

# Abbreviations and their meanings

AACN = American Association of Colleges of Nursing

<http://www.aacn.nche.edu/accreditation/>

CCNE = Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education

<http://www.aacn.nche.edu/accreditation/>

CNAK = The Council for Nursing Articulation in Kansas

<http://www.ksbn.org/cne/NursingArticulation.pdf>

COA = Council on Accreditation

<http://www.coastandards.org/>

FQR = Faculty Qualification Report

KACN = Kansas Association of Colleges of Nursing – Bachelor’s and Graduate/Post-Graduate  
Nursing Programs

KBOR = Kansas Board of Regents

<http://www.kansasregents.org/>

KCADNE = Kansas Council of Associate Degree Nursing Educators – Associate Degree  
Nursing Programs

KCPNE = Kansas Council of Practical Nursing Educators - Practical Nursing Programs

KHA = Kansas Hospital Association

<http://www.kha-net.org/>

KNAP = Kansas Nurses Assistance Program

<http://www.ksbn.org/knap.htm>

KNEP = Kansas Committee of Nursing Education & Practice

<http://www.konl.org/KNEPCommission/>

KONL = Kansas Organization of Nursing Leaders

<http://www.konl.org/>

KSBN = Kansas State Board of Nursing

<http://www.ksbn.org/>

KSNA = Kansas State Nurses Association

<http://www.nursingworld.org/SNAS/KS/Index.htm>

NCSBN = National Council of State Boards of Nursing

<https://www.ncsbn.org/index.htm>

NLNAC = National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission, Inc.

<http://www.nlnac.org/manuals/Manual2008.htm>

TEA = Technical Education Authority

[http://www.kansasregents.org/t\\_e\\_a](http://www.kansasregents.org/t_e_a)

Tri Council = composed of KACNE, KCADNE & KCPNE representatives