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ABBREVIATIONS

Abbreviation	Full text
AA-HAI	Accelerated Action for the Health of Adolescents
ACGDC	Adolescent and Child Development Clinic
AIDS	Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome
BADHS	Barbados Adolescent Health Strategy
BFPA	Barbados Family Planning Association
BYS	Barbados Youth Service
CDs	Communicable Diseases
CCB	Child Care Board
CGC	Child Guidance Clinic
CMO	Chief Medical Officer
CSOs	Civil Society Organisation
DALYs	Disability Adjustment Life Years
DARE	Drug Abuse Resistance Education
D4L	Dance4Life
ECPC	Edgar Cochrane Polyclinic
EGPC	Eunice Gibson Polyclinic
GIS	Government Information Service
GP	Glebe Polyclinic
LA	Landscape Analysis
LGBTQI	Lesbian, Gay, Bi-sexual, Transgender, Queer & Inter-sexual
HFLE	Heath and Family Life Education
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
MBPC	Maurice Byer Polyclinic
MH	Mental Health
MoCSY	Ministry of Culture, Sports & Youth
MoESTI	Ministry of Education, Science, Technology & Innovation
MOH	Ministry of Health
M & E	Monitoring and Evaluation
NA	Needs Assessment
NCDs	Non-Communicable Diseases
NCSA	National Council of Substance Abuse
NGO	Non-Governmental Organisation
NAHP	National Adolescent Health Policy

Abbreviation	Full text
NNC	National Nutrition Centre
PAHO	Pan American Health Organisation
PAREDOS	Parent Education for Development in Barbados
QEH	Queen Elizabeth Hospital
RPPC	Randall Philips Polyclinic
RBPF	Royal Barbados Police Force
SDG	Sustainable Development Goals
SHP	School Health Programme
SMO	Senior Medical Officer
SPPC	St. Philip Polyclinic
SRH	Sexual & Reproductive Health
TWG	Technical Working Group
T2S	Transition to Secondary School
WSPC	Winston Scott Polyclinic
UNDP	United Nation Development Programme
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
VUI	Violence & Unintentional Injury
WHO	World Health Organisation
WB	World Bank
YAM	Youth Advocacy Movement
YDP	Youth Development Programme
YES	Youth Entrepreneurship Scheme

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