

## River Valley Child Development Services

### Frequently Used Terminology List

#### Common Acronyms

ACDS: Apprenticeship for Child Development Specialist

BTT: Birth to Three

CCR&R: Child Care Resource and Referral

CIB: Criminal Investigation Bureau/ Background Check

CPS: Child Protective Services

FCCFP: Family Child Care Food Program

NAEYC: National Association for the Education of Young Children

RAU: Regional Administrative Unit (WV Birth to Three)

RV CARES: River Valley Center for Addiction Research, Education and Support

SAC: School Age Connections

STARS: State Training and Registry System

TCR: Training Connections and Resources

WVBTT: West Virginia Birth to Three

WVECTCR: West Virginia Early Childhood Training Connections and Resources.

WVDHHR: West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources

#### Helpful Terminology

Say	Avoid
Child care provider	Babysitter
Special need	Handicap
Children	Kids
Baby born affected by drugs	Drug addicted baby
Child care	Day care
Mother struggling with addiction	Addicted mother
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