

Appendix E: Glossary of Acronyms and Abbreviations

AARTS	Audit Accountability and Resolution Tracking System
AFGR	Averaged Freshman Graduation Rate
AFR	<i>Agency Financial Report</i>
AP	Advanced Placement
APG	Agency Priority Goal
API	Application Program Interfaces
APP	<i>Annual Performance Plan</i>
APR	<i>Annual Performance Report</i>
ARRA	<i>American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act)</i>
CAMP	College Assistance Migrant Program
CAP Goals	Cross-Agency Priority Goals
CDA	Child Development Associate
CEDS	Common Education Data Standards
CEELO	Center on Enhancing Early Learning Outcomes
CHAFL	College Housing and Academic Facilities Loan Program
CMS	Case Management System
CoSTEM	Committee on STEM Education
CRDC	Civil Rights Data Collection
CTE	Career and Technical Education
CTS	Case Tracking System
DLL	Dual Language Learner
DM	Document Management
DoD	Department of Defense
DOJ	Department of Justice
DST	Data Strategy Team
EAG	Enhanced Assessment Grant
ECPC	Early Childhood Personnel Center

EDGAR	Education Department General Administrative Regulations
ELC TAC	Early Learning Challenge Technical Assistance Center
ERIC	Education Resources Information Center
ESEA	<i>Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965</i>
FAFSA	Free Application for Federal Student Aid
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FERPA	<i>Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act</i>
FEVS	Federal Employee Viewpoint Survey
FFEL	Federal Family Education Loan
FMFIA	<i>Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act of 1982</i>
FPCO	Family Policy Compliance Office
FREE	Federal Registry for Educational Excellence
FSA	Federal Student Aid
FY	Fiscal Year
G5	Grants Management System
GPRA	<i>Government Performance and Results Act of 1993</i>
GPRAMA	<i>GPRA Modernization Act of 2010</i>
GSA	General Services Administration
HBCUs	Historically Black Colleges and Universities
HCERA	<i>Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010</i>
HEA	<i>Higher Education Act of 1965</i>
HEAL	Health Education Assistance Loans
HEP	High School Equivalency Program
HHS	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
HSGI	High School Graduation Initiative
i3	Investing in Innovation Fund
IDEA	<i>Individuals with Disabilities Education Act</i>
IES	Institute of Education Sciences
IHE	Institution of Higher Education

IOM	Institute of Medicine
IPEDS	Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System
ISU	Implementation and Support Unit (reorganized into the Office of State Support)
IT	Information Technology
KEA	Kindergarten Entry Assessment
LEA	Local Educational Agency
LEP	Limited English Proficiency
MEP	Migrant Education State Program
MSP	Mathematics and Science Partnerships
NAEP	National Assessment of Educational Progress
NAM	Native American and Alaska Native Children in Schools
NAS	National Academy of Sciences
NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration
NCES	National Center for Education Statistics
NCLB	<i>No Child Left Behind Act of 2001</i>
NIDRR	National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research
NIH	National Institutes of Health
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NPD	National Professional Development
NSF	National Science Foundation
OCFO	Office of the Chief Financial Officer
OCR	Office for Civil Rights
OCTAE	Office of Career, Technical, and Adult Education
OELA	Office of English Language Acquisition
OESE	Office of Elementary and Secondary Education
OIG	Office of Inspector General
OII	Office of Innovation and Improvement
OMB	Office of Management and Budget
OPE	Office of Postsecondary Education

OPEPD	Office of Planning, Evaluation, and Policy Development
OPM	Office of Personnel Management
OSEP	Office of Special Education Programs
OSERS	Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services
OSS	Office of State Support (formerly the Implementation and Support Unit)
PIC	Performance Improvement Council
PO	Principal Office
PPIRS	Past Performance Information Retrieval System
PTAC	Privacy Technical Assistance Center
QPR	Quarterly Performance Review
QRIS	Quality Rating and Improvement Systems
RDA	Results-Driven Accountability
RELS	Regional Educational Laboratories
RSA-911	Rehabilitation Services Administration-911
RTT	Race to the Top
RTTA	Race to the Top-Assessment
RTT-ELC	Race to the Top-Early Learning Challenge
SAFRA	<i>Student Aid and Financial Responsibility Act</i>
SAMHSA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
SAT	Senior Assessment Team
SEA	State Educational Agency
SFA	Student Financial Assistance
SIG	School Improvement Grant
SLDS	Statewide Longitudinal Data Systems
SPFI	<i>Summary of Performance and Financial Information</i>
SSDI	Supportive School Discipline Initiative
SSIP	State Systemic Improvement Plan
SST	State Support Team
STEM	Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics

SY	School Year
TA	Technical Assistance
TAACCCT	Trade Adjustment Assistance Community College and Career Training
TEACH	Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education Grant
TQRIS	Tiered Quality Rating and Improvement Systems
Treasury	U.S. Department of Treasury
U.S.	United States
USDA	U.S. Department of Agriculture
VR	Vocational Rehabilitation
WDQI	Wage Data Quality Information Program
WIOA	<i>Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act</i>
WTTS	Workforce Transformation and Tracking System
WWC	What Works Clearinghouse