

## Acronyms

<b>Acronym</b>	<b>Definition</b>
504	Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.
AAA	Area Agency on Aging
ABA	Applied Behavioral Analysis
ACA	Affordable Care Act
ACCES-VR	Adult Career and Continuing Education Services- Vocational Rehabilitation
ACL	Administration for Community Living
ACO	Accountable Care Organization
ACR	AIDS Community Resources
ACS	American Communities Surveys
ACT	American College Tests
ADA	Americans With Disabilities Act
ADAC	Americans with Disabilities Act Committee
ADAPT	American Disabled for Attendant Programs Today
ADEA	Age Discrimination in Employment Act (of 1965)
ADHD	Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder
ADL	Activities of Daily Living
AIDS	Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome
AIS	Academic Intervention Services
AMO	Annual Mesurable Objective
AOT	Assertive Outpatient Treatment
APR	Annual Performance Report
ARC	The Arc
ARISE	Alternatives for Reaching Independence through Services and Engineering
Article 89	Education of Persons with Disabilities Act
ASL	American Sign Language
AT	Assistive Technology
AYP	Adequate Yearly Progress
BEDS	Basic Educational Data System
BETAC	Bilingual Educational and Technical Assistance Center
BH	Behavioral Health
BHCC	Behavioral Health Care Collaborative
BIP	Behavioral Intervention Plan
BIP	Balancing Incentive Program
BOCES	Board of Cooperative Educational Services
BOE	Board of Education
CA	Chronological Age
CAH	Carthage Area Hospital
CAP	Client Assistance Program
CASAC	Certified Alcohol and Substance Abuse Counselor
CBM	Curriculum Based Measurement
CBO	Community Based Organization
CBT	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy
CBVH	Commission for the Blind and Visually Handicapped

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CCHL	Cultural Competency/ Health Literacy
CCM	Chronic Care Management
CCSI	Coordinated Children's Services Initiative
CDBG	Community Development Block Grant
CDC	Center for Disease Control and Prevention
CDOS	Career Development and Occupational Studies
CDSMP	Chronic Disease Self Care Management Program
CEIS	Committee for Early Intervention Services
CFA	Coaching for Activation
CFO	Chief Financial Officer
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CFR	Consolidated Fiscal Report
CHHA	Certified Home Health Agency
CHIP	Children's Health Insurance Program
CIL	Center for Independent Living
CIN	Client Identification Number (Medicaid)
CMS	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
CNYCC	Central New York Care Collaborative
COLA	Cost of Living Adjustment
COTA	Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant
CP	Cerebral Palsy
CQCAPD	Commission on Quality Care and Advocacy for Persons with Disabilities
CR	Community Residence
CSA	Coordinated Set of Activities
CSA	Council of Social Agencies
CSB	Community Services Board
CSE	Committee on Special Education
CSEP	Community Services Extension Plan
CSPE	Committee on Preschool Special Education
CST	Child Study Team
CSW	Certified Social Worker
CT	Consultant Teacher
CTE	Career and Technical Education
DASNY	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York
DB	Deaf-Blindness
DCJS	Division of Criminal Justice Services
DCS	Director of Community Services
DD	Developmental Disability
DDPC	Developmental Disabilities Planning Council
DDSO	Developmental Disabilities Services Office
DF	Deafness
DHCR	Division of Housing and Community Renewal
DIBELS	Dynamic Indicators for Basic Early Literacy Skills

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DME	Durable Medical Equipment
DOE	Department of Education
DOH	Department of Health
DOJ	Department of Justice
DOL	Department of Labor
DRA	Developmental Reading Assessment
DSRIP	Delivery System Reform Incentive Program
DSS	Department of Social Services
DY	DSRIP Year
EAP	Employee Assistance Program
EBT	Electronic Benefit Transfer
ECDC	Early Childhood Direction Center
ED	Emotional Disturbance
EDGAR	Education Department General Administration Program
EEO	Equal Employment Opportunity
EI	Early Intervention
EIN	Employer Identification Number
EISEP	Expanded In-home Services for Elderly Persons
ELA	English Language Arts
ELL	English Language Learner
EMod	Environmental Modification
EMR	Electronic Medical Record
ER	Emergency Room
ERSS	Educationally Related Support Services
ESL	English as a Second Language
ESY	Extended School Year
FAPE	Free Appropriate Public Education
FBA	Functional Behavioral Assessment
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Administration
FERPA	Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
FHA	Fair Housing Act
FLSA	Fair Labor Standards Act
FOIA	Freedom of Information Act
FOIL	Freedom of Information Law
FSS	Family Support Services Program
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
FTHA	Family Type Homes for Adults
GA	Grade Age
HAS	Health Savings Account
HAVA	Help America Vote Act
HCBS	Home and Community Based Services
HER	Electronic Health Record
HEW	Health, Education, and Welfare

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HH	Hard of Hearing
HI	Hearing Impairment
HIE	Health Information Exchange
HIT	Health Information Technology
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
HRA	Health Reimbursement Account
HSE	High School Equivalency
HUD	Housing and Urban Development
I/R	Information and Referral
IA	Instant Access
IAES	Interim Alternative Educational Setting
IAP	Individual Accommodation Program
ICF	Intermediate Care Facility
ID	Intellectual Disabilities
IDEA	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act
IDEIA	Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act
IEE	Independent Educational Evaluation
IEP	Individualized Education Program
IEWP	Individualized Educational Work Program
IFS	Individualized Family Service Plan
IHE	Institute of Higher Education
IHIP	Individualized Home Instruction Plan
IHO	Impartial Hearing Officer
ILC	Independent Living Center
IMHU	Inpatient Mental Health Unit
IPE	Individual Plan for Employment
IPRO	Island Peer Review Organization
IQ	Intelligence Quotient
IRA	Individual Residence Alternative
ISE	Individualized Service Environment
ISS	Individual Support Services
IST	Instructional Support Team
JFA	Justice for All (Advocacy Group)
JPTA	Job Training Partnership Act
LAN	Local Area Network
LAP	Language Access Plan
LD	Learning Disability
LDSS	Local Department of Social Services
LEA	Local Educational Agency
LEP	Limited English Proficiency
LEPC	Local Emergency Planning Council
LGU	Local Government Unit
LRE	Least Restricted Environment

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LTCOP	Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program
MA	Medical Assistance (also known as Medicaid)
MAPS	Management, Academic, Physical, and Social
MCO	Managed Care Organization
MD	Multiple Disabilities
MH	Mental Health
MHA	Mental Health Association
MICA	Medical Illness with Chemical Abuse
MISCC	Most Integrated Setting Coordinating Council
MLTC	Managed Long Term Care
MMIS	Medicaid Management Information System
MOA	Memorandum of Agreement
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MRB	Medical Review Board
MTP	Model Transition Program
NAMI	National Alliance for the Mentally Ill
NCI	North Country Initiative
NCIL	National Council on Independent Living
NCLB	No Child Left Behind
NFP	Not For Profit
NIDRR	National Institute of Disability and Rehabilitation Research
NIMBY	Not In My Back Yard
NOS	Not Otherwise Specified
NP	Nurse Practitioner
NPI	National Provider Identifier
NRCIL	Northern Regional Center for Independent Living
NYAIL	New York Association of Independent Living
NYAPRS	New York Association of Psychiatric Rehabilitation Services
NYCRR	New York Cords, Rules, and Regulations
NYLPI	New York Lawyers for Public Interest
NYSAA	New York State Alternative Assessment
NYSED	New York State Education Department
NYSRA	New York State Rehabilitation Association
OAA	Older Americans Act
OASAS	Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services
OCFS	Office of Children and Family Services
OCR	Office of Civil Rights
OFA	Office for Aging
OGS	Office of General Services
OHI	Other Health Impairment
OI	Orthopedic Impairment
OMH	Office of Mental Health
OPWDD	Office of Persons with Developmental Disabilities

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OSC	Office of State Comptroller
OSERS	Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Programs
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
OT	Occupational Therapy
OTDA	Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance
OTPS	Other Than Personal Services
P&A	Protection and Advocacy
P.L.	Public Law
PA	Physicians Assistant
PAAT	Protection and Advocacy for Assistive Technology
PADD	Protection and Advocacy for People with Developmental Disabilities
PAIMI	Protection and Advocacy for Individuals with Mental Illness
PAIR	Protection and Advocacy for Individual Rights
PAM	Patient Activation Measure
Part 200	Regulations put forth by the NYS Commissions of Education for Children
PASS	Plan for Achieving Self Support
PBIS	Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports
PDD	Pervasive Developmental Disabilities
PHI	Protected Health Information
PHM	Population Health Management
PINS	Persons in Need of Supervision
PL(O)P	Present Levels of Performance
PLEP	Present Level of Educational Performance
PNA	Personal Needs Allowance
POC	Point of Contact
PPS	Performing Provider Systems
PROS	Personalized Recover Oriented Services
PST	Pupil Services Team
PT	Physical Therapy
PTA	Physical Therapy Assistant
PWD	Preschooler with a Disability
QA	Quality Assurance
QMHP	Qualified Mental Health Professional
RA	Regional Associate
RCIL	Resource Center for Independent Living (ILC in Utica)
RCT	Regents Competency Test
RFA	Request for Applications
RFP	Request for Proposal
RHIO	Regional Health Information Organization
RR	Resource Room
RS	Related Service
RSE-TASC	Regional Special Education Technical Assistance Support Center
RT	Recreational Therapist

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RTC	Regional TRAIID Center
RTF	Residential Treatment Facility
RTI	Response to Intervention
SAMSHA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
SAT	Scholastic Assesment Test
SCANS	Secretary's Commission on Achieving Necessary Skills
SDH	Social Determinants of Health
SEA	State Educational Agency
SED	State Education Department
SEIT	Special Education Itinerant Teacher
SEQA	Special Education Quality Assurance
SES	Student Exit Summary
SETRC	Special Education Training and Resource Center
SI	Speech/Language Impairment
SILC	Statewide Independent Living Council
SIRS	Student Information Repository System
SLP	Speech Language Pathologist
SNAP	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program
SNF	Skilled Nursing Facility
SP	Services Plan
SPAM	Social, Physical, Academic, and Management Needs
SPARCS	Statewide Planning and Research Cooperative System
SPC	Special Class
SPMI	Seriously and Persistently Mentally Ill
SPOA	Single Point of Accountability/Single Point of Access
SPOE	Single Point of Entry
SPP	State Performance Plan
SRO	School Resource Officer
SSA	Social Security Administration
SSDI	Social Security Disability Insurance
SSI	Supplemental Security Income
STIC	Southern Tier Independence Center (Binghamton)
SUNY	State University of New York
SWD	Student with Disabilities
TANF	Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury
TDD	Telecommunication Device for the Deaf
TRAIID	Technology-Related Assistance for Individuals with Disabilities
TRE	Technology Resources for Education
TTY	Teletypewriter, Text Telephone
UCP	United Cerebral Palsy
UDL	Universal Design for Learning
UPK	Universal Pre-K

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USDOE	United States Department of Education
VA	Veteran's Administration
VBP	Value Based Payment
VI	Visual Impairment
VR	Vocational Rehabilitation
VTC	Volunteer Transportation Center
WIC	Women's Infant's and Children's Nutrition Program
WIOA	Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act