



Fact Sheet

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Acronyms commonly used in Special Education

ADD.....	Attention Deficit Disorder
APE.....	Adapted Physical Education
CAC.....	Community Advisory Committee
CCS.....	California Children's Service
CDBS.....	California Deaf-Blind Services
CDE.....	California Department of Education
CNS.....	Central Nervous System
COE.....	County Office of Education
DIS.....	Designated Instruction and Services
DD.....	Developmentally Disabled
DHH.....	Deaf and Hard of Hearing
HKNC.....	Helen Keller National Center
ICSM.....	Individual Critical Skills Model
IEP.....	Individualized Education Program
IFSP.....	Individual Family Service Plan (implemented by infant programs)
IHE.....	Institute of Higher Education
IPP.....	Individual Program Plan (implemented by regional center)
ITP.....	Individual Transition Plan
LD.....	Learning Disabled
LRE.....	Least Restrictive Environment
MH.....	Multiple Handicaps
OT.....	Occupational Therapy
PEERS.....	Providing Education to Everyone in Regular Schools
PNS.....	Peripheral Nervous System
PT.....	Physical Therapy
SDC.....	Special Day Class
SED.....	Special Education Division
SED.....	Severe Emotional Disturbance
SELPA.....	Special Education Local Planning Area
SH.....	Severely Handicapped
SLD.....	Severe Language Disorder
SLD.....	Specific Learning Disability
TRCCI.....	Training and Resources for Community and Curriculum Integration
USD.....	Unified School District
VI.....	Visually Impaired