Education ABCs

AAC	Augmentative/Alternative Communication
ABA	Applied Behavior Analysis
ADA	Americans With Disabilities Act
ADD	Attention Deficit Disorder
ADHD	Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder
AIM	Accessible Instructional Materials
ALD	Assistive Listening Device
APS	Approved Private School
ASD	Autism Spectrum Disorder
ASL	American Sign Language
AT	Assistive Technology
AVTS	Area Vocational Technical School
AYP	Adequate Yearly Progress
BEC	Basic Education Circular
BIP	Behavior Intervention Plan
BSE	Bureau of Special Education
CAO	Chief Administrative O cer
CART	Computer Aided Realtime Translation
CASSP	Child & Adolescent Service System Program
CAVP	Corrective Action Verification Plan
CBA	Curriculum-Based Assessment
CERC	Corrections Education Records Center
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CLD	Cultural and Linguistic Diversity
COP	Communities of Practice
CTE	Career and Technical Education

LTCC	Local Transition Coordinating Council
LTF	Local Task Force
MA	Medical Assistance
MAWA	Mutually Agreed Upon Written Arrangement
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MR/DD	Mental Retardation/Developmental Delay
NCLB	No Child Left Behind
NISL	National Institute for School Leadership
NOREP	Notice of Recommended Educational Placement
O & M	Orientation and Mobility
OCD	Obsessive Compulsive Disorder
OCDEL	Office of Child Development and Early Learning
OCR	Office for Civil Rights
ODD	Oppositional Defiant Disorder
ODHH	Office for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
ODR	Office for Dispute Resolution
OHI	Other Health Impairment
OI	Orthopedic Impairment
OSEP	Office of Special Education Programs
OT	Occupational Therapy
OVR	Office of Vocational Rehabilitation
PASA	Pennsylvania Alternate System of Assessment
PaTTAN	Pennsylvania Training and Technical Assistance Network
PDD	Pervasive Developmental Disorder
PDD-NOS	Pervasive Developmental Disorder – Not Otherwise Specified
PDE	Pennsylvania Department of Education
PSSA	Pennsylvania System of School Assessment
PSSA-M	Pennsylvania System of School Assessment-Modified