

## Acronyms Used in the Book

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| ABC   | Asthma Basics for Children Initiative                      |
| CARE  | Care Coordination, Advocacy, Reconnaissance, and Education |
| CBO   | community-based organization                               |
| CBPR  | Community Based Participatory Research                     |
| CDC   | Centers for Disease Control                                |
| CDM   | College of Dental Medicine                                 |
| CHP   | Child Health Plus  |
| CHW   | community health worker                                    |
| CSAT  | Center for Substance Abuse Treatment                       |
| CUMC  | Columbia University Medical Center                         |
| DOHMH | Department of Health and Mental Hygiene                    |
| FQHC  | Federally Qualified Health Center                          |
| GNHYA | Greater New York Hospital Association                      |
| HITE  | Health Information Tool for Empowerment                    |
| HP/DP | Health Promotion and Disease Prevention                    |
| HUD   | Housing and Urban Development                              |
| NMCVC | Northern Manhattan Community Voices Collaborative          |
| NMIC  | Northern Manhattan Improvement Corporation                 |
| NMIP  | Northern Manhattan Immunization Partnership                |
| NMMHC | Northern Manhattan Mental Health Council                   |
| NYPH  | New York Presbyterian Hospital                             |

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| OASAS    | Office of Alcohol and Substance Abuse Services                          |
| PACE     | Physician Asthma Care Education Program                                 |
| PCDC     | Primary Care Development Corporation                                    |
| SASA     | Salud a Su Alcance  |
| SASA–DMP | Salud a Su Alcance Diabetes Management Program                          |
| SASA–PAP | Salud a Su Alcance Pharmacy Assistance Program                          |
| SNP      | Special Needs Plan  |
| TBC      | Target Behavioral Care  |
| WEP      | Welfare Employment Program  |
| WH/I     | Washington Heights/Inwood   |
| WIC      | Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children |