

Acronyms for use in the Office of Sponsored Programs 2018

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510(k) New version of an already approved device. A premarket submission made to FDA to demonstrate the device to be marketed is at least safe and effective to a legally marketed device that is not subject to premarket approval.

A

A	Active
A-21	OMB Circular A-21 - Cost Principles for Educational Institutions
A2P	Authorization to Pursue
A-110	OMB Circular A-110 - Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals or Other Nonprofit Organizations
A-122	OMB Circular A-122 - Cost Principles for Non-Profit Organizations
A-133	OMB Circular A-133 - Audits of States, Local Governments & Non-Profit Organizations
ACO	Administrative Contracting Officer
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990
AFARS	Army Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement
AFI	Assets for Independence
AFRI	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative
AI	American Indian/
AIA	America Invents Act
AN	Alaskan Native
ANPRM	Advance Notice of Proposed Rulemaking
AOR	Authorized Organizational Representative (Also called AR or AO)
APR	Annual Project Report or Annual Performance Report
ARL	Army Research Lab
ARDA	Advanced Research & Development Activity
ARRA	American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009
ASAP	Automated Standard Application for Payments
ATP	Advance Technology Program
AUTM	Association of University Technology Managers
AY	Annual Year

B

B2B	Business to Business
BAA	Broad Agency Announcement
Banner	The University's Finance System
BLA	Biologics License Application- a request for permission to introduce, or deliver for introduction, a biological product into interstate commerce.

C

CALS	College of Agricultural and Life Sciences
CAN	Cooperative Agreement Notice
CARE	Community Advocates & Responsive Education
CAS	Cost Accounting Standards
CASB	Cost Accounting Standards Board
CBPR	Community Based Participatory Research
CCR	Central Contractor Registration
CDA	Confidential Disclosure Agreement
CEMP	Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan
CEU	Continuing Education Units- a unit of credit equal to ten hours of participation in an accredited program designed for professionals with certificates or licenses to practice various professions.
CFDA	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance
CFO	Chief Financial Officer
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CICA	Competition in Contracting Act
CITI	Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative
CLASS	College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences
CLIN	Contract Line Item Number
CMIA	Cash Management Improvement Act
CMOP	Coastal Margin Observation and Prediction
CMP	Conflict Management Plan
CNO	Chief of Naval Operations
CNR	College of Natural Resources
CO	Contracting Officer
COB	Close of Business and College of Business and Economics (CoBE)
CoE	College of Engineering
CoEd	College of Education
COI	Conflict of Interest
Co-PI	Co-Principal Investigator (Also called Co-PD or Co-I)
COLA	Cost of Living Adjustment
COMPETES	Creating Opportunities to Meaningfully Promote Excellence in Technology Education and Science (PL110-69)
COPS	Career Occupational Preference System
CoS	College of Science
COTR	Contract Officer Technical Representative
CPI	Critical Path Initiative-the FDA's national strategy for modernizing the sciences through which FDA-regulated products are developed, evaluated, manufactured, and used.
CPSR	Contractor Procurement/Property System Review

CRA	Cooperative Research Agreement (also Certified Research Administrator)
CRADA	Cooperative Research and Development Agreement
CTSA	Clinical & Translational Science Award
D	
DATA	Digital Accountability and Transparency Act
DC	Direct Costs
DCA	Division of Cost Allocation
DCASR's	Defense Contract Administration Services Regions
DCE	Direct Cost Equivalent
DEC	Determination of Exceptional Circumstances
DEL	Documenting Endangered Languages
DFAR	Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation
DFARS	Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement
DGP	Division of Grants Policy
DIALOG	A computer based research system using key words
DIPEC	Defense Industrial Plant Equipment Council
DIS	Defense Investigative Service
DODGARS	DOD Grant and Agreement Regulations
DS-2	Disclosure Statement (under cost accounting standards)
DSMB	Data Safety Monitoring Board
DSMP	Data Safety Monitoring Plan
DTA	Direct Transfer Agreement
DUA	Data Use Agreement- assurance that the data recipient will only use the information for specified reasons
DUNS	Data Universal Numbering System
DURC	Dual Use Research of Concern
E	
EAGER	Early-concept Grants for Exploratory Research (NSF)
EAR	Export Administration Regulations
EARS	Electronic Approval and Routing Systems
EC	Electronic Commerce
ECE	Early Childhood Education
EDGAR	Education Department General Administration Regulations
EDI	Electronic Data Interchange
Edison	Extramural Invention Information Management System (also iEdison)
EFT	Electronic Funds Transfer
EH&S	Environmental Health and Safety
EIN	Entity Identification Number (also known as a TIN)

EIPRS	The University of Idaho's personal Electronic Internal Proposal Routing System
EMTALA	Emergency Medical Treatment and Active Labor Act
EO	Executive Order
EOC	Educational Opportunity Centers
EPAF	Payroll shift forms (electronic)
ESCRO	Embryonic Stem Cell Research Oversight
eSNAP	Electronic Streamlined Non-competing Award Process (DHHS)
EVR	Effort Verification Reports
EVS	Equipment Visibility System
F	
FI572	FDA Form, also called Statement of Investigator form. Must be completed and signed by investigator before beginning research under an IND.
F&A	Facilities and Administrative (Rate or Cost)
FA	Financial Aid
FAFSA	Free Application for Student Aid
FAIN	Federal Award Identification Number
FAPIS	Federal Awardee Performance & Integrity Information System
FAR	Federal Acquisition Regulation
FARS	Financial Accounting and Reporting System
FASA	Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act
FASAB	Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board
FASB	Financial Accounting Standards Board
FASED	Facilitations Awards for Scientists and Engineers with Disabilities
FBO	Federal Business Opportunities
FCOI	Financial Conflict of Interest
FCST	Federal Council for Science and Technology
FEA	Federal Enterprise Architectures
FECAI	Federal Electronic Commerce Acquisition Instructions
FEDIX	An on-line federal data base serving most federal agencies for on-line searches
FEM	Family Education Model
FERPA	Family Educational Rights Act of 1974
FFATA	Federal Financial Accountability & Transparency Act
FFMIA	Federal Financial Management Improvement Act
FFP	Firm Fixed Price
FFR	Final Financial Report
FIG	Faculty Inquiry Group
FIMA	Financial Management System
FIPSE	Fund for Improvement of Postsecondary Education

FIRS	Federal Information Relay Service
FISAP	Fiscal Operations Report & Application to Participate
FMC	Federal Management Circular
FN	Foreign National
FOA	Funding Opportunity Announcement
FOAP(AL)	Grant Account Number, or cost center. "Fund, Organization, Account, Program, Activity, and Location"
FOB	Free-on-board
FOIA	Freedom of Information Act
FPR	Final Proposal Revision
FR	Federal Register
FRG	Faculty Research Grant
FSEOG	Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity
FSR	Financial Status Report
FS&T	Federal Science and Technology Budget
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
FTS	Federal Telecommunications System
FWA	Federal Wide Assurance
FY	Fiscal Year
G	
GA	General Administration (Costs)
GAAP	Generally Accepted Accounting Principles
GAAS	Generally Accepted Auditing Standards
GAGAS	Generally Accepted Government Accounting Standards
GAN	Grant Award Notice and Grant Amendment Notice
GAO	General Accounting Office
GARRA	Grantor Agency Retrieval Receipt for Application
GATT	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
GC	General Counsel
GCS	Grant Cover Sheet
GLP	Good Laboratory Practice- a quality system concerned with the organizational processes under which non-clinical health and environmental safety studies are planned, performed, monitored, recorded, archived, and reported.
GMO	Grants Management Office
GMS	Grants Management Specialist
GOALI	Grant Opportunities for Academic Liaison with Industry (NSF)
GOCO	Government Owned Contractor Operated
GOE	Government Owned Equipment
GMRA	Government Management Reform Act
GPG	Grant Proposal Guide (NSF)

GPO	Government Printing Office
GPRA	Government Performance and Results Act
GRA	Graduate Research Assistant
GUIRR	Government-University-Industry Research Roundtable

H

HBCU	Historically Black College and University
HEGIS	Higher Education General Information Survey
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act
HR	Human Resources
HRPP	Human Research Protection Program

I

IACUC	Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee
IBC	Institutional Biosafety Committee
IBS	Institutional Based Salary
ICC	Interstate Commerce Commission
ICDBG	Indian Community Development Block Grant
IDC	Indirect Costs
IDIQ	Indefinite delivery/indefinite quantity (type of contract)
IHE	Institution of Higher Education
ILL's	Interlibrary Loan Service
IO	Institutional Official
IOE	Itemization of Expenditures
IP	Intellectual Property
IPA	Intergovernmental Personnel Act
IPR	Intellectual Property Rights
IR&D	Independent Research and Development
IRAB	FDP Initiative to Reduce Administrative Burden
IRB	Institutional Review Board
IRS	Internal Revenue Service
ITAR	International Traffic in Arms Regulations
ITMRA	Information Technology Management Reform Act

J

JAG	Judge Advocate General
JCS	Joint Chiefs of Staff
JIT	Just-In-Time, used when additional information is needed prior to awarding a proposal
JPA	Joint Personnel Agreement

JV	Journal Voucher
K	
KTP	Key Transition Points (USA Funds)
L	
LMI	Low Moderate Income (HUD)
LoB	Line of Business
LOI	Letter of Intent
LOS	Letter of Support
LSA	Labor Surplus Area
LSCA	Library Services & Construction Act
LSTA	Library Services & Technology Act
M	
M&O	Maintenance and Operations or Management and Operations Contractors
MOA	Memorandum of Agreement (also called MOU-Memorandum of Understanding)
MRCR	Machine Readable Catalog Record
MSEIP	Minority Science and Engineering Improvement Program
MTA	Material Transfer Agreement
MTDC	Modified Total Direct Costs (also called MTC)
MUREP	Minority University Research and Education Program (NASA)
N	
NACTEP	Native American Career and Technical Education Program
NAFSI	Native American Food Sovereignty Initiative (FNFI-WKK)
NAPECA	North American Partnership for Environmental Community Action (CEC)
NCTE	No Cost Time Extension
NCURA	National Council of University Research Administrators
NDA	Nondisclosure Agreement
NFEP	Native Family Empowerment Program (FNFI)
NGA	Notice of Grant Award
NICE	NASA Innovations in Climate Education
NIH MSID	NIH Manuscript Submission Reference Number
NINAS	NASA Inspires Native American Students

NITCF	Nisqually Indian Tribe Charitable Funds
NLRB	National Labor Relations Board
NoA	Notice of Award
NOFA	Notice of Financial Assistance
NOFO	Notice of Funding Opportunity
NPR	National Performance Review
NPRM	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking
NRSA	National Research Service Award
NSDD	National Security Decision Directive 189 (issued 1985)
NSF/STIS	An on-line search system of the National Science Foundation
NSLDS	National Student Loan Data System
NSP	Not Separately Priced
NTOP	Native Transformations Opiate Project
NTIS	National Technical Information Service
NYCF	Native Youth and Culture Fund
O	
OAR	Ongoing Academic Review
O&M	Operations and Maintenance Costs
ORA	Office of Research Assurances
ORED	Office of Research and Economic Development
OSP	Office of Sponsored Programs
OTT	Office of Technology Transfer (also known as TIED)
P	
P	Proposal
PA	Program Announcement
PAPPG	Proposal & Award Policies & Procedures Guide (NSF)
PAR	Program Announcement Reviews in an NIH Institute or Personnel Activity Report for the University of Idaho
PBL	Problem-Based Learning (AIHEC)
PCO	Procuring Contracting Officer
PD	Program Director (also Project Director)
PDF	Portable Document Format
PHI	Protected Health Information
PHS398	Standard Cover page and Application Packet for Public Health Service entity proposals
PI	Principle Investigator
PII	Personally Identifiable Information
PIGABS	Principal Investigator Grant Administration Burden Survey (done by FDP)
PKI	Public Key Infrastructure

P.L.	Public Law
PLE	Prior Learning Experience
PMS	Payment Management System
PO	Purchase Order
PO	Program Officer
PRA	Professional Research Assistant
PRD	Presidential Review Directive
PRHP	Post-retirement Health Plans
PRIM&R	Public Responsibility in Medicine and Research
PSC	Personal Services Contract
PTE	Pass-through Entity
Q	
QA	Quality Assurance
R	
R&D	Research and Development
R&R	Research and Related
RA	Research Assistant
RAISE	Research Advanced by Interdisciplinary Science and Engineering (NSF)
RAPID	Rapid Response Research (NSF)
RAS	Research Accounting Services
RBM	Research Business Models
RCDG	Rural Cooperative Development Grant Program (USDA)
RCR	Responsible Conduct in Research
RDC	Research Data Assistant
RDMS	Relational Database Management System
RDNA	Recombinant DNA Research
RePORT	Research Portfolio Online Reporting Tool
RFA	Request for Applications
RFB	Request for Bid
RFP	Request for Proposal
RFQ	Request for Quotation
ROE	Report of Expenditures
RIO	Research Integrity Officer
RISQ	Reporting to Improve Safety and Quality
ROI	Return on Investment
RP	Research Proposal
RPC	Research Project Coordinator

RPP	Research-Practice Partnerships http://researchandpractice.org/rppworkshop/
RPPR	Research Performance Progress Report
RSA	Rehabilitation Services Administration (ED)
RTM	Research and Technology Management
S	
S&W	Salaries and Wages
S&W + B	Salaries and Wages plus Benefits
S2S	System to System
SA	Subaward
SAM	System for Award Management
SAP	Satisfactory Academic Progress
SBIR	Small Business Innovation Research
SBR	Small Business Reserve
SBU	Sensitive But Unclassified
SBIR	Small Business Innovation Research
SciENCv	Science Experts Network Curriculum Vitae
SE	Special Emphasis (USDA)
SEDS	Social & Economic Development Strategies
SEFA	Schedule of Expenditure of Federal Awards
SEOG	Supplemental Education Opportunity Grants
SEVIS	Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (INS for tracking foreign students)
SF	Standard Form
SF424	Standard Grant Proposal Forms
SFA	Student Financial Aid
SGR	Small Grants for Research (NSF)
SIF	Social Innovation Fund
SIG	School Improvement Grant (ED)
SIGI+	System of Interactive Guidance and Information Plus
SNAP	Streamline Non-competing Application Process
SO	Signing Official
SOAR	Student Outreach and Academic Resources
SOW	Statement of Work or Scope of Work
SPA	Sponsored Project Administrator
SPO	Sponsored Projects Office (see OSP also)
SPOC	Single Point of Contact
SRO	Sponsored Research Office
SRO	Scientific Review Officer

SSS	Student Support Services
STEM Mathematics)	Science Technology Engineering & Mathematics (also STEAM – Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Mathematics)
STP	Science and Technology Policy
STTR	Small Business Technology Transfer Program
SYETP	Summer Youth Employment and Training Program
T	
T&A	Time and Attendance
T&E	Time and Effort
TABE	Test of Adult Basic Education
TBSR	Total Business Systems Review
TCCC	Tribally Controlled Community Colleges
TCRGP	Tribal Colleges Research Grants Program
TCUP	Tribal Colleges and Universities Program
TDC	Total Direct Costs
TIED	Office of Technology Innovation and Economic Development
TIN	Taxpayer Identification Number
TTY	Text Telephone
U	
U.S.C.	United States Code
UAP	Unanticipated Problem
UBIT	Unrelated Business Income Tax
UCA	Utility Cost Adjustment
UG	Uniform Guidance: Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards
UPS	Uninterruptible Power Supply
USC	United States Code
USDA-RD	USDA – Rural Development
USDA-RUS	USDA – Rural Utilities Service
V	
VAT	Value Added Tax
VISA	Documentation of approval to enter the country that issued the VISA, subject to immigration authority approval at entry
VSA	Visiting Scientist Agreement
W	
WAWF	DoD Wide Area Workflow
X	
XML	Extensible Markup Language
Y	
YTD	Year to Date

Entity Acronyms:

A

AAALAC	American Association of Animal Laboratory Accreditation Council
AAAS	American Association for the Advancement of Science
AAHRPP	Association for Accreditation of Human Research Participant Protection Programs
AAMC	Association of American Medical Colleges
AAU	Association of American Universities
ABRF	Association of Bimolecular Resource Facilities
ACA	American Cancer Association
ACF	Administration for Children & Families
ACH	Automated Clearing House (US Treasury)
ACM	Association of American Medical Colleges
ACRIN	American College of Radiology Network
ACS	American Cancer Society
ACS	American Community Survey
AFAA	Air Force Audit Agency
AFOSR	Air Force Office of Scientific Research
AFRL	Air Force Research Laboratory
AFSP	American Foundation for Suicide Prevention
AGEP	Alliances for Graduate Education and the Professoriate Program
AHA	American Heart Association
AHRQ	Agency for Healthcare Research & Quality
AIBL	American Indian Business Leaders
AIHEC	American Indian Higher Education Consortium
AISES	American Indian Sciences and Engineering Society
AMRMC	Army Medical Research and Materiel Command
ANA	Administration for Native Americans
ANSLAMP	All Nations Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation
APHIS	Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
APLU	Associate of Public & Land-grant Universities
APPE	Association of Practical and Professional Ethics
ARO	Army Research Offices
ARPA	Advanced Research Projects Agency

B

BCF	Building Community Fund
BFET	Basic Food Employment and Training

BIA	Bureau of Indian Affairs
BPN	Business Partner Network
C	
CAC	Washington Campus Compact
CAFF	ConAgra Foods Foundation
CAIANH	Centers for American Indian and Alaska Native Health
CBER	Center for Biological Evaluation and Research- Center within the FDA that regulates biological products for human use under applicable Federal Laws.
CBD	Commerce Business Daily
CBO	Congressional Budget Office
CCH	Commerce Clearing House
CDC	Centers for Disease Control
CDE	Community Development Entity
CEC	Commission for Environmental Cooperation
CFS	Committee on Fundamental Science
COFAR	Council on Financial Assistance Reform
COG	Councils of Governments
COGR	Council on Governmental Relations
COS	Committee on Science of the National Science and Technology Council
COSEPUP	Committee on Science, Engineering and Public Policy
CRS	Congressional Research Service
CSD	Community Services Division (DSHS)
CSR	Center for Scientific Review
D	
DA	Department of the Army
DARPA	Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
D&B	Dun and Bradstreet
DCAA	Defense Contract Audit Agency
DEAR	Department of Energy Acquisition Regulations
DED	Department of Education
DHEW	Department of Health, Education, and Welfare
DHHS	Department of Health and Human Services
DHS	Department of Homeland Security
DIA	Defense Intelligence Agency
DLC	Distance Learning Center
DNA	Defense Nuclear Agency
DNR	Department of Natural Resources

DOC Department of Commerce
DOD Department of Defense
DOE Department of Energy
DOJ Department of Justice
DOL Department of Labor
DOT Department of Transportation
DSHS Department of Social and Health Services

E

ECPDN Early Childhood Professional Development Network
EDA Economic Development Administration
EEOC Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
EHS Employee Health Services
EPA Environmental Protection Agency
ERA Economic Regulatory Administration
ERA Electronic Research Administration
ESA Economic Services Administration (DSHS)
ETA Employment and Training Administration

F

FAA Federal Aviation Administration
FAC Federal Audit Clearing House
FASEB Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology
FCC Federal Communications Commission
FDA Food and Drug Administration
FDP Federal Demonstration Partnership
FDP I Florida Demonstration Project
FDP II Federal Demonstration Project
FDP II & IV Federal Demonstration Partnership
FEMA Federal Emergency Management Agency
FHWA Federal Highway Administration
FICC Federal Interagency Coordinating Council
FNDI First Nations Development Institute
FTC Federal Trade Commission

G

GASB Governmental Accounting Standards Board
GSA General Services Administration

H

HCFA Health Care Financing Administration

HF	Harvest Foundation
HHS	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
HRSA	Health Resources and Services Administration
HSARPA	Homeland Security Advanced Research Projects Agency
HSI	Hispanic Serving Institution
HUD	Department of Housing and Urban Development
I	
IACUC	Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee
IAEGC	Inter-Agency Electronic Grants Committee
IATA	International Air Transportation Association- Regulations for the transport of dangerous goods by air
IBC	Institutional Biosafety Committee
ICRC	Inter-College Relations Commission
IDHW	Idaho Department of Health and Welfare
IDWR	Idaho Department of Water Resources
IEC	a committee designed to approve, monitor, and review biomedical and behavioral research involving humans
IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
IG	Inspector General
ILTF	Indian Land Tenure Foundation
IMLS	Institute of Museum and Library Services
IPASS	Interagency Panel on Advanced Science & Security
IRAC	International Research Advisory Committee
IRB	Institutional Review Board
ISAC	Idaho Stem Action Center
ISDE	Idaho State Department of Education
ISGC	Idaho Space Grant Consortium
J	
JFAC	Joint Finance Action Committee
K	
KCF	Kendal Charitable Foundation
KECK	Keck Foundation
L	
LAC	Learning Assistance Center
LABioMed	Los Angeles Biomedical Center
LEA	Local Education Agency
M	
MAIANSP	MUREP for American Indian and Alaskan Native STEM Partnership (NASA)
MBDA	Minority Business Development Agency

MBE	Minority Business Enterprise
MSI	Minority Serving Institution
MSKCC	Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center
MU	University of Missouri

N

NACCA	National Conference on College Cost Accounting
NACIE	National Advisory Council on Innovation & Entrepreneurship (2010)
NARCH	Native American Research Centers for Health
NAS	National Academy of Sciences
NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration
NASULGC	National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges
NCATS	NIH - National Center for Advancing Translational Science (2011)
NCBI	National Center for Biotechnology Information
NCC	National Coordinating Committee
NCI	National Cancer Institute
NCRR	National Center for Research Resources
NCST	National Council of Science and Technology
NEA	National Endowment for the Arts
NEH	National Endowment for the Humanities
NEI	National Eye Institute
NEW	Native Employment Works
NFAH	National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities
NHLBI	National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute
NHGRI	National Human Genome Research Institute
NIA	National Institute on Aging
NIAAA	National Institute on Alcohol Abuse, and Alcoholism
NIAID	National Institute of Allergy & Infectious Diseases
NIAMS	National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases
NIBIB	National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering
NICHID	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
NICMERE	National Indian Center for Marine Environmental Research and Education
NIDA	National Institute of Drug Abuse
NIDCD	National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders
NIDCR	National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research
NIDDK	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases
NIE	National Institute of Education

NIEHS	National Institute of Environmental Health Services
NIFA	National Institute of Food and Agriculture (USDA)
NIGMS	National Institute of General Medical Sciences
NIH	National Institute for Health
NIJ	National Institute of Justice
NIMH	National Institute of Mental Health
NIMHD	National Institute on Minority Health Disparities
NINDS	National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke
NINR	National Institute of Nursing Research
NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology
NLM	National Library of Medicine
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NPS	National Park Service
NRC	National Research Council
NRC	Nuclear Regulatory Commission
NRCS	Natural Resources Conservation Service
NRL	Naval Research Laboratory
NSA	National Security Agency
NSABB	National Science Advisory Board for Biosecurity
NSB	National Science Board
NSC	National Security Council
NSF	National Science Foundation
NSTC	National Science Technology Council
NTSB	National Transportation Safety Board
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OBBR	Office of Biorepositories and Biospecimen Research
OCR	Office of Civil Rights
OCS	Office of Community Services
ODI	Office of Diversity and Inclusion
OES	Office of Employment Security
OET	Office of Employment Training
OFAC	Office of Foreign Assets Control
OFCC	Office of Federal Contract Compliance
OFFM	Office of Federal Financial Management
OFM	Office of Financial Management
OFR	Office of the Federal Register

OHRP	Office of Human Research Protection
OIA	Office of Industrial Affairs
OIG	Office of Inspector General
OIRA	Office of Information & Regulatory Affairs (OMB)
OLAW	Office of Laboratory Animal Welfare
OMB	Office of Management and Budget
ONAP	Offices of Native American Programs (HUD)
ONR	Office of Naval Research
OPHS	Office of Public Health and Science
OPM	Office of Personnel Management
OPERA	Office of Policy for Extramural Research Administration
OPRR	Office for Protection from Research Risks
ORA	Office of Research Administration
ORC	Office of Regulatory Compliance
ORI	Office of Research Integrity
ORS	Office of Research Services
ORWH	Office of Research on Women's Health
OSEP	Office of Special Education Programs
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
OSP	Office of Sponsored Projects
OSTP	Office of Science and Technology Policy
OT	Office of Transportation
OTT	Office of Technology Transfer (NIH)
OVAW	Office of Violence Against Women
OWH	Office of Women's Health

P

PCAST	President's Committee of Advisors on Science and Technology
PCC	Policy Coordination Council
PETA	People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals
PHS	Public Health Service
PROG	Peer Review Oversight Group
PSA	Psychological Society of America
PTO	Patent and Trademark Office

R

RAC	Recombinant DNA Committee
RARC	Research Animal Resource Center
RCREC	Responsible Conduct of Research Education Committee

S

SAMHSA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration
SBA	Small Business Administration
SIRS	Social Issues Resources Services
SKC	Salish Kootenai College
SKI	Sloan-Kettering Institute
SLF	St Luke's Foundation
SRA	Society of Research Administrators
SSHRC	Social Science Humanities Research Council (Canada)
SSRC	Salish Sea Research Center (NWIC)
STEP	Science, Technology and Economic Policy Board

T

TPFI	Traditional Plants and Foods Institute
TRiO	Not an acronym, represents three (3) programs: Upward Bound, Talent Search and Student Support Services

U

UDWR	Utah Division of Wildlife Resources
UF	University of Florida
UGA	University of Georgia
UI	University of Iowa
UMB	University of Maryland
UN	University of Nebraska
UND	University of North Dakota
UNH	University of New Hampshire
UNLV	University of Nevada – Las Vegas
UNM	University of New Mexico
UNR	University of Nevada – Reno
UO	University of Oregon
U of M	University of Michigan, University of Montana
USA	United States Army
USAF	United States Air Force
USAID	United States Agency for International Development
USCG	United States Coast Guard
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
USDE	United States Department of Energy (also known as DOE – Department of Energy)
USDOE	United States Department of Education (also known as USOE – US Office of Education)
USIA	United States Information Agency
USN	United States Navy

USU Utah State University
UT University of Tennessee, University of Teas at Austin
Utah University of Utah
UW University of Washington, University of Wisconsin, University of Wyoming

V

VA Department of Veterans Affairs
VAMC VA Medical Center
VHA Veterans Health Administration
Virginia Tech Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

W

WAFWA Western Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies
WBE Women's Business Enterprise
WDFW Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife
WDOC Washington State Department of Corrections
WDPC Washington State Dairy Products Commission
WECA Western Conference on College Cost Accounting
WERC Workforce Employment Resource Center
WESTAF Western Arts Alliance
WF Wal-Mart Foundation
WFA Women's Funding Alliance
WGC Washington Grain Commission
WHO World Health Organization
WKKF W. K. Kellogg Foundation
WKU Western Kentucky University
WSPC Washington State Potato Commission
WSU Washington State University
WTFRC Washington Tree Fruit Commission
WVU Western Virginia University
WWF World Wildlife Foundation

Y

YCC Youth Conservation Corps

Z

ZGA ZGA Architects and Planners