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AABB. American Association of Blood Banks
AAR. After Action Report
ABC. Airway, Breathing, and Circulation; American Baptist Churches; America’s Blood Centers
ACFASP. Advisory Council on First Aid, Aquatics, Safety and Preparedness
ACFS. Annual Chapter Financial Statement
ACQ. Acquisition
ACS. Alternate Care Site; Adventist Community Services
ACT. Assertive Community Treatment Teams
ADA. Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990
ADD. Attention-deficit Disorder
ADGP. Annual Disaster Giving Program
ADHD. Attention-deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder
ADL. Activities of Daily Living; Advanced Distributed Learning
ADS. Archival Document System
ADU. Automated Data Upload
AED. Automated External Defibrillator
AFES. Armed Forces Emergency Services
AIRS. Alliance of Information and Referral Systems, 211
ALS. Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (Lou Gehrig’s Disease)
AMURT. Ananda Marga Universal Relief Team
ANCC. American Nurses Credentialing Center
AP. Authorized Provider; Analysis and Planning; Action Program
APAT. Advance Public Affairs Team
APHIS. Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
ARC. American Red Cross
ARCVLSC. American Red Cross Volunteer Life Saving Corps
ARC1. Legal pad; a substitute for any form
ARC1295. Service to the Armed Forces Manual
ARC3079-1. Mass Casualty Disasters Fact Sheet
ARC4496. Standards for Selecting Hurricane Evacuation Shelters
ARES. Amateur Radio Emergency Services
ARF. Action Request Form
ARI. Acute Respiratory Infection
ARRL. American Radio Relay League

AS. Assistant Director
ASL. American Sign Language
ATA. Actual Time of Arrival
ATD. Actual Time of Departure
ATLAS. Alliance for Technology Linking All Services
ATO. Additional Time Off
AV. Atrioventricular Node
AWB. Air Way Bill
BAT. Basic Aid Training
BB. Blackbaud
BBP. Bloodborne Pathogen
BCC. Behavior Change Communications
BCLC. Business Civic Leadership Center
BD. Bulk Distribution
BDC. Blood Drive Coordinator
BDSU. Bulk Distribution Support Unit
BHQC. Biomedical Services Headquarters
BOG. Board of Governors
BOO. Base of Operations
BPO. Blanket Purchase Order
BPS. Best Practices System
BRCR. Be Red Cross Ready
BRE. Business Reply Envelope
BRL. Biomedical Regulatory Hotline
BRM. Business Reply Mail
BSD. Blood Services Directive
BSI. Body Substance Isolation
BSOC. Biomedical Service Operations Center

BVM. Bag-valve Mask Resuscitator
CAC. Client Assistance Card
CAM. Cost Analysis Model
CAN. Coordinated Assistance Network
CAPPS. Customers and Partners Survey System
CART. Communication Access Real-time Translation
CAS. Client Assistance System
CBC. Community Blood Center
CBFCU. Clara Barton Federal Credit Union
CBO. Community Based Organization; Chapter Board Orientation
CBRNE. Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, or Explosive
CBS. Choice-Based Services
CBW. Chemical and Biological Warfare
CC. Case Casework
CCE. Community Chapter Executive
CCI. Chapter Chair Institute
CCL. Concern Connection Line
CDAP. Chapter Donor Acquisition Program
CDC. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CDE. Community Disaster Education
CDM. Chapter Upload Process
CDO. Chapter Development Officer
**CDR. Christian Disaster Response**
CDRA. Chapter Disaster Readiness Assessment
CDRC. Conference Disaster Response Coordinator
CDRM. Crisis, Disaster and Risk Management
CDRP. Consolidated Direct Response Program
**CDS. Children’s Disaster Response**
CDT. Central Daylight Time
CDV. Coordinator of Disaster Volunteers
CEESD. Collaborating to Ensure Effective Service Delivery
CEI. Chapter Executive Institute
CEMA. Chatham Emergency Management Agency
CEMP. Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan
CERT. Community Emergency Response Team
CFR. Case Fatality Rates
CFS. Consolidated Financial System
CH. Chief
CHE. Complex Humanitarian Emergency
CHERS. Chapter Enrollment Reporting System; Chapter Environment Resources System
CHW. Community Health Worker
CIB. Chapter Information Bulletin
CIIPA. Confidential Information and Intellectual Property Agreement
CL. Client
CLC. Creating Leadership Connections; Corporate Lodging Card
CLS. Individual Client Services
CMS. Consumable Medical Supplies; Content Management System
CNCS. Corporation for National and Community Service
COB. Close of business; Church of the Brethren
COBRA. Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act
COE. Centers of Expertise
COOP. Continuity of Operations Plan
COP. Common Operating Picture
COPD. Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
CP. Community Programs; Cerebral Palsy
CPR. Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation
CPS. Community Partnerships; Chapter Performance Standards
CRB. Creative Review Board
CRM. Customer Relationship Management
CRT. Critical Response Team
CRV. Communication Response Vehicle
CRWRC. Christian Reformed World Relief Committee
CSDU. Certified Service Delivery Unit
CTRD. Cost To Raise a Dollar
CWS. Church World Service
CWT. Carlson Wagonlit Travel
DA. Disaster Assessment
DAC. Disaster Application Center
DAM. Digital Asset Manager
DART. Disaster Assistance Response Team
DAT. Disaster Action Team
DDA. Detailed Damage Assessment
DDCOE. Donor Database Centers of Expertise
**DDD. Division Disaster Director**
DDE. Division Disaster Executive
DDO. Disaster Duty Officer
DDRO. Director of Disaster Relief Operation
DDS. Document Distribution System
**DDSRD. Division Disaster State Relations Director**
**DDT. Division Disaster Team**
DFC. Disaster Field Chapter
DFO. Disaster Field Office
DFRAP. Disaster Fundraising Action Plan
DFSC. Disaster Field Supply Center
DFVP. Divisional Fundraising Vice President
D-GRAM. Emergency Direct Mail Piece
DHS. Disaster Health Service; Department of Homeland Security
digiDOC. Digital Operations Center
DIR. Director
DIST. Disaster Instructor Specialty Training
DLC. Disaster Logistics Center
DLTA. Discretionary Long Term Allocation
DM. Disaster Management; Diabetes Mellitus
DMAT. Disaster Medical Assistance Teams
DMC. Disaster Computer Maintenance Center
DME. Durable Medical Equipment
DMHS. Disaster Mental Health Services
DMT. Disaster Management Training
DO. Disbursing Order
DOB. Duplication of Benefits; Date of Birth
DOC. Disaster Operations Center
**DOCC. Disaster Operations Coordination Center**
DOD. Disaster Only Donor
DOIS. Disaster Operation Information Sheet
DOOR. Disaster Operations Open Requests ("The Grid")
DP. Displaced Person, Client
DPA. Disaster Public Affairs
DR. Disaster Relief Operation
DRC. Disaster Recovery Center
DRF. Disaster Relief Fund
DRG. Disaster Relocation Group
DRM. Donor Relationship Management
DRMS. Disaster Resource Management System
DRO. Disaster Relief Operation
DROMIS. Disaster Relief Operation Management Information System
DRP. Disaster Response Plan
DSARS. Disaster Services Automated Reporting System
DSHR. Disaster Services Human Resources System
DSO. Disaster Services Overview
DST. Disaster Services Technology
DTT. Disaster Technology Team
DV. Disaster Volunteer
DVP. Division Vice President
DWI. Disaster Welfare Inquiry; Driving While Intoxicated
DWIB. Disaster Welfare Inquiry Bulletin
EA. Emergency Assistance
EAS. Emergency Alert System; Emergency Aid Station
eBDR. Electronic Blood Donation Record
EBS. Emergency Broadcast System
ECC. Emergency Cardiovascular Care
ECM. Emergency Communication Message
EDDR. Electronic Donor Distribution Report
EDT. Eastern Daylight Time
EECI. Essential Elements of Critical Information
EEI. Essential Elements of Information
EHL. Exploring Humanitarian Law
EHS. Extremely Hazardous Substance
EIA. Exercise-induced Asthma
EM. Emergency Management
EMAC. Emergency Management Assistance Compact
EMR. Experience Modifier Rate; Electronic Medical Record
EMS. Emergency Medical Services
EO. Executive Order
EOC. Emergency Operations Center
EOP. Emergency Operations Plan
EPAP. Emergency Prescription Assistance Program
EPAT. Earliest Possible Arrival Time
ER. External Relations
ERS. Emergency Relocation Site
ERT. Emergency Response Team
ERT-A. Emergency Response Team--Advanced
ERV. Emergency Response Vehicle
ESA. Environmental Site Assessment
ESC. Executive Steering Committee
ESF. Emergency Support Function
ESP. Email Service Provider
EST. Emergency Support Team; Eastern Standard Time
ETA. Estimated Time of Arrival
ETD. Estimated Time of Departure
ETE. Estimated Time En Route
EUS. End User Support
EWS. Early Warning System
FAC. Facilities Management; Family Assistance Center
FACT. First Aid for Children Today; Field Assessment and Coordination Teams
FANS. Functional and Access Needs in Shelters
FAQ. Frequently Asked Questions
FAST. Field Assessment Team; First Action Station Team; Face, Arms, Speech, Time
FBCO. Faith-based and Community Organizations
FCC. Functional Cost Codes; Functional Cost Center
FCFS. First Come, First Served
FCO. Federal Coordinating Officer
FDA. Food and Drug Administration
FDS. Friends Disaster Service
FEFO. First Expiry, First Out
FEMA. Federal Emergency Management Agency
FF. Feeding
FFRC. Friends and Family Reception Center
FFW. Food for Work
FHA. Fair Housing Act
FIF. Fundamentals of Instruction and Facilitation
FIFO. First in, first out
FIN. Finance
FIPS. Federal Information Processing Standards
FIRM. Flood Insurance Rate Map
FIRST. Frontline Immediate Response Shelter Team
FIT. Fundamentals of Instructor Training
FMD. Field Marketing Directions
FMPP. Financial Manual of Policy and Procedures
FNS. Functional Needs Shelter
FNSS. Functional Needs Support Services
FOCIS. Field Operations Consolidated Information System
FORMS:
102. Accounting Voucher
102B. Invoice Bad Debt Write-off Request
104A. Travel Authority
104-911. Client Travel Authority
104C. Staff Reimbursement and Travel Expense Report for Disaster Relief Operation Assignments
110. Journal Entry
140C or 140N. Disbursing Order, DO
601. Void or Stop Payment Request
901. Disaster Registration and Case Record
1003. Donated Fixed Assets Notification
1004. Construction in Progress/Leasehold Improvement Notification
1004A. CIP/Leasehold Improvement Notification Placed Into Service
1004B. CIP/Leasehold Improvement Notification
1007. Contract Requisition for Biomedical Services Use Only
1011. Customer Addition/Update
1012. Expense Reimbursement for National Sector & Biomedical Volunteers
1012A. Expense Reimbursement for Chapter Volunteers
1013. Prepayment Request
1014. Account Change Request
1015. Budget Modifications
1016. Standard Manual Invoice Request
1019. Donations Check Routing
1021. Check Routing
1022. Return Tracking
1027B. Blanket Travel Authorization
1027C. In-kind Blanket Travel Authority
1027D. International Services Dept. Travel Authority
1028. Advance Authority
1030. CAC Authorization
1031. Daily Record of Value of Client Assistance Cards Issued
1032. Client Assistance Charge-Out Record
1033. Client Register of Purchases and Balance
1373. AFES Statistical Report
1454A. Asset Addition
1454B. Asset Transfer
1454C. Asset Retirement
1475. Client Assistance Memorandum
1492. Disaster Relief Operation Registration
1493. Merchant’s Certification of Lost Disbursing Order
2034. Daily Record of Disbursing Orders Issued
2063. Disaster Health Care Summary and Cost Estimate
2066. Statistical and Cost Report of Disaster Operation
2077. Client Health Record
2077A. Mortality Report
2077C. Aggregate Morbidity Report
2079-1. Reverse Notification
2155. Leave Request
2276. Military Aid Society Assistance
3041. Mass Care: Preparedness and Operations
3068-3R. Safe Food Handling Procedures on Disaster Relief Operations
3068-4A. Community Services Mobile Feeding Unit Daily Activity Report
3090-1. Fundamentals of Instruction and Facilitation
3302. Monthly Summary of SMFV Activity
4416. Standardized Emergency Assistance Price List
4496. Standards for Hurricane Evacuation Shelter Selection
4947A. Employee Leave
5003. Position Management
5150. Record of Applicant Interview
5233. Damage Assessment Summary Sheet
5233A. Damage Sheet Instructions
5244. Information Release
5266. Disaster Operations Control
5266D. Disaster Operations Control Line-by-Line
5373. Family Budget Sheet
5383. Disaster Relief Operations Work Performance Evaluation
5643. Shared Services Center Order
5691. Non-Expendable Property Record
5693. Vehicle Record
5739. On-Site Detailed Damage Assessment Worksheet
5739A. Detailed Damage Assessment Supplemental Worksheet
5739B. Area Assessment Worksheet
5746. Staff Release/Transfer
5841A. Long Term Recovery Worksheet
5841B. Additional Assistance Recommendation
5842. Additional Assistance Screening Checklist
5843. Additional Assistance Family Roles & Responsibilities
5854. Release of Confidential Information, Client
5854A. Release of Confidential Information, Red Cross Staff
5855. Disaster Referral
5855A. Disaster Referral Fillable
5898A. Instructor Report—Disaster Training System
5898B. Participation Reaction Disaster Training System
5898F. Monitor Report for Disaster Training System
5898G. Application for Basic Disaster Training System
5898H. Application for Training—Disaster Training System
5898J. Instructor Self-Assessment and Development
5898K. Planning Checklist—Disaster Training System
5972. Disaster Shelter Registration
5972S. Disaster Shelter Registration Spanish
5975. Mobile Feeding Consolidated Daily Activity Report
5990. Home Visit Note Disaster Services Fillable Form
6395. Disaster Vehicle Inspection Report
6409. Disaster Supply Requisition, “Greenie”
6409B. Disaster Requisition, Receipt
6409C. Disaster Requisition, Bill of Lading
6418AR. Course Record Addendum Only
6418R. Course Record Form Only
6451. Disaster Vehicle Roster
6455. Resource Record
6455A. Instructions for Resource Record Form
6457. Invoice Control
6459. Disaster Fuel Voucher
6460. Mass Care Budget Worksheet
6464. Disaster Fuel Voucher Control
6494A. Disaster Relief Work--Annual SOI for Non-Exempt Employees

6494B. Voluntary Service Agreement for Non-Exempt Employees

6505. Self-Inspection Worksheet Off-Premises Liability Checklist

6512. Staff Request

6515. DSHR System Enrollment Application

6541. Health Services Site Assignment & License Registration

6556. Release of Facility

6564. Shelter Facility Survey

6615. Temporary Name Badges

6617. Telephone Message DIS

6620. Vehicle Agreement

6621. Facility Agreement

6623. Disaster Repair Estimate

6702. Purchase Requisition

6703. Timesheet for Non-Exempt Staff

6711. Military Aid Society Referral

6712. Void Stop Payment Request

6801. Additional Assistance Face Sheet

ADI0601a. Journal Entry ADI Spreadsheet Template and Instructions

CC101. Credit Card Authorization

CC102. Credit Application

OE101. Agreement Form

OE102. Price List

OE103. Price Override

R20. Retirement Recognition

RAP-0105. Restricted Funds Action Program Leadsheet Request

TO101. Blanket Travel Authority Change

VSPR0601. Void Stop Payment Request

WTAF. Wire Transfer / ACH Authorization

FOUO. For Official Use Only

FR. Fund Raising

FRN-OCRA. Funds Raised for National Online Chapter Reporting Application

FROST. Field Remote Operations Support Team

FSI. Financial and Statistical Information Management

FTE. Full Time Equivalent

FTP. File Transfer Protocol

FURP. Field Unit Reporting Portal

GADL. Georgia Driver’s License

GAP. Group/Activity/Position

GEMA. Georgia Emergency Management Agency

GETS. Government Emergency Telecommunications Service

GFS. Global Forecasting System

GIS. Geographic Information System Maps

GL. General Ledger

GMT. Greenwich Mean Time

GNIS. Geographic Names Information System

GOV. Government

GSD. General Services Division

HA. Humanitarian Assistance

HAINS. High Arm IN Endangered Spine

HAZMAT. Hazardous Materials

HAV. Hepatitis A Virus

HBV. Hepatitis B Virus

HCV. Hepatitis C Virus

HEICS. Emergency Incident Command System

HES. Hurricane Evaluation Study

HF. High Frequency

HHS. Health and Human Services

HIPAA. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act

HIT. Health Information Team

HIV. Human Immunodeficiency Virus

HQ. Headquarters

HRP. Hurricane Recovery Program

HRPPM. Human Resources Policy and Procedure Manual

HS. Health Services

HSIN. Homeland Security Information Network

HSS. Humanitarian Services Operations

HSSOC. Homeland Security Operations Center

HSPMO. Humanitarian Services Program Management Office

HSRW. Health Services Response Workshop

HSS. Health and Safety Services

HSSAT. Health and Safety Services Administrator Training

HVAC. Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning

IA. Items of Assistance

IAA. Inter Agency Agreement

IAEM. International Association of Emergency Managers

IAJVS. International Association of Jewish Vocational Services

IAP. Incident Action Plan; Individual Assistance Provider

IC. Incident Commander

ICD. International Classification of Diseases

ICE. Investigations, Compliance and Ethics

ICP. Incident Command Post

ICP2. Indicators of Chapter Performance and Potential

ICRC. International Committee of the Red Cross

ICS. Incident Command System; Invoice Conversion Services

ICU. Intensive Care Unit

ICVA. International Council of Voluntary Agencies

ID. Information Dissemination

IDA. Individual Damage Assessment

IDLH. Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health

IDP. Internally Displaced Person; Individual Development Plan

IDU. Intravenous Drug User

IDWI. International Disaster Welfare Inquiry
IEMS. Integrated Emergency Management System
IFRC. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies
IGO. Inter-Governmental Organization
IHL. International Humanitarian Law
IKD. In-Kind Donations
ILT. Instructor-led Training
IMO/IOH. In Memory Of / In Honor Of
IMS. Information Management Support Services
INV. Invoice
IP. Information and Planning
IR. Invoice Review; Invoice Reconciliation

IRFF, International Relief Friendship Foundation
IRL. Immunohematology Reference Laboratory
IRUSA. Islamic Relief USA
IT. Information Technology; Integrated Technology
JFO. Joint Field Office
JFSOC. Joint Family Support Operations Center
JIC. Joint Information Center
JOC. Joint Operations Center
JP. Jefferson Park
KAP. Knowledge, Attitude, and Practice
LCR. Community Relations Liaison
LCV. Local Community Volunteers
LDR. Lutheran Disaster Response
LDS. Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
LDV. Local Disaster Volunteer
LEP. Limited English Proficiency
LEPC. Local Emergency Planning Committee
LFA. Lead Federal Agency
LG. Government Liaison / Operations
LIFO. Last in, first out
LIRV. Logistics Initial Response Vehicle
LL. Labor
LLV. Landlord Verification
LMS. Learning Management System
LOA. Letter of Agreement

LOC. Level of Consciousness
LOG. Logistics
LOP. Local Operating Procedures
LSAP. Life, Safety and Asset Protection
LTP. Licensed Training Provider

LTRC. Long Term Recovery Committee
LVA. Voluntary Agencies Liaison
M. Thousand
M&E. Monitoring and Evaluation
MAC. Mission Assignment Coordinator
MACAT. Mass Care Administration Support
MAP. Merit Award Process
MAPP. Manual of Administrative Policies and Procedures
MARC. Multi-Agency Response Center
MARS. Motivation, Association, Repetition, and Use of the Senses
MASRU. Military Aid Society Referral Unit
MC. Mass Care
MCI. Mass Casualty Incident

MCM. Mass Casualty Management
MD. Multi-Site Director; Muscular Dystrophy
MDA. Maximum Daily Allowance; Magen David Adom
MDS. Mennonite Disaster Service
MH. Mobile Home; Mental Health
MHS. Mental Health Services
MMI. Meals, Mileage and Incidentals
MN. Manager
MOU. Memorandum of Understanding
MRE. Meal Ready to Eat
MS. Multiple Sclerosis
MSS. Material Support Services (Logistics)
MTF. More to Follow
NAB. National Association of Broadcasters
NAC. Neighborhood Assistance Center, NEHC
NAN. National Account Network
NAT. Nurse Assistant Training; Nucleic Acid Testing
NAWAS. National Warning System
NCCC. National Civilian Community Corps

NCIB. National Charities Info Bureau
NCOA. National Change of Address
NCP. National Contingency Plan

NCPP. National Center for Disaster Preparedness
NDMS. National Disaster Medical System
NDRP. National Disaster Reimbursement Program
NEHC. Neighborhood Emergency Help Center, NAC
NEMA. National Emergency Managers Association

NERT. National Emergency Response Team
NEVO. New Employee and Volunteer Orientation
NFO. National Fleet Operation
NGHA. Non-Governmental Humanitarian Agency
NGO. Non-Governmental Organization
NHS. National Hurricane Center
NHQ. National Headquarters
NIMS. National Incident Management System
NNC. National Nursing Committee
NOAA. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Association
NPM. National Preparedness Month
NPRC. AmeriCorps National Preparedness & Response Corps.
NRF. National Response Framework
NRP. National Response Plan

NS. National Society
NSC. National Safety Council
NSS. National Shelter System
NSSE. National Special Security Event
NTL. National Testing Laboratory
NVOAD. National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster
NWS. National Weather Service
OCD. Obsessive-compulsive Disorder
ODM. Operations Data Management
OES. Office of Emergency Services
OGC. Office of General Counsel
**OI. Opportunistic Infection**
OJT. On the Job Training
OM. Operations Management
ONCOV. Office of the National Chair of Volunteers
ORB. Online Resource Book
OS. Organization Support
OSC. On-Scene Coordinator
OSE. Outside Envelope
OSG. Office of General Counsel
ORB. Online Resource Book
OSHA. Occupational Safety and Health Administration
OT. Operational Training
P902A. All Disaster Help Is Free
P926. Sign Strips
P928. Disaster Relief With Blank Block
P949. Utility Pole ID
P950. Disaster Directional Arrows
PA. Public Affairs; Physician’s Assistant
PAS. Personal Assistive Services
PCT. Patient Care Technician
PD. Position Description
PDA. Preliminary Damage Assessment
PDP. Performance Development Process; Personal Development Plan
PEER CADRE. Program for Enhancement of Emergency Response / Community Action for Disaster Response
PFA. Psychological First Aid
**PFD. Personal Flotation Device**
PH. Public Health
PHAST. Participatory Hygiene and Sanitation Transformation
PHC. Primary Health Care
PHH. Fleet Management Credit Card
PHN. Public Health Nurse
PHSS. Preparedness, Health and Safety Services
PIO. Public Information Officer
PKEMRA. Post-Katrina Emergency Management Reform Act
PLHIV. People Living With HIV
PM. Performance Matters
PMP. Prevention, Mitigation, and Preparedness
PO. Purchase Order
POC. Point of Contact
POD. Point of Distribution; Point of Dispensing
POV. Privately Owned Vehicle
PPE. Personal Protective Equipment
PR. Purchase Requisition
PRO. Procurement
PRSA. Public Relations Society of America
PS. Partner Services
PSA. Public Service Advertising; Public Service Announcement
PSC. Program Service Code
PSTN. Public Switched Telephone Network
PTOC. Part Time on Call
P2P. Procure-To-Pay
PTSD. Post Traumatic Stress Disorder
QARA. Quality Assurance / Regulatory Affairs
QRG. Quick Reference Guide
QRM. Quick Reference Manual
QRT. Quick Response Team
RA. Rehabilitation Act of 1973
RACES. Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services
RAE/CRE. Reply Envelope
RAP. Rapid Assessment Process
RC. Restricted Confidential; Receipt/Receiving
RCB. Release Control Board
RCO. Red Cross Coordinating Officer
RCE. Regional Chapter Executive
RCM. RT Communications
RCO. RT Computer Operations; redcross.org
RC/RC. Red Cross / Red Crescent
RCS. RT Customer Service
RDC. Remote Chapter Executive; Remote Deposit Capture
RDPO. Regional Chief Disaster Program Officer
RE. Raiser’s Edge
REACT. Radio Emergency Associated Communications Team
REAP. Real Estate Approval Process
RED. Retain Episodic Donors
REFAM. Real Estate and Fixed Asset Management
RFP. Request for Proposal
RHA. Rapid Health Assessment
**RID. Recognize, Intrusion, Distraction**
NT. RT Networking
ROC. Regional Operations Center
RPA. Response, Planning and Assistance
RR. Relative Risk
RRCC. Regional Response Coordination Center
RRT. Rapid Response Team
RWA. Retained Disability Assistance
RWI. Recreational Water Illnesses
RWTC. Ready When the Time Comes
SA. Service Associate
SABA. Learning Management System (LMS)
SAF. Services to the Armed Forces
SAR. Search and Rescue
**SARC. Syrian Arab Red Cross**
SAS. Shared Administrative Services
SBC. Southern Baptist Convention
SBDR. Southern Baptist Disaster Relief
SCA. Sudden Cardiac Arrest
SCC. State Coordinating Chapter
SCI. Spinal Cord Injuries
SCORM. Sharable Content Object Reference Model
SCREM. Supply Chain and Real Estate Management
SCU. Self-contained Unit
SD. Site Director
SDA. Service Delivery Area; Seventh Day Adventist
SDP. Service Delivery Plan
SD21. Service Delivery for the Twenty-first Century
SERV. Supply Emergency Response Vehicle
SFD. Single Family Dwelling
SFI. Strategic Fundraising Initiative
SH. Sheltering
SIP. Select Investment Program
SLOSH. Sea, Lake, and Overland Surges for Hurricanes
SM. Staff Support
SME. Subject Matter Expert
SMI. Serious Mental Illness
SO. Service Only Case
SOAP. Strategic Opportunity Assessment Project; Subjective, Objective, Assessment, and Plan
SOP. Standard Operating Procedure
SORCE. Select One Red Cross Endowment Fund
SOU. Statement of Understanding
SOF. Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
SPD. Summary Plan Description
SPLASH. Special Program to List Amplitudes of Surges From Hurricanes
SPS. Staff Planning and Support
SR. Staff Relations
SRE. Stamped Reply Envelope
SRP. September 11 Recovery Program
SRT. Spiritual Care Response Team
SRV. Supply Emergency Response Vehicle
SS. Staff Services
SSC. Shared Services Center
SSDA. State Service Delivery Area (“Gap Area”)
SSI. School Safety Initiative
SST. Sport Safety Training
STA. Standardized Assistance
STAART. Strategy Through Applied Analytics and Research
SUP. Supply
SV. Supervisor
SW. Staff Health Services, Staff Wellness
SWIFT. Safe and Well Information Field Team
SWL. Safe and Well Linking
TA. Travel Authority; Team Approach
TARF. Triage and Referral Center
T&M. Travel and Maintenance
TBA. To Be Announced
TBD. To Be Determined
TBI. Traumatic Brain Injury
TD. Tropical Depression
TDD. Telecommunication Device for the Deaf
TH. Temporary (Disaster) Housing
3CS. Call Contact Capture System
TI. Temporarily Inactive
TLD. Training and Leadership Development
TMI. Too Much Information
TO. Table of Organization
TPFDL. Time-Based Field Deployment List
TR. Training
TRA. Transportation Management
TRN. Training
TRP. Tsunami Recovery Program
TS. Tropical Storm
TSA. The Salvation Army; Transportation Safety Administration
TSP. Telecommunications Service Priority
TSS. Transaction Support Specialist
TTY. Teletypewriter
TYS. Teletypewriter Service
TWP. Together We Prepare
UAC. Unaccompanied Children
UC. Unified Command
UCC. United Church of Christ
UCF. Universal Communications Format
UFR. Un-Funded Requirement
U/LES. Unclassified/Law Enforcement Sensitive
UMCOR. United Methodist Committee on Relief
UMVIM. United Methodist Volunteers in Mission
UOM. Unit of Measure
USAR. Urban Search and Rescue
USG. United States Government
USP. United States Pharmacopeia
UTC. Coordinated Universal Time
VAI. Volunteer Administrative Institute
VAL. Voluntary Agency Liaison
VAVS. Veterans Affairs Volunteer Services
V-FIB. Ventricular Fibrillation
VIN. Vehicle Identification Number
VISTA. Volunteers in Service to America
VITA. Volunteers in Technical Assistance
VMS. Volunteer Management System
VOA. Volunteers of America
VOAD. Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster
VOL. Volunteer Staff
VOLAG. Volunteer Organization Liaison Agency
V-TACH. Ventricular Tachycardia
WBT. Web-based Training
WH. Warehousing and Supply
WI. Welfare Information
WIB. Welfare Information Bulletin
WIC. Worker-in-Charge; Women, Infants, and Children
WMD. Weapons of Mass Destruction
WMT. Weapons of Mass Terrorism
WONIG. Where Our Need Is Greatest
WPA. Workforce Planning and Acquisition
WR. World Renew
WSI. Water Safety Instructor
WYMK. What You Must Know
YPM. Yield Per Thousand