

Acronyms



Commonly Used

NIH Acronym List: http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/acronym_list.htm

A-21	OMB Circular A-21 - Cost Principles for Educational Institutions
A-110	OMB Circular A-110 - Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Agreements
A-133	OMB Circular A-133 - Audits of States, Local Governments & Non-Profit Organizations
AA	Administrative Assistant
ABOG	Academic Business Officers Group
ACH	Automated Clearing House
ADCOM	Administrative Computing Systems
AD&D	Accidental Death and Dismemberment
ADP	Administrative Data Processing
AFP	Account Fund Profile (system to maintain UCSF Chart of Accounts)
AFSCME	American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees
AIS	Administrative Information Services
AM	Asset Management
AP	Accounts Payable
ASAC	Administrative Systems Advisory Committee
AV	Audiovisual
AVC	Associate Vice Chancellor/Assistant Vice Chancellor
BAFO	Best And Final Offer
BOI	Business Officers Institute
BRM	Business and Resource Management
BRU	Business Research Unit
BSC	Balanced Score Card
C&G	Contracts and Grants
CAGE	Contractor and Government Entity Code
CAS	Cost Accounting Standards
CBOs	Community-Based Organizations
CDA	Confidential Disclosure Agreement
CDR	Controller Direct Report
CDRM	Controller Direct Report Meeting
CFDA	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance
CFO	Chief Financial Officer

CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CHC	Center for Health and Community
CHO	Cancellation Hand-Drawn Overpayment
CHR	Committee on Human Research
CLG	Controller Leadership Group
COB	Close of Business
COI	Conflict of Interest
COSS	Controller's Office System Support
CSS	Customer Support Services
CTO	Compensatory Time Off
CUE	Coalition of University Employees
CX	Clerical Staff
DBR	Department Benefits Representative
DC	Direct Costs
DCP	Defined Contribution Plan
DEOC	Departmental Emergency Operations Center
DepCare	Dependant Care
DEP	Department Code System (used to maintain UCSF Department structure)
DLS	Desktop and LAN Support
DMS	Data Mover Script
DPA	Department Account Number
DPE	Distribution of Payroll Expense
EAP	Employee Assistance Program or Emergency Action Plan
EDB	Employee Data Base
EDI	Electronic Data Interchange
EEO	Equal Employment Opportunity
EFT	Electronic Fund Transfer
EIS	Enterprise Information Security
EMF	Extramural Funds (Accounting)
ENS	Enterprise Network Services
EOD	End of Day
ERF	Employee Requisition Form
ERS	Effort Reporting System
ESS	Employee Support Services
EVC	Executive Vice Chancellor
F&A	Facilities and Administrative Cost (formerly " Indirect Cost")
FCOI	Federal Financial Conflict of Interest
FFP	Firm Fixed Price
FICA	Federal Insurance Contribution Act
FitsCo	Fidelity Investments Tax Exempt Savings Co.

FOIA	Freedom of Information Act
FSA	Flexible Spending Account
FSAP	Faculty Staff Assistance Program
FSRs	Financial Status Reports
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
FTP	File Transfer Protocol
GAAP	Generally Accepted Accounting Principles
HCRA	Healthcare Reimbursement Account
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
IDC	Indirect Costs
IDE	Investigational (New) Drug or New Device Exemption
IFB	Invitation For Bid
IID	Identity Management System
IP	Intellectual Property
IQC	Indefinite Quantity Contract
JIT	Just In Time
JPA	Joint Personnel Act
IQC	Indefinite Quantity Contract
IVR	Interactive Voice Response
LOA	Leave of Absence
LRDP	Long Range Development Plan
MOP	Mortgage Origination Program
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MPA	Multiple Project Assurance
MSO	Management Services Officer
MSP	Management Services Program
MSPP	Management Senior Professionals Program
MTA	Material Transfer Agreement
MTDC	Modified Total Direct Costs
NCA	Natural Class Account (Associated with an Account Fund)
NGA	Notice of Grant Award
OASDI	Old Age Survivor and Disability Insurance (the official name for Social Security)
OD	Overdraft
OLFS	Online Financial System
OLPPS	Online Payroll Processing System
OLRC	On-line Rush Checks
ORCA	Overpayments, Reversals, Cancellations Automation (in OLPPS)
ORU	Organized Research Unit
P2P	Procure to Pay
PA	Program Announcement

PAF	Personnel Action Form
PAN	Personnel Action Notification
PAR	Personnel Activity Report
PERS	Public Employee Retirement System
PET	Payroll Expense Transfer
PHI	Protected Health Information
PI	Principal Investigator/Primary Investigator
PIE	Period of Initial Eligibility
PIN	Personal Identification Number
PO	Purchase Order
PPSM	Personnel Policies and Services Manual
PS	PeopleSoft
PSS	Professional Support Staff
PSSP	Professional and Support Staff Program
PTRS	Payroll Time Reporting System
QIP	Quality Improvement Program
QIU	Quality Improvement Unit
R&R	Research and Related
RAS	Research Administration System (Campus-wide Automated PeopleSoft-based System)
RAP	Research Administration Program
RCO	Registered Campus Organization
R&D	Research and Development
RFA	Request for Applications
RFC	Request for Comments
RFP	Request for Proposals (Contracts)
RFQ	Request for Quote
RFTP	Request for Technical Proposals
RI	Research Institute
RPA	Research Participation Agreements
RSA	Research Services Analyst
RX	Research Staff
S2S	System to System
SAE	Severance Active Employee
SAS 112	Statement of Auditing Standards
SME	Subject Matter Expert
SMG	Senior Management Group
SNAP	Streamlined Non-competing Application Process
SOW	Statement of Work
SQL	Structured Query Language
SWE	Supportive Work Environment

TDC	Total Direct Costs
TX	Technical Staff
UCRP	University of California Retirement Plan
UCSF	University of California, San Francisco
UPTE	University Professional and Technical Employees
VC	Vice Chancellor
VPN	Virtual Private Network

<i>Top of Commonly Used list</i>	<i>Top of Acronym List</i>
----------------------------------	----------------------------

[UCSF or UC Organizational Units](#)

ACC	Ambulatory Care Center
AWAP	Animal Welfare Assurance Program (at UCSF only)
CAR	Committee on Animal Research
CCU	Clinical Contracts Unit
CIT	Center for Instructional Technology
CO	Controller's Office
CPBC	Campus Purchasing and Business Contracts
CPFM	Capital Projects/Facilities Management
CRC	Cancer Resource Center
CTSI	Clinical and Translational Science Institute
CVRI	Cardiovascular Research Institute
DGIM	Division of General Internal Medicine
FM	Facilities Management
GCRC	General Clinical Research Center
GIVI	Gladstone Institute Virology and Immunology
GMO	Grants Management Office
HR	Human Resources
IACAUC	Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee
ICU	Industrial Contracts Unit
IOC	Intercampus Order/Charge
ISCS	Information Systems Computer Support
ITS	Information Technology Services
LARC	Laboratory Animal Resources Center (UCSF only)
LBL	Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
LH	Long Hospital
LHTS	Laurel Heights
LLNL	Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory
LPPI	Langley Porter Psychiatric Institute

LSS	Legal Support Services
OAAIS	Office of Academic and Administrative Information Systems
OFM	Office of Financial Management (UCOP)
OGC	Office of the General Counsel (at UCOP)
OP	Office of the President
OPM	Office of Personnel Management (UCOP)
ORA or RAO	Office of Research Administration (UCOP)
OTM	Office of Technology Management
PCRC	Pediatric Clinical Research Center
PMO	Project Management Office
PRC	Problem Resolution Center
REAC	Research Evaluation and Allocation Committee
RMIS	Risk Management and Insurance Services Office
SFGH	San Francisco General Hospital
SHS	Student Health Services
SOD or S/D	School of Dentistry
SOM or S/M	School of Medicine
SON or S/N	School of Nursing
SOP or S/P	School of Pharmacy
UCLI	UC Leadership Institute
UCOP	University of California Office of the President
WLRC	Work Life Resource Center

<i>Top of UC Organizational Unit list</i>	<i>Top of Acronym List</i>
---	----------------------------

UCSF Locations

A	Ambulatory Care Center
ACC	Ambulatory Care Center
C	Clinical Sciences Building - 521 Parnassus
CL	Campus Library
EP	Executive Park
M	Moffitt Hospital
MB	Mission Bay
MCB	Mission Center Building
MU	Millbury Union
MZ	Mount Zion
N	Nursing Building
OP	Oyster Point

S	Medical Science Building
----------	--------------------------

<i>Top of UCSF Locations list</i>	<i>Top of Acronym List</i>
-----------------------------------	----------------------------

Government or Other Agencies

AMFAR	American Foundation for Aids Research
CCSF	City and County of San Francisco
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CDFA	California Department of Food and Agriculture
CNA	California Nurses Association
CPMC	California Pacific Medical Center
CRI	Cancer Research Institute
DED	Department of Education
DHHS	Department of Health and Human Services
DOD	Department of Defense
DOE	Department of Energy
DPH	Department of Public Health
ED	US Department of Education
EDA	Economic Development Administration
EEOC	Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
EHS	Environmental Health and Safety
ERA	Electronic Research Administration
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FDP	Federal Demonstration Project
FTC	Federal Trade Commission
GAO	General Accounting Office
HFSP	Human Frontier Science Program
HHMI	Howard Hughes Medical Institute
HRPP	Human Research Protection Program
ICC	Interstate Commerce Commission
IG	Inspector General
HCFA	Health Care Financing Administration
HRSA	Health Resources and Services Administration
NCCC	Northern California Cancer Center
NCI	National Cancer Institute
NCRR	National Center for Research Resources
NCIRE	Northern California Institute for Research and Education
NCURA	National Council of University Research Administrators

NHLBI	National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute
NIDA	National Institute of Drug Abuse
NIGMS	National Institute of General Medical Sciences
NIH	National Institutes of Health
NIMH	National Institute of Mental Health
NINDS	National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke
NIOSH	National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health
NRC	National Research Council
NSF	National Science Foundation
NSTC	National Science Technology Council
OFR	Office of the Federal Register
OMB	Office of Management and Budget
ONR	Office of Naval Research
OHRP	Office of Human Research Protection (at DHHS)
OHS	Occupational Health and Safety
OIG	Office of the Inspector General
OLAW	Office of Laboratory Animal Welfare (at NIH)
ORCA	Office of Research Compliance and Assurance (the OHRP Office of the VA)
ORI	Office of Research Integrity - DHHS
PHS	Dept. of Public Health Services/Public Health Service
RI	Research Institute
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
VAMC	Veterans Affairs Medical Center
WHO	World Health Organization

<i>Top of Government of Other Agencies list</i>	<i>Top of Acronym List</i>
---	----------------------------

General Acronym Finder

<http://www.acronymfinder.com/>

SMS (Short Message Service)/Text Messaging Shortcuts

<http://www.swalk.com/sms.htm>

<http://smseverywhere.com/dictionary.htm>

Top of Acronym List