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ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

- ABAWD Able-Bodied Adults Without Dependents
- ACF Administration for Children and Families
- ACMC Assessment and Case Management Centers (BEP)
- ACT, the The Social Security Act
- ADH Administrative Disqualification Hearing
- AFDC Aid to Families With Dependent Children
- AFDCU Aid to Families With Dependent Children Unemployed Parent
- AFDC/U Includes AFDC and AFDCU
- AG Assistance Group
- AIDS Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome
- AP Absent Parent
- APPALRED Appalachian Research and Defense Fund
- ARU Automated Response Unit (for EBT). Also called EBT Helpline
- BCF Bureau for Children and Families
- BCSE Bureau of Child Support Enforcement (formerly CAO and CSED)
- BEP Bureau of Employment Programs
- BFU Basic Filing Unit
- BMS Bureau for Medical Services (formerly OMS)
- CA Coupon Allotment (C-219 System)
- CAN Social Security Claim Number

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CAO	Child Advocate Office (formerly CSED, now BCSE)	
CDCS	Children With Disabilities Community Service Program	
CE	Coupon Entitlement (C-219 System)	
CEN	Continuously Eligible Newborn	
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations	
CHIP	West Virginia Children's Health Insurance Program	
СК	AFDC/U Check Amount (C-219 System)	
COLA	Cost of Living Adjustment	
CMS	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (formerly HCFA)	
CPI	Consumer Price Index	
CSED	Child Support Enforcement Division (formerly CAO, now BCSE)	
CSHC	N Children with Special Health Care Needs Program (formerly Handicapped Children)	
CSM	Community Services Manager	
CSMA	Community Spouse Maintenance Allowance	
CSR	Customer Service Representative (EBT Vendor)	
CWS	College Work Study	
CWE	Community Work Experience Program	
DA&A	Drug Addicts and Alcoholics	
DAC	Disabled Adult Children	
DCA	Diversionary Cash Assistance	
DFA	Division of Family Assistance (formerly OFS)	
DFP	Donated Foods Program	

DRS	Division of Rehabilitative Services
EA	Emergency Assistance
EBT	Electronic Benefits Transfer
EIP	Employer Incentive Program
EOB	Explanation of Benefits
FCS	Food and Consumer Services (Now FNS)
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FHA	Federal Housing Authority
FI	Countable Food Stamp Income
FMA	Family Maintenance Allowance
FmHA	Farmers Home Administration
FNS	Food and Nutrition Services (formerly FCS)
FPL	Federal Poverty Level
FS	Food Stamp Benefits
FSE&T	Food Stamp Employment and Training
FTROP	Federal Tax Refund Offset Program
FVO	Family Violence Option
GA for DA	General Assistance for Disabled Adults (Program discontinued 7/1/96)
GLF	Group Living Facilities
GSYP	Governor's Summer Youth Program
HCB	Home and Community Based Waiver
HCFA	Health Care Financing Administration (now CMS)

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HSS	Homeless Shelter Standard
HUD	Housing and Urban Development
ICF/MR	Intermediate Care Facility/Mentally Retarded
IEVS	Income and Eligibility Verification System
IFM	Investigations and Fraud Management
IG	Income Group
IM	Income Maintenance
inROADS	Information Network for Resident Online Access and Delivery of Services
ILC	Issuance-Limited County
IPV	Intentional (FS) Program Violation
IV-A	Section of the Act dealing with TANF (formerly AFDC/U)
IV-D	Section of the Act dealing with Child Support
IV-E	Section of the Act dealing with Foster Care
JOBS	Job Opportunity and Basic Skills Program
JOIN	Joint Opportunities for Independence
JTPA	Job Training Partnership Act (now WIA)
LIEAP	Low-Income Energy Assistance Program
LIS	Low-Income Subsidy for Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit
MIS	Management Information Systems
MP	Major Parent
mp	Minor Parent
MNIL	Medically Needy Income Level (formerly PIL)
MR/DD	Mentally Retarded/Developmentally Disabled

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MRT	Medical Review Team
M-WIN	Medicaid for Working Individuals
NEMT	Non-Emergency Medical Transportation
NF	Nursing Facility (formerly nursing home)
NG	Needs Group
NILC	Non-Issuance-Limited County
NPA	Non-Public Assistance
NSLP	National School Lunch Program
OFS	Office of Family Support (now DFA)
OJT	On-the-Job Training
OLE	Outside Living Expenses
OMCFH	Office of Maternal, Child and Family Health (formerly Office of Maternal and Child Health
OMS	Office of Medical Services (Now BMS)
OSCAR	Online Support Collection and Reporting
PA	Public Assistance
PAC	Pickle Amendment Coverage
PAAS	Physicians Assured Access System
PASS	Plan for Achieving Self-Support
PC	Prorated FS Coupon Allotment, initial month only (C-219 System)
PDP	Prescription Drug Plan (Medicare, Part D)
PE	Prorated FS Entitlement (C-219 System)
PG	Prorated cash assistance check amount when there is earned income, initial month only (C-219 System)

PIC	Private Industry Council
PL	Poverty-Level
PNE	Paternity Not Established
POC	Period of Consideration
POE	Period of Eligibility
PRWORA	Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996
PWE	Primary Wage Earner
QA	Quality Assurance (formerly Quality Control)
QC	Qualified Child
QDWI	Qualified Disabled Working Individual
QI-1	Qualified Individual-1
QI-2	Qualified Individual-2 (Program Discontinued - December 31, 2002)
QMB	Qualified Medicare Beneficiary
QR	Quarterly Reporting (Discontinued – December 31, 1997)
PRC	Personal Responsibility Contract
RAPIDS	Recipient Automated Payment and Information Data System
RD	Regional Director
RESA	Report on Economic Services Activity
RRB	Railroad Retirement Board
RSDI	Retirement, Survivors and Disability Insurance
SAVE	Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlement Program
SCA	School Clothing Allowance
SDX	State Data Exchange

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SFU	Standard Filing Unit
SGA	Substantial Gainful Activity
SLIMB	Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary
SOLQ	State Online Query for SSA Information
SSA	Social Security Administration
SSI	Supplemental Security Income
SSN	Social Security Account Number
SUA	FS Standard Utility Allowance
TANF	Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
TEFAP	Temporary Emergency Food Assistance Program
Title XIX	Section of the Act dealing with Medicaid
Title XX	Section of the Act dealing with Social Services Programs
ТМ	Transitional Medicaid
TPL	Third-Party Liability
TRIP	Transportation Remuneration Incentive Program
UCI	Unemployment Compensation Insurance
UMWA	United Mine Workers of America
UPV	Unintentional (FS) Program Violation
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
VA	Veteran's Administration
VISTA	Volunteers In Service To America
VQ	Voluntary Quit
WC	Workers' Compensation

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WG	TANF or WV WORKS Check Amount, when there is earned income (C-219 System)
WIA	Workforce Investment Act (formerly JTPA)
WIC	Women, Infants and Children Program
W&T	Work and Training
WtW	Welfare to Work