

List of commonly used acronyms

National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Early Childhood Network

ABS - Australian Bureau of Statistics

ALP - Australian Labor Party

CDEP - Community Development Employment Projects

CDU - Charles Darwin University

CSHISC - Community Services and Health Industry Skills Council

COAG - Council of Australian Governments

DEEWR – Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations

ECEC - Early Childhood Education and Care

ESL - English as a second language

FaHCSIA - Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs

MCASTIA - Ministerial Council for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs

MCEETYA - Ministerial Council on Education, Training, Employment and Youth Affairs

NTER - Northern Territory Emergency Response

PPP- Productivity Places Program

RPL - Recognition of Prior Learning

RTO - Registered Training Organisation

VET - Vocational Education and Training
