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List of abbreviations

AIDS	Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome
ART	Assisted Reproductive Technique
cAMP	cyclic Adenosine Monophosphate
CC	Clomiphene Citrate
CKD	Chronic Kidney Disease
COH	Controlled Ovulation Hyperstimulation
CRF	Chronic Renal Failure
CsA	Cyclosporin A
CYC	Cyclophosphamide
DVT	Deep Venous Thrombosis
E2	Estrogen
ESRD	End-Stage Renal Disease
FDA	Food and Drugs Administration
FSH	Follicular Stimulating Hormone
GIFT	Gamete Intrafallopian Transfer
GnRH	Gonadotropin-Releasing Hormone
HBV	Hepatitis B Virus

HCV	Hepatitis C Virus
HLA	Human Leucocytic Antigen
HTN	Hypertension
HPO axis	Hypothalamic Pituitary Ovarian Axis
IBD	Irritable Bowel Syndrome
IgG	Immunoglobulin G
K/DOQI	Kidney Disease Outcomes Quality Initiative
LH	Luteinizing Hormone
MHC	Major Histocompatibility Complex
MMF	Mycophenolate mofetil
MP	mercaptopurine
NK	Natural Killer cells
OHSS	Ovarian Hyperstimulation Syndrome
P	Progesterone
PCOS	Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome
POF	Premature Ovarian Failure
PRL	Prolactin
RRT	Renal Replacement Therapy

RTR	Renal Transplant Recipient
SHBG	Sex Hormone-Binding Globulin
SLE	Systemic Lupus Erythematosus
TOR	Target Of Rapamycin
USPSTF	U.S. Preventive Services Task Force
USRDS	United States Renal Data System
VEGF	Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor
ZIFT	Zygote Intrafallopian Transfer

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