



Child Care Acronyms

APP – Application

AQR – Annual Quality Review

CACFP – Child and Adult Care Food Program

CAN – Child Abuse and Neglect

CC – Child Care

CCA – Child Care Aware

CCAP – Child Care Assistance Program

CCCC – Commonwealth Child Care Credential

CCHC – Child Care Health Consultant

CDA – Child Development Associate

CECC – Community Early Childhood Council

CHFS – Cabinet for Health and Family Services

CP – Civil Penalty

CPR – Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation

CRC – Criminal Records Check

DCBS – Department for Community Based Services

DCC – Division of Child Care

DPOC – Directed Plan of Correction

DRCC – Division of Regulated Child Care

ECE – Early Childhood Education

ECERS – Early Childhood Environment Rating Scale

ECOOL – Early Childhood Orientation Online

EDU – Education



EEB – Eastern Enforcement Branch

EKU – Eastern Kentucky University

EMA – Emergency Management Agency

FA – First Aid

FCC – Family Child Care

FCCERS – Family Child Care Environment Rating Scale

GED – General Equivalency Diploma

GOEC – Governor’s Office of Early Childhood

GOV – Government

GSCC – Getting Started in Child Care

HDI – Human Development Institute

HS – Health and Safety

HSS – Human Services Surveyor

ITERS – Infant Toddler Environment Rating Scale

KAR – Kentucky Administrative Regulation

KARES – Kentucky Applicant Registry and Employment Screening Program

KDE – Kentucky Department of Education

KICCS – Kentucky Integrated Child Care System

KOG – Kentucky Online Gateway

NBCP – National Background Check Program

NEB – Northern Enforcement Branch

OIG – Office of Inspector General

PAHT – Pediatric Abusive Head Trauma

PBF – Provider Billing Form

PD – Professional Development

POC – Plan of Correction



PPI – Post Preliminary Inspection

PS – Preschool

QEI – Quality Enhancement Initiative

QRIS – Quality Rating and Improvement System

QRS – Quality Rating System

RCCA – Regional Child Care Administrator

RPM – Regional Program Manager

SACC – School Age Child Care

SACCERS – School Age Child Care Environment Rating Scale

SBA – Small Business Administration

SEB – Southern Enforcement Branch

SOP – Standards of Practice

TB – Tuberculosis

TRIS – Training Records Information System

UK – University of Kentucky

USDA – United States Department of Agriculture

WEB – Western Enforcement Branch

WIP – Written Improvement Plan