

CASLPO Frequently Used Acronyms

Acronym	Meaning
AAA	American Academy of Audiology
ACSLPA	Alberta College of Speech Language Pathologists and Audiologists
ADP	Assistive Devices Program
ADR	Alternate Dispute Resolution
AHIP	Association of Hearing Instrument Practitioners of Ontario
AHPDF	Allied Health Professional Development Fund
AIT	Agreement on Internal Trade
ASD	Autism Spectrum Disorder
ASHA	American Speech-Language-Hearing Association
AUD	Audiologist
CAA	Canadian Academy of Audiology
CAASPR	Canadian Alliance of Audiologists and Speech Language Pathologists Regulators
CAPD	Central Auditory Processing Disorder
CCO	College of Chiropractors of Ontario
CDA	Communication Disorders Assistant
CDAAC	Communicative Disorders Assistants Association of Canada
CDHO	College of Dental Hygienists of Ontario
CDO	College of Dietitians of Ontario
CDTO	College of Dental Technologists of Ontario
CHS	Canadian Hearing Society
CISG	Canadian Interorganizational Steering Group
CLAC	Continuous Learning Activity Credits
CLEAR	Council of Licensure, Enforcement and Regulation
CMLTO	College of Medical Laboratory Technologists of Ontario
CMO	College of Midwives of Ontario
CMRTO	College of Medical Radiation Technologists of Ontario
CMTO	College of Massage Therapists of Ontario
CNAR	Canadian Network of Agencies for Regulation
CNO	College of Nurses of Ontario
COO	College of Chiropodists of Ontario
COLLEGEOPTOM	College of Optometrists of Ontario
COLLEGEPT	College of Pysiotherapists of Ontario
COPTONT	College of Opticians of Ontario
COTO	College of Occupational Therapists of Ontario
CPO	College of Psychologists of Ontario
CPSO	College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario
CRTO	College of Respiratory Therapists of Ontario
CVO	College of Veterinarians of Ontario

DENTURISTS-CDO	College of Denturists of Ontario
FHRCO	Federation of Health Regulatory Colleges of Ontario
HIP	Hearing Instrument Practitioner
HPARB	Health Professions Appeal and Review Board
HPRAC	Health Professions Review Advisory Council
ICRC	Inquiries, Complaints, and Reports Committee (formerly Complaints Committee)
IPP	Initial Practice Period
IPR	Initial Practice Registrant
LHIN	Local Health Integration Network
MOHLTC	Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care
MRA	Mutual Recognition Agreement
MSHA	Manitoba Speech-Language-Hearing Association
NBASLPA	New Brunswick Association of Speech Language Pathologists and Audiologists
NCSB	National Council of State Boards of SLP & AUD Regulators
NLASLPA	Newfoundland and Labrador Association of Speech Language Pathologists and Audiologists
OAFCCD	Ontario Association for Families of Children with Communication Disorders
OAPAC	Ontario Association of Private Audiology Clinics
OCP	Ontario College of Pharmacists
OCSWSSW	Ontario College of Social Workers and Social Service Workers
OCT	Ontario College of Teachers
OMA	Ontario Medical Association
ORAC	Ontario Regulators for Access Consortium
OSLA	Ontario Association of Speech-Language Pathologists and Audiologists
PA	Peer Assessment/Assessor
PS	Position Statement
PSG	Practise Standards & Guidelines
QA	Quality Assurance
RCDSO	Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario
RHPA	Regulated Health Professions Act
RIFSSSO	Regroupement des intervenants francophones en santé et en services sociaux de l'Ontario
SA	Self Assessment
SAC	Speech-Language and Audiology Canada
SAT	Self Assessment Tool
SCERP	Specified Continuing Education or Remediation Program
SLP	Speech Language Pathologist
WSIB	Workplace Safety & Insurance Board