## appendix I: acronym list

## **Abbreviations and Acronyms**

ACF	Administration	for Children	and	Families
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- ACIP.....Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices
- ASH ..... Assistant Secretary for Health
- ASPA.....Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs
- ASPHEP.....Assistant Secretary for Public Health Emergency Preparedness
- ASTHO.....Association of State and Territorial Health Officials
- CDC.....Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
- CONOPS.....Concept of Operations
- DHS.....Department of Homeland Security
- DoD.....Department of Defense
- EOC ..... Emergency Operations Center
- ESF.....Emergency Support Function
- FDA .....Food and Drug Administration
- FEMA.....Federal Emergency Management Agency
- FMCS.....Federal Medical Contingency Stations
- HA.....hemagglutinin (a protein on the surface of the influenza virus)
- HHS .....Department of Health and Human Services
- HRSA .....Health Resources and Services Administration
- HSPD ......Homeland Security Presidential Directive
- ICS.....Incident Command System
- IIMG .....Interagency Incident Management Group
- ILI .....influenza-like-illness
- IOM.....Institute of Medicine
- NA.....neuraminidase (a protein on the surface of the influenza virus)
- NI .....neuraminidase inhibitors

- NIC.....National Influenza Center
- NIH .....National Institutes of Health
- NDMS.....National Disaster Medical System
- NIMS .....National Incident Management System
- NRP.....National Response Plan
- NVAC.....National Vaccine Advisory Committee
- NVPO/HHS.....National Vaccine Program Office, Department of Health and Human Services
- OPHEP/HHS .....Office of Public Health Emergency Preparedness, Department of Health and Human Services
- OGHA/HHS .....Office of Global Health Affairs, Department of Health and Human Services
- OIGA/HHS .....Office of Intergovernmental Affairs, Department of Health and Human Services
- PHS .....Public Health Service
- PPE.....Personal Protective Equipment
- R&D .....Research and Development
- SARS.....Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome
- USAID.....U.S. Agency for International Development
- USDA .....U.S. Department of Agriculture
- VRBPAC .....Vaccine and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee
- WHO.....World Health Organization