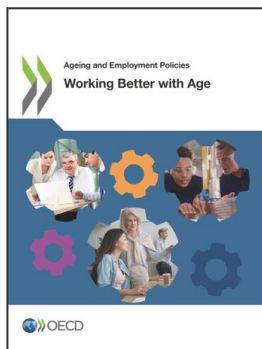


# Acronyms and abbreviations

AARP	American Association of Retired Persons
ALMPs	Active Labour Market Policies
APL	Accreditation of Prior Learning
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
EU	European Union
EU-OSHA	European Agency for Safety and Health at Work
EUR	Euro
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GPEC	Gestion prévisionnelle de l'emploi et des compétences
HR	Human Resources
ICT	Information and Communication Technology
INO	New Opportunities Initiative
MHLW	Japanese Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare
NEET	Neither in Employment nor in Education and Training
NIACE	National Institute of Adult Continuing Education
PIAAC	OECD Survey of Adult Skills (Programme for the International Assessment of Adult Competencies)
SMEs	Small and Medium-sized Enterprises
TIOW	Targeted Initiative for Older Workers programme
TRIPs	Transition-To-Retirement Pensions
UI	Unemployment Insurance
VET	Vocational Education and Training



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