

Glossary of abbreviations

| Abbreviation | Full Form |
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| AC | Abstract Contingent |
| AER | Adverse Event Rate |
| AERB | Atomic Energy Radiation Board |
| ALoS | Average Length of Stay |
| ALS | Advance Life Support |
| AMC | Annual Maintenance Contract |
| ANC | Antenatal Care |
| ANM | Auxiliary Nurse Midwifery |
| ART | Anti-Retroviral Therapy |
| ARV | Anti-Rabies Vaccine |
| BCG | Bacille Calmette-Guerin |
| BE | Budget Estimate |
| BIS | Beneficiaries Identification System |
| BLS | Basic Life Support |
| BMW | Bio-Medical Waste |
| BOR | Bed Occupancy Rate |
| BPL | Below Poverty Line |
| BTR | Bed Turnover Rate |
| CADA | Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Infrastructure |
| CBCDR | Community based Child Death Review |
| CBMWTF | Common Bio-Medical Waste Treatment Facility |
| C-DAC | Centre for Development of Advanced Computing |
| CDR | Child Death Review |
| CHC | Community Health Centre |
| CHD | Coronary Heart Disease |
| CHO | Community Health Officer |
| CMC | Comprehensive Maintenance Contract |
| CMO | Chief Medical Officer |
| CQCC | Centre Quality Control Cell |
| C-Section | Caesarean section |
| CSR | Corporate Social Responsibility |
| CT scan | Computed Tomography scan |
| DBOT | Design Build Operate and Transfer |
| DC | Detailed Contingent |
| DCDRC | District Child Death Review Committee |
| DDC | Drug De-addiction Centre |
| DDO | Drawing and Disbursing Officer |
| DEIC | District Early Intervention Centre |
| DGR&PG | Department of Governance Reforms and Public Grievances |
| DH | District Hospital |

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| DH&FW | Department of Health and Family Welfare |
| DHR | Department of Health Research |
| DHS | Director, Health Services |
| DHS | District Health Society |
| DI | Drug Inspector |
| DMC | Deputy Medical Commissioner |
| DNIT | Detailed Notice Inviting Tender |
| DNO | District Nodal Officer |
| DR | Discharge Rate |
| DRC | Drug Rehabilitation Centre |
| DMER | Department of Medical Education and Research |
| DVDMS | Drugs and Vaccine Distribution Management System |
| DWHs | Drug Warehouses |
| EC | Empowered Committee |
| EDL | Essential Drug List |
| ENT | Ear Nose and Throat |
| EQA | External Quality Assurance |
| ETP | Effluent Treatment Plant |
| FBCDR | Facility Based Child Death Review |
| FDA | Food and Drug Administration |
| GMC | Government Medical College |
| GMCH | Government Medical College and Hospital |
| GoI | Government of India |
| GoP | Government of Punjab |
| GSDP | Gross State Domestic Product |
| GST | Goods and Services Tax |
| HCFs | Health Care Facilities |
| HDN | Hemorrhagic Disease of the Newborn |
| HICC | Hospital Infection Control Committee |
| HRP | High Risk Pregnancy |
| HSG | Hysterosalpingography |
| HVAC | Heating Ventilation and Air Conditioning |
| HWC | Health and Wellness Centre |
| ICCU | Intensive Coronary Care Unit |
| ICTC | Integrated Counselling and Testing Centre |
| ICU | Intensive Care Unit |
| IEC | Information Education and Communication |
| IFA | Iron and Folic Acid |
| IMR | Infant Mortality Rate |
| INC | Intensive Neonatal Care |
| IPD | In-Patient Department |
| IPHS | Indian Public Health Standards |

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| IUD | Intrauterine Foetal Death |
| IVP | Intravenous pyelogram |
| JSSK | Janani Shishu Suraksha Karyakram |
| KMC | Kangaroo Mother Care |
| LAMA | Leave Against Medical Advice |
| LD | Liquidated Damages |
| LHV | Lady Health Visitor |
| LMO | Liquid Medical Oxygen |
| LT | Lab Technician |
| MCI | Medical Council of India |
| MDDC | Model Drug De-addiction Centre |
| MDR | Maternal Death Review |
| MHT | Mobile Health Team |
| MMPCRK | Mukh Mantri Punjab Cancer Rahat Kosh |
| MMR | Maternal Mortality Rate |
| MNH | Maternal and Newborn Health |
| MoH&FW | Ministry of Health and Family Welfare |
| MoU | Memorandum of Understanding |
| MPW | Multi-Purpose Worker |
| MRI | Magnetic Resonance Imaging |
| MRU | Multi-Disciplinary Research Unit |
| NABL | National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories |
| NFHS | National Family Health Survey |
| NHM | National Health Mission |
| NHP | National Health Policy |
| NICU | Neonatal Intensive Care Unit |
| NMC | National Medical Commission |
| NNMR | Neonatal Mortality Rate |
| NOC | No Objection Certificate |
| NOSQ | Not of Standard Quality |
| NOTP | National Organ Transplant Programme |
| NPCDCS | National Programme for Prevention and Control of Cancer, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Stroke |
| NPPMBI | National Programme for Prevention and Management of Burn Injuries |
| NRHM | National Rural Health Mission |
| NUHM | National Urban Health Mission |
| NVD | Normal Vaginal Delivery |
| NVP | Nevirapine |
| OPD | Out-Patient Department |
| OPV | Oral Polio Vaccine |
| OT | Operation Theatre |
| PESO | Petroleum and Explosive Safety Organisation |

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| PHC | Primary Health Centre |
| PHSC | Punjab Health Systems Corporation |
| PIP | Programme Implementation Plan |
| PLR | Prime Lending Rate |
| PMSSY | Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana |
| PNC | Post Natal Care |
| PNS | Punjab Nirogi Society |
| PPCB | Punjab Pollution Control Board |
| PPSWOR | Probability Proportional to Size Without Replacement |
| PSeGS | Punjab State e-Governance Society |
| PSPCL | Punjab State Power Corporation Limited |
| PSS | Patient Satisfaction Score |
| PW | Pregnant Women |
| PWD | Public Works Department |
| RBSK | Rashtriya Bal Swasthya Karyakaram |
| RC | Rate Contract |
| RCH | Reproductive and Child Health |
| RDS | Respiratory Distress Syndrome |
| RE | Revised Estimate |
| RH | Rajindra Hospital |
| RHD | Rheumatic Heart Disease |
| RKS | Rogi Kalyan Samiti |
| RMNCH+A | Reproductive-Maternal-Neonatal Child and Adolescent health |
| ROR | Referral Out Rate |
| SC | Subcentre |
| SDG | Sustainable Development Goal |
| SDGCC | Sustainable Development Goal Coordination Centre |
| SDH | Sub-Divisional Hospital |
| SDRF | State Disaster Response Fund |
| SHA | State Health Agency |
| SHS | State Health Society |
| SIF | State Indicator Framework |
| SMO/MO | Senior Medical Officer/Medical Officer |
| SN | Staff Nurse |
| SNCU | Special Newborn Care Unit |
| SOP | Standard Operating Procedure |
| SOTTO | State Organ and Tissue Transplant Organisation |
| SSIP | State Programme Implementation Plan |
| SPMSU | State Programme Management Support Unit |
| TCCC | Tertiary Cancer Care Centre |
| TFR | Total Fertility Rate |
| TMS | Transaction Management System |

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| TT | Tetanus Toxoid |
| U5MR | Under 5 Mortality Rate |
| UCs | Utilisation Certificates |
| UNDP | United Nations Development Programme |
| UNAIDS | United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS |
| VAT | Value Added Tax |
| VHSNC | Village Health Sanitation and Nutrition Committee |
| VKDB | Vitamin K Deficiency Bleeding |
| WHO | World Health Organisation |

