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Term	Definition
APC	All Progressives Congress party
AVRR-IOM	Assisted Voluntary Return and Reintegration programme by the International Organisation for Migration (IOM)
BMZ	German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (<i>Bundesministerium für wirtschaftliche Zusammenarbeit und Entwicklung</i>)
BRGIE	Biafra Republic Government in Exile
CAT	International Convention against Torture and Other Cruel Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment
CCPR	International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights
CCPR-OP2-DP	Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights
CEDAW	International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women
CERD	International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination
CRC	International Convention on the Rights of the Child
CRPD	International Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities
ECOWAS	Economic Community of West African States

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ESN	Eastern Security Network
ETAHT	Edo State Task Force Against Human Trafficking
FCT	Federal Capital Territory
FEWS NET	Famine Early Warning Systems Network
FGM/C	Female Genital Mutilation/Cutting
GHI	Global Hunger Index
GIZ	German Society for International Cooperation (<i>Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit</i>)
IDPs	Internally Displaced Persons
ILGA	International Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans and Intersex Association
ILO	International Labour Organization
IPOB	Indigenous People of Biafra
ISWAP	Islamic State West Africa Province
JAS	Jama'tu Ahlis Sunna Lidda'awati wal-Jihad
<i>Juju</i>	A term commonly used to describe a spiritual belief system that involves the use of objects like amulets and the casting of spells ^{1}
LGA	Local Government Area
LGBTIQ	Lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, intersex and queer (persons)
MPRR-SSA	Migrant Protection, Return and Reintegration Programme for Sub-Saharan Africa funded by the European Union (EU)

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NACTAL	Network of Civil Society Organisations Against Child Trafficking, Abuse and Labour
NAPTIP	National Agency for the Prohibition of Trafficking in Persons
NHRC	National Human Rights Commission
NCFRMI	National Commission for Refugees, Migrants, and Internally Displaced Persons
NIS	Nigerian Immigration Service
NPF	Nigeria Police Force
ORFA	Observatory for Religious Freedom in Africa
PDP	People's Democratic Party
SAM	Severe acute malnutrition
SARC	Sexual Assault Referral Centres
SGBV	Sexual and gender-based violence
SOP	Guidelines for Facilitating the Safe, Dignified and Voluntary Return, Readmission and Reintegration of Migrants in Nigeria Standard Operating Procedures
THB	Trafficking in Human Beings
VAPP Act	Violence Against Persons (Prohibition) Act
WOCON	Women's Consortium of Nigeria

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