1. PURPOSE
	1. This policy establishes abbreviations followed by the [Organization].
2. POLICY
	1. AID: United States Agency for International Development
	2. CIA: United States Central Intelligence Agency
	3. Commerce: United States Department of Commerce
	4. CPSC: United States Consumer Products Safety Commission
	5. DHS: United States Department of Homeland Security
	6. DHHS: Department of Health and Human Services
	7. DOD: United States Department of Defense
	8. DOE: United States Department of Energy
	9. DOJ: United States Department of Justice
	10. DOT: United States Department of Transportation
	11. ED: United States Department of Education
	12. EPA: United States Environmental Protection Agency
	13. FDA: United States Food and Drug Administration
	14. FDR: Canadian Food and Drug Regulations
	15. FERPA: Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
	16. FWA: Federalwide Assurance
	17. GCP: Good Clinical Practice
	18. HDE: Humanitarian Device Exemption
	19. HHS: United States Department of Health and Human Services
	20. HIPAA: Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act\
	21. HRPO: Human Research Protection Office
	22. HRPP: Human Research Protection Program
	23. HUD: Humanitarian Use Device
	24. IAA: IRB Authorization Agreement, also known as a Reliance Agreement
	25. IIA: Independent Investigator Agreement
	26. ICH-GCP: International Council on Harmonization – Good Clinical Practice
	27. IDE: Investigational Device Exemption
	28. IND: Investigational New Drug
	29. IRB: Institutional Review Board
	30. LAR: <Legally Authorized Representative>
	31. NASA: National Aeronautics and Space Administration
	32. NSF: United States National Science Foundation
	33. NSR: Non-significant Risk Device
	34. OHRP: Office of Human Research Protections
	35. OSTP: United States Office of Science Technology and Policy
	36. PIPEDA: Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act
	37. PPRA: Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment
	38. PRIS3M: Partnership in Research Integrity and Subject Safety Submission Module, the Carilion IRB Submission System
	39. REB: Research Ethics Board
	40. SOP: Standard Operating Procedure
	41. SR: <Significant Risk Device>
	42. SSA: United States Social Security Administration
	43. US: United States
	44. USDA: Department of Agriculture
	45. WCG IRB: WIRB Copernicus Group, an independent IRB
	46. VA: Veterans Affairs
3. REFERENCES
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