

Abbreviations

ACCESS	Alliance for Children's Entitlement to Social Security
AIDS	Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome
ARK	Absolute Return for Kids
ART	Antiretroviral therapy
ARV	Antiretroviral
ASSA	Actuarial Society of South Africa
CASE	Community Agency for Social Enquiry
CBO	Community-Based Organisation
CD4	Cluster of Differentiation 4
CDG	Care Dependency Grant
CRC	Convention on the Rights of the Child
CSG	Child Support Grant
DHS	Demographic Health Survey
EA	Enumerator Areas
EMIS	Education Management Information System
EPRI	Economic Policy Research Institute
FBO	Faith-Based Organisation
FCG	Foster Care Grant
GEAR	Growth, Employment and Redistribution
GER	Gross Enrolment Ratio
GHS	General Household Survey
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
IDASA	Institute for Democracy in South Africa
IDP	Integrated Development Plan
IMR	Infant Mortality Rate
MDG	Millennium Development Goals
MTCT	Mother-To-Child Transmission
NA	National Assembly
NCOP	National Council of Provinces
NER	Net Enrolment Ratio
NFCS	National Food Consumption Survey
NGO	Non-Governmental Organisation
NPA	National Programme of Action for Children
PCP	Pneumocystic Carinii Pneumonia
PMTCT	Prevention of Mother-To-Child Transmission
RAPCAN	Resources Aimed at the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect
RDP	Reconstruction and Development Programme
SADTU	South African Democratic Teachers Union
SALRC	South African Law Reform Commission
SOCPEN	Social Pension
TASO	The AIDS Support Organisation
TB	Tuberculosis
UCT	University of Cape Town
UNAIDS	Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Education Fund
U5MR	Under-five Mortality Rate
VCT	Voluntary Counselling and Testing
WHO	World Health Organisation

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