ABBREVIATIONS

ANM : Auxiliary Nurse Midwife
BCG : Bacille Calmette Guerin
BDS : Bachelor of Dental Surgery
B.Pharm : Bachelor of Pharmacy
CBR : Community Based Rehabilitation
CC : Case Control
CHP : Comprehensive Health Planning
CIS : Common Wealth of Independent States
DHS : Directorate of Health Service
DMO : District Medical Officer
DPT : Diphtheria Pertussis Tetanus
DT : Diphtheria Tetanus
EPI : Expanded Programme on Immunisation
FP : Family Planning
GNP : Gross National Product
HDC : Hospital Development Committee
IPD : In-Patient Department
IUD : Intrauterine Contraceptive Device
KM : Kilo Meter
MBBS : Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery
MCH : Maternity and Child Health (or Mother and Child Health)
MO : Medical Officer
NGO : Non-Governmental Organisation
NHP : National Health Policy
NSS : National Service Scheme
OP : Oral Pills
OPD : Out-Patient Department
PHC : Primary Health Centre
PPU : Post Partum Unit
PRACHAR : Programme for Rural Awareness in Community Health and Rehabilitation
SC : Scheduled Caste
SEARO : South East Asian Regional Office
ST : Scheduled Tribe
TB : Tuberculosis
TT : Tetanus Toxoid
TUB : Tubectomy
UK : United Kingdom
UNICEF : United Nation's International Children's Emergency Fund
UNO : United Nation's Organisation
US : United States
USSR : Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
VAS : Vasectomy
VD : Venera! Diseases
WHO : World Health Organisation