
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
HMI	Homeless Mentally III
HMO	Health Maintenance Organization
HOPE	Home Ownership and Opportunities for People Everywhere or Helping Other People Evolve
HOPING	Helping Other Parents in Normal Grief
HOPWA	Housing for Persons with AIDS
HPP	Homelessness Prevention Program
HRDI	Human Recourses Development Institute

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HRSA	Health Resources and Services Administration (US)
HSA	Homeless Shelter Allowance or Health Systems Agency
HSAC	Human Service Advisory Council
HSPS	Human Service Performance Standards
HSPT	High School Proficiency Test
HUA	Heating Utility Allowance
HUD	US Department of Housing and Urban Development

— I —

I&R	Information and Referral
IAP	Interim Assistance Program
IAPES	International Association of Professionals in Employment Security
ICESA	Interstate Conference of Employment Security Agencies
ICF	Intermediate Care Facility
ICF/MR	Intermediate Care Facilities for the Mentally Retarded
ICMS	Integrated Case Management Services (MH)
ICP	Individualized Crisis Plan
IDA	Individual Development Account
IDDT	Integrated Dual Disorders Treatment
IDEA	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (Federal)
IDEA	Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act
IDEAS	Incentive for Demonstrating Excellence in Academic Standards
IDRC	Intoxicated Driver's Resource Center
IEP	Individual Employment Plan or Individual Education Program
IEVS	Income Eligibility Verification System
IFSP	Individualized Family Service Plan (NJ Early Intervention)
IFSS	Intensive Family Support Services
IGH II	Interim Group Home II
IHP	Individual Habilitation Plan (DDD)
IIC	Intensive In-Community Services
ILC	Independent Living Center
IM	Income Maintenance
IMAS	Income Maintenance Administrative Supervisor
IMT	Income Maintenance Technician
INS	Immigration and Naturalization Service
IPV	Intentional Program Violation (WFNJ)
IRP	Individual Responsibility Plan
IRS	Interpreter Referral Services
IS	Intergenerational Services
ISP	Initial Service Plan or Individualized Service Plan (CMO)
ITA	Individual Training Account
ITG	Individual Training Grant
ITP	Individual Treatment Plan

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JCAHO	Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organizations
JFCIU	Juvenile/Family Crisis Intervention Unit
JFS	Jewish Family Services

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JJC	Juvenile Justice Commission
JJDP	Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention
J-MDT	Juvenile Multi-Disciplinary Team
JOAS	Jewish Older Adult Services
JOBS	Job Opportunities and Basic Skills
JOY	Joining Other Youth
JSAP	Job Search Assistance Program
JSEC	Job Services Employment Committee
JTPA	Job Training Partnership Act

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KMH	Kennedy Memorial Hospital
KMC	Kimball Medical Center

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LABS	Local Advisory Boards (Health Department) Replaces Health Systems Agencies
LAC	Licensed Associate Counselor
LACADA	Local Advisory Committee on Alcoholism & Drug Abuse
LAD	Law Against Discrimination (NJ)
LCCA	Lead Child Care Agencies
LCRO	Lower Central Region Office (DDD)
LCSW	Licensed Clinical Social Worker
LD	Learning Disabled
LDA	Local Distribution Agencies (food bank)
LEA	Local Education Agencies
LEO	Local Elected Official
LOC	Level of Care
LOCCS	Line of Credit Control System (HUD)
LOF	Level of Functioning
LOS	Length of Stay or Levels of Service
LPA	Licensed Public Accountant
LPC	Licensed Professional Counselor
LRR	Legally Responsible Relative

— M —

M&M	Mandatory & Matching Funds
MA	Medical Assistance
MADD	Mothers Against Drunk Driving
MAP	Management Assistance Program
MAPSS	Municipal Alliance Plan Steering Subcommittee
MARC	Multi-Access Resource Center
MASH	Mutual Aid Self Help Group
MASK	Middle After School Kare
MBA	Maximum Benefit Amount (U I)
MBO	Management By Objectives
MCA	Maximum Coupon Allotment

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MCO	Managed Care Organization
MD	Muscular Dystrophy
MDA	Muscular Dystrophy Association
MDO	Medicaid District Office
MDT	Multi-Disciplinary Team
MH	Multiple Handicaps or Mental Health
MHA	Mental Health Association or Mental Health America
MHASWNJ	Mental Health Association of Southwestern New Jersey
MHB	Mental Health Board
MHSH	Mental Health Services for the Homeless (block grant program)
MI	Mental Illness or Mentally III
MICA	Mentally III Chemical Abusers
MIS	Management Information System
MO	Medicaid Only
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MR	Mentally Retarded
MRSS	Mobile Response & Stabilization Services
MS	Multiple Sclerosis
MSA	Metropolitan Statistical Area
MSAI	Mandatory Substance Abuse Initiative
MSFW	Migrant and Seasonal Farm Workers
MSW	Masters Degree in Social Work
MTP	Master Treatment Plan
MWA	Municipal Welfare Agency
MWD	Municipal Welfare Department

— N —

NA	Narcotics Anonymous or Neurotics Anonymous
NAACP	National Association for Advancement of Colored People
NAB	National Alliance of Business
NAD	National Association of Deaf
NAFTA	North American Free Trade Agreement
NAGLO	National Association of Government Labor Officials
NAHA	National Affordable Housing Act
NAMI, NJ	National Alliance on Mental Illness, New Jersey
NAP	National Apprenticeship Program
NAR-ANON	Narcotics Anonymous
NAWIB	National Association of Workforce Investment Boards
NCADD	National Council on Alcohol and Drug Dependence
NCP	Non-Custodial Parent
NF	Nursing Facility (Nursing Home)
NGA	National Governors' Association
NHLBI	National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute
NI	Neurologically Impaired
NICHCY	National Information Center for Children and Youth With Disabilities
NIDCD	National Institute on Deafness & Other Communications Disorders

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NJAC	New Jersey Administrative Code or New Jersey Association of Counties
NJACRF	New Jersey Association of Children's Residential Facilities
NJALL	New Jersey Association of Lifelong Learning
NJAMA	New Jersey Association of Mental Health Agencies
NJAMI	New Jersey Alliance for the Mentally Ill
NJBEA	New Jersey Business Education Association
NJCFS	New Jersey Comprehensive Financial System
NJCFSA	New Jersey Chronic Fatigue Syndrome Association
NJCK	New Jersey Cares for Kids (Child Care Program)
NJCSOCI	New Jersey Children's System of Care Initiative
NJICC	New Jersey Interagency Coordinating Council
NJIEI	New Jersey Integrated Employment Initiative
NJN	New Jersey Network
NJOV	New Jersey Office of Volunteerism
NJPA	New Jersey Protection and Advocacy (Mental Health)
NJSA	New Jersey Statutes (annotated)
NJSES	New Jersey State Employment Service
NJSFSP	New Jersey State Food Stamp Program
NJYC	New Jersey Youth Corps
NLRB	National Labor Relations Board
NMWP	National Migrant Worker Program
NOFA	Notice of Funds Availability (Federal)
NOICC	National Occupational Information Coordinating Committee
NOMs	National Outcome Measures
NOO	Notice of Obligation
NOS	Not Otherwise Specified (used in DSM-IV diagnoses)
NOW	National Organization for Women
N-PA	Non-Public Assistance
N-PAFS	Non-Public Assistance Food Stamps
NPP	Notice of Privacy Practices
NRA	National Rehabilitation Association
NRS	National Reporting System
NSSB	National Skills Standard Board

— O —

OAA	Old Age Assistance
OAL	Office Of Administrative Law
OCAC	Office of Child Abuse Control (DYFS; now SCR)
OCD	Obsessive Compulsive Disorder
OCS	Office of Children's Services (was under DHS, is now DCF)
OCSE	Office of Customized Training
OEL	One Ease E-Link
OH	Orthopedically Handicapped
OHS	Office of Human Services
OIG	Office of the Inspector General (US)
OIT	Office of Information Technology
OJJDP	Office of Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention

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OJT	On the Job Training
OLS	Office of Legislative Services
OMB	Office of Management and Budget
OMEGA	Online Management of Economic Goal Achievement
OP	Outpatient
OPMRDD	Office for Prevention of Mental Retardation & Developmental Disabilities
OPRA	Open Public Records Act
OSAP	Office of Substance Abuse Prevention
OSCC	One Stop Career Center
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
OSOS	One Stop Operating System
OSPIP	One-Stop Process Improvement Project
OT	Occupational Therapy
OTC	Occupational Training Center

— P —

PA	Parents Anonymous
PA	Public Assistance
PAAD	Pharmaceutical Assistance to the Aged and Disabled
PAC	Professional Advisory Committee to the Mental Health Board
PACADA	Providers Advisory Committee on Alcoholism & Drug Abuse
PACT	Program in Assertive Community Treatment
PAIMI	Protection and Advocacy for Individuals with Mental Illness
PAIR	Protection and Advocacy for Individual Rights
PAL	Participant Allowance
PAM	Public Assistance Manual (DFD)
PAP	Pharmaceutical Assistance Program
PASA	People Against Spouse Abuse
PASP	Personal Attendants Services Program (DYFS)
PASRR	Pre-Admission Screening & Resident Review
PASS	Plan to Achieve Self Support (SSA)
PATH	Projects for Assistance from Transitional Housing (Program)
PB	Procedural Bulletin
PBH	Preferred Behavioral Health
PC	Partial Care
PCA	Personal Care Attendant
PCA	Personal Care Assistant (NJ)
PCS	Preferred Children's Services
PDD	Pervasive Developmental Disorder
PE	Presumptive Eligibility
PEOSH	Public Employees Occupational Health & Safety Program
PESS	Psychiatric Emergency Screening Services
PET	Parent Effectiveness Training
PH	Preschool Handicapped
PHA	Public Housing Authority
PHI	Protected Health Information
PI	Perceptually Impaired or Program Instruction
PIC	Private Industry Council

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PIL	Project for Independent Living
PIN	Personal Identification Number
PIP	Psychiatric Intervention Program
PL	Public Law
PLS	Parent Locator Service
PMS	Performance Management System
PNA	Personal Needs Allowance
POC	Purchase of Care
POS	Point of Service
PPO	Preferred Provider Organization
PRIDE	Parents Realizing Independence, Dignity, and Empowerment
PRO	Peer Review Organization
PRS	Protective Services
PRWOA	Personal Responsibility & Work Opportunities, Reconciliation Act 1996
PSA	Public Service Announcement
PSCU	Patient Services Compliance Unit
PSG	Professional Service Group
PT	Physical Therapy
PTS	Post Traumatic Stress Disorder
PUSH	People United for Self Help
PWF	Public Welfare Foundation

— Q —

QA	Quality Assurance
QAPI	Quality Assurance Performance Improvement
QC	Quality Control
QCMR	Quarterly Contract Monitoring Report
QEA	Quality Education Act

— R —

RAP	Section 8 Rental Assistance Program (Moderate Rehabilitation)
RCHF	Rutgers Community Health Foundation
REIC	Regional Early Intervention Collaborative
RFA	Request for Applications (National Institutes of Health)
RFC	Request for Continuation (\$ for multi-year program)
RFP	Request for Proposal
RFQ	Request for Qualifications
RHCF	Residential Health Care Facility
RHHI	Regional Home Health Intermediary
RIF	Reduction in Force
RLI	Request for Letters of Intent
RAP	Section 8 Rental Assistance Program (Moderate Rehabilitation)
RMO	Regional Mobile Outreach
RO	Re-Employment Orientation
ROE	Report of Expenditures

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— R —

RRC	Regional Resource Center
RRP	Refugee Resettlement Program
RRT	Regional Response Team
RSD	Reflexive Sympathetic Dystrophy
RSVP	Retired Senior Volunteer Program
RTC	Residential Treatment Centers (DHS/DYFS)

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SAAI	Substance Abuse Awareness Initiative
SAC	Substance Awareness Coordinator
SACC	School Aged Child Care
SADD	Students Against Drunk Driving
SAMSHA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Serv. Administration
SBYSP	School Based Youth Services Program
SC	Support Coordination (DDD)
SCAHS	Special Child and Adult Health Services (NJ)
SCI	Spinal Cord Injury
SCORE	Service Core of Retired Executives
SE	Supported Employment
SED	Seriously Emotionally Disturbed
SETC	NJ State Employment & Training Commission
SFSS	Strengthening Families Through Social Services
SFY	State Fiscal Year
SHIP	Senior Health Insurance Program
SHSAC	State Human Services Advisory Council
SIC	Standard Industrial Classification
SICC	State Interagency Coordinating Council
SILC	Statewide Independent Living Council
SJBHR	South Jersey Behavioral Health Resources
SJI	South Jersey Initiative (DAS)
SLD	Standard Language Document (DHS)
SLEPA	State Law Enforcement Prevention Act or State Law Enforcement Planning Agency
SLIAG	State Legislation Impact Assistance grant
SMI	Seriously Mentally Ill
SNAP	Special Needs Advocates for Parents
SNF	Skilled Nursing Facility
SPACE	Statewide Parents Association for Children's Efforts
SPAN	Statewide Parents Advocacy Network
SPRU	Special Response Unit (DYFS)
SPSA	Specialized Programs for Sexual Abuse
SRC	Systems Review Committee or State Rehabilitation Council
SRCCC	Southern Region Children's Coordinating Council
SRO	Single Room Occupancy, South Regional Office or
SRO	School Resource Officer
SSA	Social Security Administration
SSBG	Social Service Block Grant
SSD	Social Security Disability
SSDI	Social Security Disability Insurance

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— S —

SSH	Social Services for the Homeless (\$)
SSI	Supplemental Security Income (DFD)
SSN	Social Security Number
SSW	Social Service Worker
STAR	Students and Teachers Against Racism
STC	School to Career (formerly School To Work)
STCF	Short Term Care Facility
STD	Sexually Transmitted Disease
STEP	Systematic Training for Effective Parenting
STOP	Serious Targeted Offenders Program
STS	Speech to Speech
SUA	Supplemental Unemployment Assistance
SUB	Supplemental Unemployment Benefits

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TAC	Technical Assistance Center
TAG	Tuition Assistance Grants
TANF	Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
TANP	Technical Assistance for Needy People
TAPP	Teenage Parenting Program
TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury
TDD	Telecommunication Device for the Deaf
TDI	Temporary Disability Insurance (UI)
TEAM	Teens Educating About Misuse
TEAMS	To Encourage Achievement Through Mutual Sharing
TEFAP	The Emergency Food Assistance Program
THP	Transitional Housing Program
TJTC	Targeted Jobs Tax Credit
TLC	Traumatic Loss Coalition
TLP	Transitional Living Program
TMR	Trainable Mentally Retarded
TOPPS	Training Options for Pregnant/ Parenting Students
TPA	Third Party Administration
TPH	Trenton Psychiatric Hospital
TQI	Total Quality Improvement
TRA	Trade Readjustment Act
TRAP	Temporary Rental Assistance Program
THE	Training Related Expense
TT	Text Telephone
TTY	Telecommunications for the Deaf
TWAG	To Work Advisory Group

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UAP	University Affiliated Program
UCFE	Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees
ICPA	United Cerebral Palsy Association
UCX	Unemployment Compensation for Ex-Servicemen
UEZ	Urban Enterprise Zone
UI	Unemployment Insurance

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UMDNJ	University of Medicine & Dentistry of New Jersey
UPSTATE	Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment
USC	United States Code
USDOL	United States Department of Labor
USES	United States Employment Service
USIA	US Information Agency
USTF	Unified Services Transaction Form

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VA	Veterans' Administration
VAC	Volunteer Action Center
VI	Visually Impaired
VNA	Visiting Nurse Association
VO	Value Options of NJ
VOA	Volunteers of America
VOCA	Victims of Crime Act
VOP	Violation of Probation

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WAA	Worker Adjustment Assistance
WAR	Women Against Rape or Women Against Rape
WBR	Weekly Benefit Rate
WC	Women's Commission
WC	Workers Compensation
WDP	Workforce Development Partnership Program
WE	Worker Experience
WFN	Workforce New Jersey
WFNJ	Work First New Jersey - (welfare reform)
WHM	Women's Health Month
WIA	Workforce Investment Act of 1998
WIA DW	Workforce Investment Act Dislocated Worker
WIASRD	Workforce Investment Act Student Record Data
WIB	Workforce Investment Board
WIC	Women, Infant and Children
WIG	Work Incentive Grant
WLP	Workforce Literacy Program
WNJ	Workforce New Jersey
WNJPIN	Workforce New Jersey Public Information Network
WRAP	Wellness and Recovery Action Plan
WSP	Work Supplementation Program
WTW	Welfare to Work
WTWC	Welfare to Work Collaborative

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YAP	Youth Advocate Program
YCM	Youth Case Management
YCS	Youth Consultation Services
YES	Youth Empowerment System

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YIC	Youth Investment Council
YIP	Youth Incentive Program
YP	Youth Partnership
YSAC	Youth Services Advisory Council
YSC	Youth Services Commission