



Appendix A:

Acronyms

APPENDIX A: ACRONYMS

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| AAHIP | African-American Health Improvement Partnership |
| ACE | Active Community Engagement |
| ACQUIRE | Access, Quality and Use in Reproductive Health |
| AHRQ | Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality |
| ALA | American Lung Association |
| AME | African Methodist Episcopal |
| ATSDR | Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry |
| CAB | community advisory board |
| CAC | community advisory committee |
| CACHÉ | Community Action for Child Health Equity |
| CAN DO | Children And Neighbors Defeat Obesity/la Comunidad Ayudando a los Niños a Derrotar la Obesidad |
| CARE | Community Alliance for Research and Engagement |
| CBO | community-based organization |
| CBPR | community-based participatory research |
| CCAT | community coalition action theory |
| CCB | Community Coalition Board |
| CCHN | Community Child Health Network |

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| CDC | Centers for Disease Control and Prevention |
| CEnR | community-engaged research |
| CHC | Community Health Coalition |
| CHIC | Community Health Improvement Collaborative |
| CTSA | Clinical and Translational Science Awards |
| DCCR | Duke Center for Community Research |
| DCH | Division of Community Health |
| DEPLOY | Diabetes Education & Prevention with a Lifestyle Intervention Offered at the YMCA |
| DPBRN | Dental Practice-Based Research Network |
| DPP | Diabetes Prevention Program |
| HAAF | Healthy African American Families |
| HHP | Hispanic Health Project |
| HOC | Healing of the Canoe |
| HWA | Houston Wellness Association |
| IRB | institutional review board |
| IUSM | Indiana University School of Medicine |
| JABGC | John Avery Boys and Girls Club |
| JHCC | Joyland-Highpoint Community Coalition |
| MOA | memorandum of agreement |

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| MUSC | Medical University of South Carolina |
| MWC | Mayor's Wellness Council |
| NCCU | North Carolina Central University |
| NICHD | National Institute of Child Health and Human Development |
| NIH | National Institutes of Health |
| N-O-T | Not on Tobacco |
| NPU-Y | Neighborhood Planning Unit Y |
| PA | physical activity |
| PBR | practice-based research |
| PBRN | practice-based research network |
| PI | principal investigator |
| PRC | Prevention Research Center |
| RCT | randomized controlled trial |
| SCC | Suquamish Cultural Cooperative |
| SNA | social network analysis |
| SuGAR | Sea Island Genetic African American Registry |
| UCLA | University of California, Los Angeles |