

## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS USED IN HOW TO CHILD RIGHTS GUIDANCES, TOOLS, AND CASE STUDIES

ACRWC	African Charter on the Rights and Welfare of the Child
ACERWC	African Committee of Experts on the Rights and the Welfare of the Child
ACHPR	African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights or African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights
ADRC	UN Human Rights Council's Annual Day on the Rights of the Child
CEDAW	UN Convention on the elimination of all forms of discrimination against women
CHRD(s)	Child Human Rights Defender(s)
CRC	Convention on the Rights of the Child
CRC Committee	Committee on the Rights of the Child
CRIA	Child Rights Impact Assessment
CRPD	Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities
CRPD Committee	Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities
CSO(s)	Civil Society Organisation(s)
DESA	Department of Economic and Social Affairs
DGD	Day of General Discussion
ECOSOC	UN Economic and Social Council
ENOC	European Network of Ombudspersons for Children
EOSG	Executive Office of the Secretary-General
GC	General Comment
HLPF	High Level Political Forum
HRC	United Nation's Human Rights Council
ICCPR	International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights
KII	Key Informant Interview
LAC	Latin America and the Caribbean
LOIPR	List of Issues Prior to Reporting (in relation to the Committee on the Rights of the Child Simplified Reporting Procedure)
Maputo Protocol	Protocol to the African Charter on human and Peoples' Rights on the rights of Women in Africa
MDGs	Millennium Development Goals
MEAL	Monitoring, Evaluation and Learning
MGCY	United Nations Major Group for Children and Youth
MGoS	Major Groups and other Stakeholders
MoU	Memorandum of Understanding
NGO(s)	Non-governmental organisations
NHRI	National Human Rights Institution

NMRF	National Mechanism for Reporting and Follow-up
OHCHR	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights
OPAC	Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the involvement of children in armed conflict
OPIC	Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on a communications procedure
OPSC	Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography
OSRSG-CAAC	Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Children Affected by Armed Conflict
OSRSG-VAC	Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Violence Against Children
REDNNYAS	Latin American Regional Network of Girls, Boys and Teenagers
SDG(s)	Sustainable Development Goals
SG	United Nations Secretary-General
SIDA	Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency
SRP	Simplified Reporting Procedure (for the Committee on the Rights of the Child)
SRSG CAAC	United Nations Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Children Affected By Armed Conflict
SRSG	VAC United Nations Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Violence Against Children
TB	Treaty bodies
UN	United Nations
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UNGA	United Nations General Assembly
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
UNOG	United Nations Office at Geneva
UNSC	United Nations Security Council
UPR	Universal Periodic Review
VNR(s)	Voluntary National Review(s)