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21st Century	21st Century Community Learning Centers	BALDCOA	Berkeley- Albany Licensed Day Care Operators Association
AB	Assembly Bill	BCC	Building Child Care
ABAG	Association of Bay Area Governments	BCP	Budget Change Proposal
4Cs	Community Child Care Council	BHCS	Behavioral Health Care Services Agency (county)
ACCCPC	Alameda County Child Care Planning Council	BOS	Board of Supervisors (county)
ACF	Administration for Children and Families (Federal)	CAA	Community Action Agency
ACL	All County letter (notification from State Departments)	CAC	Citizen's Advisory Council of the SF Children's Fund
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act; Average Daily Attendance	CAEYC	California Association for the Education of Young Children
AFCCA	Alameda Family Child Care Association	CalWORKs	California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (state name for TANF)
AFDC	Aid to Families with Dependent Children (this program has been replaced by TANF)	CalSAC	California School Age Consortium
AMI	Area Median Income	Cal-SAFE	California School Age Families Education
APE	Adaptive Physical Education	CAO	County Administrators Office
API	Academic Performance Index	CAPP	California Alternative Payment Program (contract through CDE-CDD)
APLA	Asociacion de Proveedoras Latinas	CAPPA	California Alternative Payment Program Association
APP	Alternative Payment Program	CARES	Comprehensive Approaches to Raising Educational Standards (formerly known as Compensation and Retention Encourage Stability) Known as the Corps in Alameda County
APCCE	Association of Professional Child Care Educators	CASH	California Community Adequate School Housing
ARC	Association for Retarded Citizens	CBO	Community Based Organization
ASESP	Afterschool Safety and Education Program	CBP	California Budget Project
ASQ	Ages and Stages Questionnaire		
ASQSE	Ages and Stages Questionnaire: Social Emotional		
AWG	Advisory Working Group		

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CCCCA	California Child Care Coordinator's Association	CDC	Child Development Center
CCCR&RN	California Child Care Resource and Referral Network (often referred to as "the Network" or the "R and R Network")	CDD	Child Development Division (of the California Department of Education)
CCDAA	California Child Development Administrators Association	CDE	California Department of Education
CDBG	Community Development Block Grant (federal HUD funds)	CDF	Children's Defense Fund
CCDBG	Child Care and Development Block Grant	CDPI	Child Development Policy Institute
CCDF	Child Care and Development Fund	CDSS	California Department of Social Services
CCHP	California Child Care Health Program	CDTC	Child Development Training Consortium
CCIP	Child Care Initiative Project	CFDP	California Full Day State Preschool (child care contract through CDE-CDD)
CCL	Community Care Licensing	CEL	Centralized Eligibility List
CCLC	Child Care Law Center	CHAN	California Handicap contract (through CDE-CDD)
CCPC	Child Care Planning Council (other counties may use this instead of LPC)	CHIS	California Health Information Survey
CCR	Contract Compliance Review; California Code of Regulations	CIHS	California Institute on Human Services
CCS	California Children's Services	CLRN	California Learning Resource Network (often pronounced Cal learn)
CCSF	City College of San Francisco; City and County of San Francisco	CLTK	California Latchkey School-Age child care contract (of CDE-CDD)
CCTC	California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, aka CTC	CMA	California Medical Association
CCTR	California Center Based Contracts	CMR	Contact Monitoring Review of Cal. Dept. of Ed.
CDA	Child Development Associate	COE	County Office of Education
CDBG	Community Development Block Grant	COLA	Cost-of-Living Allowance or Adjustment
		CP	Cerebral Palsy
		CPI	Consumer Price Index

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CPEI	Center for Prevention & Early Intervention	E3 Institute	Excellence in Early Education Institute (Santa Clara County)
CPIN/CalPIN	California Preschool Instructional Network	EBAEYC	East Bay Association for Education of Young Children
CPRE	California Preschool (half-day) contract (through CDE-CDD)	ECC	Every Child Counts
CPS	Child Protective Services	ECE	Early Care and Education
CCR&R	Child Care Resource & Referral	ECERS	Early Childhood Environmental Rating Scales (also known as Harms Scales)
CSOC	Children's System of Care	ECMH	Early Childhood Mental Health
CTC	Commission on Teacher Credentialing	ED	Executive Director
CUP	Conditional Use Permit	EDAB	Economic Development Alliance for Business
CWDA	County Welfare Director's Association	EDD	Employment Development Department
CWS	Child Welfare Services (state/county)- formerly Child Protective Services	EHS	Early Head Start
DD	Developmental Disabilities	EIR	Economic Impact Report (or Environmental Impact Report)
DDS	Department of Development Services	ELL	English Language Learners (previously known as LEP-Limited English Proficient)
DIS	Designated Instructional Services	ELOA	Early Learning Opportunities Act
DMH	Department of Mental Health	EOLDCOA	East Oakland Licensed Day Care Operators Association
DOE	Department of Education (federal)	EPSDT	Early Periodic Screening Diagnosis Treatment
DOF	Department of Finance (state)	FAPE	Free Appropriate Public Education
DOJ	Department of Justice (federal)	FCC	Family Child Care
DPH	Department of Public Health (state/county)	FCCERS-R	Family Child Care Environmental Rating Scales
DRDP-R	Desired Results Developmental Profile- Revised	FCCH	Family Child Care Home
DREDF	Disability Rights Education & Defense Fund	FPL	Federal Poverty Level
DSS-CCL	Department of Social Services- Community Care Licensing	FRC/N	Family Resource Center/Network

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FSA	Family Service Agency	LPC	Local Planning Council (for child care) or Las Positas College
FT&C	Funding Terms and Conditions	LRE	Least Restrictive Environment
GAIN	Greater Avenues to Independence (pre-welfare)	MCH	Maternal and Child Health
GSA	General Services Agency	MDO	Minimum Days of Operation
GTQ	Gateway to Quality	MEDA	Mission Economic Development Association
HHS	Health and Human Services	MFT	Marriage, Family Therapist
HS	Head Start	MHAB	Mental Health Advisory Board
HUD	Housing and Urban Development	MIS	Management Information Systems
ICC	Interagency Coordinating Council	MSW	Masters in Social Work
IDEA	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act	MTC	Metropolitan Transportation Commission
IEP	Individualized Education Plan	NACCRRRA	National Association of Child Care Resource & Referral Agencies
IFSP	Individualized Family Service Plan	NAEYC	National Association for the Education of Young Children
IHSS	In Home Support Services	NAFCC	National Association for Family Child Care
ITERS	Infant/Toddler Environmental Rating Scales	NCCIC	National Child Care Information Center
JEP	Joint Education Partnership	NCLB	No Child Left Behind
JPA	Joint Powers Authority	NCLR	National Council of La Raza
LAO	Legislative Analyst Office (county, state or federal)	NEDLC	National Economic Development and Law Center
LAUP	Los Angeles Universal Preschool	NGO	Non-Governmental Organization
LD	Learning Disabled	NLCI	National Latino Children's Institute
LEA	Local Education Agency	NWLC	National Women's Law Center
LIIF	Low Income Investment Fund	OSERS	Office of Special Education and Rehabilitation Services
LINCC	Local Investment in Child Care		
LPA	Local Planning Area		

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OCASA	Oakland Community After School Alliance	PRWORA	Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act
OFCY	Oakland Fund for Children and Youth	PSA	Public Service Announcement
OLDCOA	Oakland Licensed Day Care Operators Association	QA	Quality Assurance
OPL/ OPR	Oakland Public Library/ Oakland Parks and Recreation	QII	Quality Improvement Initiative
OT	Occupational Therapy	QRS/QRIS	Quality Rating System/ Quality Rating and Improvement System
OTCD	On the Capital Doorsteps	RCEB	Regional Center of the East Bay
OUSD	Oakland Unified School District	RFA	Request for Application
PACE-APP	Professional Association for Childhood Education-Alternative Payment Program	RMI	Regional Median Income
PACE	Professional Association for Childhood Education; Policy Analysis of California Education	RFP	Request for Proposal
PACT	People Acting in Community Together	RFQ	Request for Qualification
PAES	Personal Assisted Employment Service	RMI	Regional Median Income
PAI/ P&A	Protection and Advocacy	RMR	Regional Market Rate
PERS	Public Employees Retirement System	ROI	Return on Investment
PEP	Preschool Education Project	RSP	Resource Specialist Program
PFA	Preschool for All	R&R	Resource and Referral
PHP	Parents Helping Parents	SACCCA	Southern Alameda County Child Care Association
PIC	Private Industry Council	SB	Senate Bill
PITC	Program for Infant/Toddler Caregivers	SBDC	Small Business Development Corporation
POS	Purchase of Service Agreement	SDC	Special Day Class
Pre-KFLP	California Preschool Family Literacy Program (contract through CDE-CDD)	Section 108	Loan guarantee provision of the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program
Prop 10	Proposition implementing tobacco tax & California Children and Families Commissions	SART	Screening, Assessment, Referral and Treatment (system)

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SED	Seriously Emotionally Disturbed	VH	Visual Handicaps
SEIU	Service Employees International Union (labor union)	VISTA	Volunteers in Service to America
SELPA	Special Education Local Plan Area	West Ed	Institute for Early Childhood Professional Development
SFSU	San Francisco State University	WIB	Work Investment Board
SMI	State Medium Income	WIC	Women, Infant, Children; Welfare and Institutions Code
SNP	Special Needs Project	WICS	Women in Community Services Inc.
SRR	Standard Daily Reimbursement Rate	WOYC	Week of the Young Child
SSA	Social Services Agency (county)		
TALC	Transportation and Land Use Coalition		
TOD	Transit Oriented Development		
TANF	Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (Federal name for CalWORKs)		
Title V (five)	California Code of Regulations section governing most state-funded child care programs, as authorized by the CA Education Code.		
Title 22	California Code of Regulations section governing licensing of child care programs, as authorized by CA Health and Safety Code		
UAP	University Affiliated Program		
UASCC	Universal Access of Subsidized Child Care		
UCPA	United Cerebral Palsy Association		
UPK	Universal Preschool; Universal Pre-Kindergarten		
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture		
USF	University of San Francisco		
VFCCA	Valley Family Child Care Association		