

## The ABC's of the Juvenile Court and Child Welfare

### A

AA	Alcoholics Anonymous
AACWA	Adoption Assistance and Child Welfare Act of 1990
AAG/AG	Assistant Attorney General or Attorney General
ABC	Alternative Behavioral Counseling
ACD	Arizona Department of Education
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act
ADD	Attention Deficit Disorder
ADHD	Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder
ADJC	Arizona Department of Juvenile Corrections
ADP	Amended Dependency Petition
AFF	Arizona Family F.I.R.S.T.
AFFCF	Arizona Friends of Foster Children Foundation
AHCCCS	Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System
AOC	Administrative Office of the Courts
APPLA	Another Planned Permanent Living Arrangement
APO	Adult Probation Officer
ASD	Autism Spectrum Disorder
ASFA	Adoption and Safe Families Act (1997)
AzEIP	Arizona Early Intervention Program

### B

BHH	Behavioral Health Hospital
BHIF	Behavioral Health Inpatient Facility
BHRF	Behavioral Health Residential Facility
BIA	Bureau of Indian Affairs

### C

CA	Case Aide
CAC	Child Advocacy Center
CASA	Court Appointed Special Advocate

CBT	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy
CDH	Child Developmental Home
CFCA	Christian Family Care Agency
CFSS	Child and Family Support Services
CFT	Child Family Team
CM	Case Manager
CMDP	Comprehensive Medical and Dental Plan
CPC	Change of Physical Custody
CSA	Canyon State Academy

## D

DCS	Department of Child Safety
DDD	Division of Developmental Disabilities
DOC	Department of Corrections
DPS	Department of Public Safety
DV	Domestic Violence

## E

ESS	Exceptional Student Services
ESSA	Every Students Succeeds Act
ESY	Extended School Year

## F

FAPE	Free and Appropriate Public Education
FAS	Fetal Alcohol Syndrome
FASD	Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder
FC	Family Connections
FC	Foster Care
FCRB	Foster Care Review Board
FH	Foster Home
FNP	Family Nurturing Plan
FP	Foster Parent
FTA	Failure to Appear

FTC	Family Treatment Center
FTT	Failure to Thrive

## G

GAL	Guardian ad Litem
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## H

HCTC	Home Care Training for Home Care Client
HHS	Human and Health Services
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act
HNCM	High Needs Case Manager
HNFH	High Needs Foster Home

## I

ICPC	Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children
ICWA	Indian Child Welfare Act
IDEA	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (2004)
IEP	Individualized Education Plan
IHI	In Home Intervention
ILS	Independent Living Skills Program
IOP	Intensive Outpatient Treatment Program
IR	Incident Report
IR	Initial Review
ISP	Individual Service Plan
ISS	In School Suspension

## J

JA	Judicial Assistant
JA#	Guardianship
JD#	Judicial Dependency Number

JFCS	Jewish Family and Children's Services
JIPS	Juvenile Intensive Program System
JPO	Juvenile Probation Officer
JV#	Juvenile Delinquency Number

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## L

LEA	Local Educational Agency
LFC	Licensed Foster Care
LFH	Licensed Foster Home
LGBTQ+	Lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender persons
LRE	Least Restrictive Environment
LTFC	Long Term Foster Care

## M

MET	Multi Educational Team
MGGM	Maternal Great Grandmother
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MID	Mild Intellectual Disability

## N

NA	Narcotics Anonymous
NAS	Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome
NatAm	Native American
NICU	Neonatal Intensive Care Unit
NPP	Nurturing Parent Program

## O

OCD	Obsessive Compulsive Disorder
ODD	Oppositional Defiant Disorder
OHI	Other Health Impaired
OLA	Office of Legal Advocate
OSC	Order to Show Cause
OT	Occupational Therapy

## P

PA	Physical Abuse or Parent Aide
PHC	Pre-Hearing Conference
PPH	Preliminary Protective Hearing
PPS	Preliminary Protective Hearing
PSi	Physician's Services Inc.
PT	Physical Therapy
PTSD	Post Traumatic Stress Disorder

## Q

QRTP	Qualified Residential Treatment Placement
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## R

R	Reactive Petition
R&R	Report and Review Hearing
RBHA	Regional Behavioral Health Authority
ROI	Release of Information
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RTC	Residential Treatment Center

## S

S	Supplemental Petition
SA	Substance Abuse
SAFE	AZ DCS Safety Assessment Model

Section 504 Plan	Provides accommodations, not services
SEN	Substance Exposed Newborn
SID	Severe Intellectual Disability
SLD	Specific Learning Disability
SLI	Speech Language Impairment
SMI	Serious Mental Illness
SOP	Standard Outpatient Treatment Program
SPED	Special Education
SPL	Speech Language Pathologist
SSI	Supplemental Security Income
SUD	Substance Use Disorder

## T

TANF	Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury
TCN	Temporary Custody Notice
TDM	Team Decision Making meeting
TFH	Therapeutic Foster Home
TGH	Therapeutic Group Home
TPR	Termination of Parental Rights

## U

UA	Urine Analysis
UCCJEA	Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act

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## W

WIC	Women, Infants, and Children Program
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YDI	Youth Developmental Institution
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