## Appendix B. List of Abbreviations and Acronyms Used in *Tracking Healthy People 2010*

A2LC American Association for Laboratory Accreditation
AACP American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy

AADR age-adjusted death rate

AAMC Association of American Medical Colleges

ABCs Active Bacterial Core Surveillance

ABLES Adult Blood Lead Epidemiology and Surveillance

ABR auditory brainstem response

ACASI Audio computer-administered self interview

ACEI angiotensin receptor blockers

ACF Administration for Children and Families

ACIP Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices

ACS American College of Surgeons

ACYF Administration on Children, Youth and Families

ADA American Dental Association

ADLs activities of daily living

ADR Annual Data Report of USRDS

ADR adverse drug reaction

AEDS Alcohol Epidemiologic Data System

AF atrial fibrillation

AFDC Aid to Families with Dependent Children

AFV alternative fuel vehicle
AGI Alan Guttmacher Institute

AHCPR (See AHRQ)

AHRQ Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, formerly

Agency for Health Care Policy and Research (AHCPR)

AHS American Housing Survey

AIDS acquired immunodeficiency syndrome
AIHS American Industrial Hygiene Society
AIRS Aerometric Information Retrieval System

ALR administrative license revocation

APEX/PH Assessment Protocol for Excellence in Public Health

APHL Association of Public Health Laboratories
APNCU Adequacy of Prenatal Care Utilization Index

ArboNet arbovirus surveillance

ARS Agricultural Research Service

AS ambulatory surgeries

ASCII American Standard Code for Information Interchange
ASCLD American Society of Crime Laboratory Directors

ASD Adult Spectrum of Disease Project

ASHP American Society of Health-Systems Pharmacists
ASOII Annual Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses

ASPH Association of Schools of Public Health

ASTDD Association of State and Territorial Dental Directors

ASTDHPPHE Association of State and Territorial Directors of Health

Promotion and Public Health Education

ASTHO Association of State and Territorial Health Officials

ATMC Addressing Tobacco in Managed Care: 1997-98 Health

Plan Survey

ATPM Association of Teachers of Preventive Medicine

ATS Adult Tobacco Survey

ATSDR Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry

AV arteriovenous

AWHP Association for Worksite Health Promotion

BA Bachelor of Arts

BAC blood alcohol concentration

BASE Building Assessment Survey and Evaluation

BDMP Birth Defects Monitoring Program

BEACH Beaches Environmental Assessment and Coastal Health

BHPr Bureau of Health Professions
BJS Bureau of Justice Statistics

BLL blood lead level

BLS Bureau of Labor Statistics
BMD bone mineral density
BMI body mass index

BOC U.S. Bureau of the Census
BPHC Bureau of Primary Health Care

BRFSS Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System

BS Bachelor of Science

BSN Bachelor of Science in Nursing CAH congenital adrenal hyperplasia

CAHPS<sup>(R)</sup> Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and

Systems

CAP College of American Pathologists

CAPI Computer-assisted personal interview

CARD continuous ambulatory peritoneal dialysis

CATI computer-assisted telephone interview

CDC Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

CEPH Council on Education for Public Health

CERCLIS Comprehensive Environmental Response and Cleanup

Liability Information System

CFOI Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries

CFSAN Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition

CGN compressed natural gas

CI cochlear implant

CIDI Composite International Diagnostic Interview
CLIA Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments

CLSS Comprehensive Laboratory Services Survey

CMHS Center for Mental Health Services

CMS Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services, formerly the

Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA)

COCA Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation

COPD chronic obstructive pulmonary disease

COSTART Coding Terms for a Thesaurus of Adverse Reaction

Terms

CPI Consumer Price Index

CPM clinical performance measures
CPOE Computerized Physician Order Entry

CPS Current Population Survey
CPR cardiopulmonary resuscitation
CPR computer-based patient record
CPT Current Procedural Terminology

CPT II Carnitine palmitoyltransferace II deficiency
CPSC Consumer Product Safety Commission
CSAP Center for Substance Abuse Prevention

CSFII Continuing Survey of Food Intakes by Individuals

CSHCN children with special health care needs

CSTE Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists

CT chemical terrorism

CTS Counseling and Testing System (for HIV)

CVM Center for Veterinary Medicine

D&C dilation and curettage
DANS Data Analysis System

DATA2010 Healthy People 2010 Interactive Database

DAWN Drug Abuse Warning Network

DBP diastolic blood pressure

DDE Dichlorodiphenyldichloroethylene

DDS Doctor of Dental Surgery

DDT dichlorodiphenyltrichloroethane

DHHS U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

DHPS Division of Health Promotion Statistics

DIS Diagnostic Interview Schedule

DK don't know

DK/NS don't know/not sure

DMD Doctor of Dental Medicine

DMMS Dialysis Mortality and Morbidity Study

DNA data not analyzed
DNC data not collected
DO Doctor of Osteopathy

DOC U.S. Department of Commerce
DoD U.S. Department of Defense

DOE U.S. Department of Energy
DOI U.S. Department of the Interior
DOJ U.S. Department of Justice
DOL U.S. Department of Labor

DOT U.S. Department of Transportation

DrPH Doctor of Public Health

DSM Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders
DSM-IIIR Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders,

Third Edition, Revised

DSPHPSHWA Directors of Speech and Hearing Programs in State

Health and Welfare Agencies

DSU data statistically unreliable

DTaP diphtheria-tetanus-acellular pertussis

DTP diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis
DVM Doctor of Veterinary Medicine
EAP Employee Assistance Program
ECA Epidemiologic Catchment Area

E-Codes External Causes of Injury codes from the International

Classification of Diseases, 9<sup>th</sup> revision (ICD-9)

ED emergency department

EHDI Early Hearing Detection and Intervention Program

Network

EIS Epidemic Intelligence Service

ELISA enzyme-linked immunoabsorbent assay

EMS emergency medical services
EMT emergency medical technician
EPA Environmental Protection Agency
Epi Centers Tribal Epidemiology Centers

EpiNet Exposure Prevention Information Network

EPO Epidemiology Program Office

EPSDT Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment

Program

ESRD end-stage renal disease

FARS Fatality Analysis Reporting System

FAS fetal alcohol syndrome

FASSNet Fetal Alcohol Syndrome Surveillance Network

FBDO foodborne disease outbreak
FDA Food and Drug Administration
FHWA Federal Highway Administration

FOBT fecal occult blood test

FoodNet Foodborne Disease Active Surveillance Network

FSIS Food Safety and Inspection Service

FSS Food Safety Survey
FTE full time equivalent
FWS Fish and Wildlife Service

GED General Educational Development Certificate

GES General Estimates System
GIS geographic information system

GPRA Government Performance and Results Act

HAART highly active antiretroviral therapy

HAN health alert network

HAP hazardous air pollutants

HAZMAT hazardous materials

HbA<sub>1C</sub> glycosylated hemoglobin

HBsAg hepatitis B surface antigen

HBV hepatitis B virus

HC Household Component of the Medical Expenditure Panel

Survey (MEPS)

HCFA (See CMS)

HCH hexachlorocyclohexane

HCUP Health Care Cost and Utilization Project

HCV hepatitis C virus

HDL high-density lipoprotein

hep B hepatitis B

HHS U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

(alternate abbreviation, see DHHS)

Hib Hæmophilus influenzæ type B

HIMSS Healthcare Information and Management Systems

Society

HIV human immunodeficiency virus

HL7 Health Level 7 (data exchange language)

HMO health maintenance organization

HPLC high performance liquid chromatography

HPV human papillomavirus HRA health risk assessment

HRSA Health Resources and Services Administration

HSI health status indicators
HTML Hypertext Markup Language

HUD U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

HUS hemolytic uremic syndrome

IC Insurance Component of the Medical Expenditure Panel

Survey (MEPS)

ICA International Communication Association

ICD-# International Classification of Diseases - # Revision ICD-# -CM International Classification of Diseases - # Revision -

**Clinical Modification** 

ICF International Classification of Functioning, Disability, and

Health

ICIDH International Classification of Impairments, Disabilities,

and Handicaps

ICU intensive care unit

IHS Indian Health Service

IIF Illnesses, Injuries, and Fatalities Program
IRIS Integrated Risk Information System
IRMA Immediate Response Mobile Analysis

IUD intrauterine device IVA isovaleric academia

JCAHO Joint Commission for the Accreditation of Healthcare

Organizations

JRFC Juveniles in Residential Facilities Census

LBW low birth weight

LCME Liaison Committee on Medical Education

LDL low-density lipoprotein
LHI Leading Health Indicator

LIMS Laboratory Information Management System

LMP last normal menstrual period

LNG liquefied natural gas

LOINC Logical Observation Identifiers Names and Codes

LPG liquefied petroleum gas
LPN Licensed Practical Nurse
LRN laboratory response network
LSD lysergic acid diethylamide

LUST leaking underground storage tank MAC mycobacterium avium complex

MADDSP Metropolitan Atlanta Developmental Disabilities

Surveillance Program

MALDI-TOF matrix-assisted laser disorption/ionization - time of flight

mass spectrometry

MAUDE Manufacturer and User Device Experience Database

MCHB Maternal and Child Health Bureau MCL maximum contaminant level

MCO managed care organization

MD Medical Doctor

MDMA methylenedioxymphetamine (also called "ecstasy")

MEC mobile examination center

MEPS Medical Expenditure Panel Survey

MHSIP Mental Health Statistics Improvement Program

MMA methylmalonic aciduria

MMR measles, mumps, and rubella vaccine

MPC Medical Provider Component of the Medical Expenditure

Panel Survey (MEPS)

MPH Master of Public Health
MSA metropolitan statistical area

MSEHPA Model State Emergency Health Powers Act
MSHA Master of Science in Health Administration

MSPH Master of Science in Public Health

MTBE methyl tertiary butyl ether

MTD mycobacterium tuberculosis direct

MTF Monitoring the Future Study

NA not applicable

NAAL National Assessment of Adult Literacy
NAAQS National Ambient Air Quality Standards

NAAT nucleic acid amplification test

NACCHO National Association of County and City Health Officials
NADCIRAS National Anti-Drug Coalition Institute Registry and Annual

Survey

NAHB National Association of Home Builders
NAMCS National Ambulatory Medical Care Survey

NARMS National Antimicrobial Resistance Monitoring System
NASEMSD National Association of State Emergency Medical

Services (EMS) Directors

NaSH National Surveillance System for Hospital Health Care

Workers

NBDPN National Birth Defects Prevention Network
NCA National Communication Association

NCANDS National Child Abuse and Neglect Data System

NCBDDD National Center on Birth Defects and Developmental

Disabilities

NCCDPHP National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and

Health Promotion

NCEH National Center for Environmental Health
NCHRBS National College Health Risk Behavior Survey

NCHS National Center for Health Statistics

NCHSTP National Center for HIV, STD, and TB Prevention

NCI National Cancer Institute

NCID National Center for Infectious Diseases
NCQA National Committee for Quality Assurance

NCS National Comorbidity Survey

NCS-R National Comorbidity Survey - Replication

NCSD National Coalition of STD Directors

NCSL National Conference of State Legislators

NCUTLO National Committee on Uniform Traffic Laws and

Ordinances

NCVS National Crime Victimization Survey

NEI National Emissions Inventory, formerly the National Toxic

Release Inventory (TRI)

NEISS National Electronic Injury Surveillance System
NELAC National Environmental Laboratory Accreditation

Conference

NEMSIS National Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Information

System

NERVSS National Enteric Respiratory Virus Surveillance System

NESARC National Epidemiologic Survey on Alcohol and Related

Conditions

NETSS National Electronic Telecommunications System for

Surveillance

NFNS National Food and Nutrition Survey

NFP natural family planning

NHAMCS National Hospital Ambulatory Medical Care Survey
NHANES National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey

NHDS National Hospital Discharge Survey

NHES National Household Education Surveys Program

NHIS National Health Interview Survey

NHSDA (See NSDUH)

NHTS National Household Travel Survey, formerly the National

Personal Transportation Survey (NPTS)

NHTSA National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
NIAAA National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism

NIDA National Institute on Drug Abuse

NIDDK National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney

**Diseases** 

NIEHS National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences

NIH National Institutes of Health
NIHL noise-induced hearing loss

NIMH National Institute of Mental Health

NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NIP National Immunization Program
NIS National Immunization Survey

NIS National Inpatient Sample of the Health Care Cost and

Utilization Project (HCUP)

NIST National Institute of Standards and Technology
NLAES National Longitudinal Alcohol Epidemiologic Survey

NLN National League of Nursing

NLTN National Laboratory Training Network

NNDSS National Notifiable Disease Surveillance System

NNHS National Nursing Home Survey

NNIS National Nosocomial Infections Surveillance System

NOPUS National Occupant Protection Use Survey

NP Nurse Practitioner

NPCR National Program of Cancer Registries

NPHPSP National Public Health Performance Standards Program

NPL National Priorities List

NPLHD National Profile of Local Health Departments

NPTS (See NHTS)

NRC Natural Resource Council

NRMI-4 National Registry of Miocardial Infarction

NS not sure

NSAM National Survey of Adolescent Males

NSDUH National Survey on Drug Use and Health, formerly the

National Household Survey on Drug Abuse (NHSDA)

NSECH National Survey of Early Childhood Health

NSFG National Survey of Family Growth

NSHCN National Survey of Children with Special Health Care

Needs

NSSP National Shellfish Sanitation Program

NSSPM National Surveillance System for Pneumoconiosis

Mortality

NSSRN National Survey Sample of Registered Nurses

NTD neural tube defect

NVSS National Vital Statistics System

NVSS-M National Vital Statistics System -- Mortality
NVSS-N National Vital Statistics System -- Natality
NWHPS National Worksite Health Promotion Survey

NYTS National Youth Tobacco Survey

OAE otoacoustic emissions

OAEHP Office of Analysis, Epidemiology, and Health Promotion

OAQ Office on Air Quality

OAR Office of Air and Radiation
OAS Office of Applied Studies

ODPHP Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion

OMB Office of Management and Budget
ONDCP Office of National Drug Control Policy

OP another (or other) provider
OPA Office of Population Affairs
OPD outpatient department

OPDRA Office of Postmarketing Drug Risk Assessment

OPHS Office of Public Health and Science

OPTN Organ Transplant and Procurement Network

OPV oral polio vaccine

OSH Office on Smoking and Health

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration
OSWER Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response

OTC over-the-counter
PAR police accident report

PATCH Planned Approach to Community Health

PATH Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness

PCB polychlorinated biphenyl
PCC Poison Control Center
PCI percutaneous intervention

PCP pneumocystis carinii pneumonia

PCP phencyclidine

PCR polymerase chain reaction

PCV pneumococcal conjugate vaccine

PE physical education

PedNSS Pediatric Nutrition Surveillance System

PFGE pulsed field gel electrophoresis
PHCS Public Health Competencies Survey

PhD Doctor of Philosophy

PHF potentially hazardous food

PHPPO Public Health Practice Program Office

PID pelvic inflammatory disease

PKU phenylketonuria PL# Public Law #

PNSS Pregnancy Nutrition Surveillance System

POS point-of-service
PPA propionic academia

PPO preferred provider organization

PRAMS Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System
PRC provider record check (in the National Immunization

Survey)

PRMS Annual Patient Registration Management System

PSU primary sampling unit

PulseNet National Molecular Subtyping Network for Foodborne

Disease Surveillance

PWSS Potable Water Surveillance System

QED Quality Education Data

RAAS renin-angiotensin-aldosterone system

RBC red blood cell

RCRA Resource Conservation and Recovery Act

RCRIS Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Information

System

RFA Rapid Flow Analyzer
RN Registered Nurse
RSE relative standard error

R<sub>X</sub> prescription

SAE small area estimation

SAMHSA Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services

Administration

SAF Standard Analytic Files

SAPT Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block

Grants

SARS severe acute respiratory syndrome SASD State ambulatory surgery databases

SBA spina bifida and anencephaly

SBP systolic blood pressure

SDWIS Safe Drinking Water Information System
SEER Surveillance, Epidemiology, and End Results

SEMARNAP Secretary for the Environment, Natural Resources, and

Fisheries of Mexico

SES socioeconomic status

SHEPS School Health Education Profiles

SHPPS School Health Policies and Programs Study

SIC standard industrial classification
SIDS sudden infant death syndrome

SIPP Survey of Income and Program Participation

SMI serious mental illness

SNOMED Systematized Nomenclature of Medicine

SOFT Society of Forensic Toxicologists

SOII Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses

SPF sun protective factor

SPHL State Public Health Laboratory
SSI supplementary security income

STATE State Tobacco Activities Tracking and Evaluation System

STD sexually transmitted disease STDSS STD Surveillance System

TAT turnaround time
TB tuberculosis

TEDS Treatment Episodes Data System
TESS Toxic Exposure Surveillance System

TRF time-resolved florescence

TRI (See NEI)

TRY I tyrosinemia type I
TRY II tyrosinemia type II

TSDF treatment, storage, and disposal facilities

TST tuberculin skin testing

TT text telephone

TTD teletype for the deaf
TTY TeleTYpewriter

TV television UA urban area

UDS Uniform Data System
UFDS Uniform Facility Data Set

UNOS United Network for Organ Sharing

URS Uniform Reporting System
USDA U.S. Department of Agriculture

USGS U.S. Geological Survey
USRDS U.S. Renal Data System
UST underground storage tank

VA U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs VBAC vaginal birth after previous cesarian

VAERS Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System

VAPP vaccine-associated paralytic polio

VLBW very low birth weight

VLDL Very low density lipoprotein VOCs volatile organic compounds VSD Vaccine Safety Datalink

WFRS Water Fluoridation Reporting System

WHO World Health Organization

WIC Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women,

Infants, and Children

Work-RISQS Work-Related Injury Statistics Query System YRBSS Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System

YHL Years of Healthy Life