Abbreviations

AJ&K: Azad Jammu and Kashmir province, or, for short, Azad Kashmir

- BHU: Basic Health Unit
- CDM Smith: Camp, Dresser & McKee Smith
- DRR: disaster risk reduction
- ERRA: Earthquake Reconstruction and Rehabilitation Authority
- IAK: Indian Administered Kashmir
- ISAF: International Security Assistance Force
- KP: Khyber Pakhtunkhwa province
- LOC: Line of Control
- NATO: North Atlantic Treaty Organization
- NESPAK: National Engineering Services Pakistan
- NGO: nongovernment organization
- PAK: Pakistan Administered Kashmir
- PERRA: Provincial Earthquake Reconstruction and Rehabilitation Authority (for province of KP)
- PERRP: Pakistan Earthquake Reconstruction and Recovery Project
- PTC: Parent Teacher Council
- SERRA: State Earthquake Reconstruction and Rehabilitation Authority (for the state of AJ&K)
- SMC: School Management Committee
- UN: United Nations
- UNOCHA: United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs
- USAID: United States Agency for International Development