

The following list includes the most frequently used Academy acronyms.

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AAPI	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders (MIG)
ACA	Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act
Academy	Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics
Academy Foundation	Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Foundation
DoT	Academy Definition of Terms
ACEND®	Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics
ACO	Accountable Care Organization
AGE	Award for Grassroots Excellence
AHRQ	Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
ANDPAC	Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Political Action Committee
AIND	Asian Indians in Nutrition and Dietetics (Subgroup under AAPI MIG)
APM	Alternative Payment Model
ANDHII	Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Health Informatics Infrastructure
ASPA	Association of Specialized and Professional Accreditors
BHN	Behavioral Health Nutrition (DPG)
BOD	Board of Directors
CADN	Chinese Americans in Dietetics and Nutrition (Subgroup under MIG)
CCN	Certified Clinical Nutritionist
CD	Certified Dietitian
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CDN	Certified Dietitian Nutritionist
CDR	Commission on Dietetic Registration
CfC	Conditions for Coverage (CMS)
CFP	Council on Future Practice
CHEA	Council for Higher Education Accreditation
CLL	Committee for Lifelong Learning
CMMI	Center for Medicare & Medicaid Innovation
CMS	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
CNPP	USDA Center for Nutrition Policy and Promotion
CNM	Clinical Nutrition Management (DPG)
CNS	Certified Nutrition Specialist
COGA	Cultures of Gender and Age (MIG)
CoP	Conditions of Participation (CMS)
COR	Council on Research
CoT	Certificates of Training
CP	Coordinated Program in Nutrition and Dietetics
CPC	Consumer Protection Coordinator
CPCI/CPC+	Comprehensive Primary Care Initiative/Comprehensive Primary Care Plus Initiative
CPE	Continuing Professional Education
CPEU	Continuing Professional Education Units
CPLS	Consumer Protection Licensure Subcommittee
CPT	Current Procedural Terminology
CSG	Certified Specialist in Gerontological Nutrition

CSP	Certified Specialist in Pediatric Nutrition
CSPCC	Certified Specialist in Pediatric Critical Care Nutrition
CSOWM	Certified Specialist in Obesity and Weight Management
CSO	Certified Specialist in Oncology Nutrition
CSR	Certified Specialist in Renal Nutrition
CSSD	Certified Specialist in Sports Dietetics
DBC	Dietitians in Business and Communications (DPG)
DCE	Diabetes Care and Education (DPG)
DHCC	Dietetics in Health Care Communities (DPG)
DI	Nutrition and Dietetics Internship
DIFM	Dietitians in Integrative and Functional Medicine (DPG)
DNS	Dietitians in Nutrition Support (DPG)
DNV GL NIAHO	Det Norske Veritas Germanischer Lloyd National Integrated Accreditation for Healthcare Organizations
DPD	Didactic Program in Nutrition and Dietetics
DPG	Dietetic Practice Group
DT	Dietetic Technician or Nutrition and Dietetics Technician Program
DTR	Dietetic Technician, Registered
EAC	Exhibitor Advisory Council
EAC	Evidence Analysis Center
EAL®	Evidence Analysis Library
EBGP	Evidence-Based Guides for Practice
EBNPG	Evidence-Based Nutrition Practice Guideline
EBWG	Energy Balance Workgroup
EC	Executive Committee (DPG or MIG)
EDL	Emerging Dietetic Leader Award
eCQM	Electronic Clinical Quality Measure
EML	Electronic Mailing List
eNCPT	Electronic Nutrition Care Process Terminology
ERAS	Eligibility Requirements and Accreditation Standards
FA	Future Education Model Associate Degree Program
FB	Future Education Model Bachelor's Degree Program
FG	Future Education Model Graduate Degree Program
FAC	Finance and Audit Committee
FADA	Fellow of the American Dietetic Association
FADAN	Filipino Americans in Dietetics & Nutrition (Subgroup under AAPI MIG)
FAND	Fellow of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics
FARD	Find a Registered Dietitian Nutritionist
FCP	Food and Culinary Professionals (DPG)
FDA	US Food and Drug Administration
FDE	Foreign Dietitian Education Program
FEM	Future Education Model
FNCE®	Food & Nutrition Conference & Expo™
FNS	(USDA) Food and Nutrition Service
FPIND	Fifty Plus in Nutrition and Dietetics (Subgroup under COGA MIG)
GMIG	Global Member Interest Group
HA	Healthy Aging (DPG)
HCAHPS	Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems
HCP LAN	Health Care Payment Learning & Action Network

HEN	Hunger and Environmental Nutrition (DPG)
HFAP	Healthcare Facilities Accreditation Program
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
HHS	Health and Human Services
HL7	Health Level Seven
HLT	House of Delegates Leadership Team
HOD	House of Delegates
IAAND	International Affiliate of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics (formerly AODA)
IBT	Intensive Behavioral Therapy
ICD-10	International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems (revision 10)
IDDSI	International Dysphagia Diet Standardization Initiative
IDE	International Dietitian Education Program
IDNT	International Dietetics and Nutrition Terminology
IHI	Institute of Healthcare Improvement
IMPACT ACT	Improving Medicare Post-Acute Care Transformation Act (CMS)
IND	Indians in Nutrition and Dietetics (MIG)
ISC	Interoperability and Standards Committee
ISPP	Individualized Supervised-Practice Pathways
JAND or Journal	<i>Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics</i>
JMIG	Jewish (Subgroup under Religion MIG)
LAHIDAN	Latinos and Hispanics in Dietetics and Nutrition (MIG)
LD	Licensed Dietitian
LDN	Licensed Dietitian Nutritionist
LLPE	Lifelong Learning and Professional Engagement
LMS	Learning Management System
LN	Licensed Nutritionist
LOINC	Logical Observation Identifiers Names and Codes
LPPC	Legislative and Public Policy Committee
LTC	Long Term Care
MCO	Managed Care Organization
MDPP	Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program
MFNS	Management in Food and Nutrition Systems (DPG)
MIG	Member Interest Group
MIPS	Merit-based Incentive Payment System
MNPG	Medical Nutrition Practice Group (DPG)
MNT	Medical Nutrition Therapy
MPA	Model Practice Act
MSAC	Member Services Advisory Committee
MIDAN	Muslims in Dietetics and Nutrition (Subgroup under Religion MIG)
MQii	Malnutrition Quality Improvement Initiative
MUC	Measures Under Consideration List (CMS)
NCCA	National Commission for Certifying Agencies
NCP	Nutrition Care Process
NCPROC	Nutrition Care Process Research Outcomes Committee (formerly Nutrition Care Process and Terminology Committee)
NCPT	Nutrition Care Process Terminology
NCQA	National Committee for Quality Assurance

NDEP	Nutrition and Dietetic Educators and Preceptors
NDTR	Nutrition and Dietetics Technician, Registered
NE	Nutrition Entrepreneurs (DPG)
NEHP	Nutrition Educators of Health Professionals (DPG)
NEP	Nutrition Education for the Public (DPG)
NFPE	Nutrition Focused Physical Exam
NI DPG	Nutrition Informatics (DPG)
NIC	Nutrition Informatics Committee
NIH	National Institutes of Health
NMASC	New Member Advisory Subcommittee
NNM	National Nutrition Month
NOBIDAN	National Organization of Blacks in Dietetics and Nutrition (MIG)
NOMIN	National Organization of Men in Nutrition (Subgroup under COGA MIG)
NPI	National Provider Identifier
NQF	National Quality Forum
NRN	Nutrition Research Network
NSI	Nutrition Screening Initiative
NSC	Nutrition Services Coverage
NSPC	Nutrition Services Payment Committee
ODEA	Outstanding Dietetics Educator Award
ODSA	Outstanding Dietetics Student Award
ODY	Outstanding Dietitian of the Year
OIG	Office of the Inspector General
ON	Oncology Nutrition (DPG)
ONC	Office of the National Coordinator of Health Information Technology
PAC	Post-Acute Care
PAL	Policy and Advocacy Leader (DPGs/MIGs)
PCMH	Patient Centered Medical Home
POW	Program of Work
PHAB	Public Health Accreditation Board
PHCNPG	Public Health/Community Nutrition (DPG)
PIA	Policy Initiatives and Advocacy
PNPG	Pediatric Nutrition Practice Group (DPG)
PPC	Public Policy Coordinator
PPLA	Public Policy Leadership Award
PPP	Public Policy Panel
PPW	Public Policy Workshop
QLA	Quality Leader Alliance
QM	Quality Management
QMC	Quality Management Committee
QPP	Medicare Quality Payment Program
RD	Registered Dietitian
RD-AP	Registered Dietitian - Advanced Practitioner
RDN	Registered Dietitian Nutritionist
RDN-AP	Registered Dietitian Nutritionist- Advanced Practitioner
RDPG	Research (DPG)
RDTY	Recognized Dietetic Technician of the Year
RISA	Research, International and Scientific Affairs
RMIG	Religion (MIG)

RPG	Renal Dietitians (DPG)
RR	Reimbursement Representative
RYDY	Recognized Young Dietitian of the Year
RUC	Relative Value Scale Update Committee
SAC	Student Advisory Committee
SCAN	Sports, Cardiovascular and Wellness Nutrition (DPG)
SCOPE	Scope of Practice
SGR	Medicare Sustainable Growth Rate
SIP	Scientific Integrity Principles
SNAP	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program
SNOMED-CT	Systematized Nomenclature of Medicine Clinical Terms
SNS	School Nutrition Services (DPG)
SOE/COE	Standards of Excellence/Center of Excellence
SOP	Standards of Practice
SOPP	Standards of Professional Performance
SPR	State Policy Representative
SR	Systematic Review
TJC	The Joint Commission
SRS	State Regulatory Specialist
TUND	Thirty and Under in Dietetics and Nutrition (Subgroup under COGA MIG)
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
USDE	United States Department of Education
VN	Vegetarian Nutrition (DPG)
WH	Women's Health (DPG)
WIC	Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children
WM	Weight Management (DPG)