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ABBREVIATIONS

ASU	Ayurveda, Siddha and Unani	ISM&H	Indian System of Medicine and Homoeopathy
AYUSH	Ayurveda, Yoga & Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha & Homoeopathy	LEB	Life Expectancy at Birth
CBR	Crude Birth Rate	MDNIY	Morarji Desai National Institute of Yoga
CCIM	Central Council of Indian Medicine	MMR	Maternal Mortality Ratio
CCH	Central Council of Homoeopathy	MOHFW	Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
CCRAS	Central Council of Research in Ayurveda and Siddha	NIA	National Institute of Ayurveda
CCRH	Central Council of Research in Homoeopathy	NIH	National Institute of Homoeopathy
CCRUM	Central Council of Research in Unani Medicine	NIN	National Institute of Naturopathy
CCRYN	Central Council of Research in Yoga and Naturopathy	NIS	National Institute of Siddha
CDR	Crude Death Rate	NIUM	National Institute of Unani Medicine
CGHS	Central Government Health Scheme	NMPB	National Medicinal Plants Board
CHC	Community Health Centre	NRHM	National Rural Health Mission
DCC	Drug Control Cell	NFHS	National Family Health Survey
DGHS	Director General of Health Services	NSSO	National Sample Survey Organization
DH	District Hospital	P&E	Planning & Evaluation Division
Disp.	Dispensary	PG	Post Graduate
ESI	Employee State Insurance	PHC	Primary Health Centre
GOI	Government of India	PLIM	Pharmacopoeial Laboratory of Indian Medicine
GMP	Good Manufacturing Practices	RAV	Rashtriya Ayurved Vidyapeeth
Govt.	Government	RGI	Registrar General of India
Hosp.	Hospital	RHS	Rural Health Statistics
HPL	Homoeopathic Pharmacopoeial Laboratory	SRS	Sample Registration System
IMR	Infant Mortality Rate	TFR	Total Fertility Rate
IPGTRA	Institute for Post Graduate Teaching and Research in Ayurveda	UG	Under Graduate
ISM	Indian System of Medicine	UT	Union Territory
FRLHT	Foundation for Revitalization Local Health Traditions		