

ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

A

ACD: allergic contact dermatitis
 ADP: adenosine diphosphate
 AIDS: acquired immunodeficiency syndrome
 AMP: adenosine monophosphate
 ART: automated reagent test
 ATP: adenosine triphosphate
 ATPase: adenosinetriphosphatase

B

BAL: British anti-Lewisite
 BB: borderline borderline leprosy
 BCG: Bacille bilié de Calmette-Guérin
 BHA: butylated hydroxyanisole
 BI: bacterial index
 BL: borderline lepromatous leprosy
 BT: borderline tuberculoid leprosy

C

CDC: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
 CNS: central nervous system
 CSD: cuprozinc-superoxide dismutase

D

2,4-D: 2,4-dichlorophenoxyacetic acid
 DADS: diaminodiphenylsulfone
 DAS: diacetoxyscirpenol
 DDT: dichlorodiphenyltrichloroethane
 DEET: diethyltoluamide
 DF5-HT: deoxyfructo-5-hydroxytryptamine
 DIC: disseminated intravascular coagulation
 DMG: dimethylglyoxime
 DMSO: dimethyl sulfoxide
 DNA: deoxyribonucleic acid
 DON: dioxynivalenol

E

ECM: erythema chronicum migrans; also called erythema migrans
 ELISA: enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay
 EMLA: eutectic mixture of local anesthetic

F

FTA-ABS: fluorescent treponemal antibody absorption
 FTA-ABS DS: fluorescent treponemal antibody absorption double-staining

G

G6PD: glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase

H

HATTS: hemagglutination treponemal test for syphilis
 HIV: human immunodeficiency virus
 HLA-DR: human lymphocyte antigens-D-group related
 HPV: human papillomavirus
 HSV: herpes simplex virus
 HSV-1: herpes simplex virus type 1

I

ICAM-1: intercellular adhesion molecule-1
 ICD: Institute for Chemical Defense
 IFN- γ : gamma interferon
 Ig: immunoglobulin
 IL: interleukin
 IPPD: isopropyl-*p*-phenylenediamine
 IV: intravenous

L

LAM: lipoarabinomannan
 LLp: lepromatous lepromatous polar leprosy
 LLs: lepromatous lepromatous subpolar leprosy
 LP: lichen planus

M

MAC: *Mycobacterium avium* complex
 MAI: *Mycobacterium avium-intracellulare* complex
 MAIS: *Mycobacterium avium-intracellulare-scrofulaceum* complex
 MAO: monoamine oxidase
 MCV: molluscum contagiosum virus
 MEA: cysteamine
 MHA-TP: microhemagglutination assay for antibodies to *T pallidum*
 MOTT: mycobacteria other than tuberculosis

N

NAD: nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide
 NBC: nuclear, biological, and chemical
 NNN: Novy-MacNeal medium modified by Nicolle
 NSAID: nonsteroidal antiinflammatory drug

P

PABA: *p*-aminobenzoic acid
 2-PAM: pralidoxime chloride
 PAS: periodic acid-Schiff
 PB: paucibacillary leprosy
 PCR: polymerase chain reaction
 PCT: porphyria cutanea tarda
 PDS: polydioxone
 PFB: pseudofolliculitis barbae
 PGL-1: phenolic glycolipid 1
 PMLE: polymorphous light eruption
 PPD: purified protein derivative of tuberculin
 PPNG: penicillinase-producing *Neisseria gonorrhoeae*
 PROFIS: Professional Filler System
 PUVA: psoralen and ultraviolet A
 PV: papillomavirus

R

RMSF: Rocky Mountain spotted fever
 RNA: ribonucleic acid
 ROTC: Reserve Officer Training Corps
 RPR: rapid plasma reagin
 RST: reagent screen test
 RSTL: relaxed skin tension line

S

SCAFB: Septi-Chek acid-fast bacilli
SKOs: sets, kits, and outfits
SPF: sun protection factor
SSKI: supersaturated potassium iodide
STD: sexually transmitted disease

T

2,4,5-T: 2,4,5-trichlorophenoxyacetic acid
TCDD: 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-*p*-dioxin
TOE: Table of Organization and Equipment
TRNG: tetracycline-resistant strains of *Neisseria gonorrhoeae*
TRUST: toluidine red unheated serum test
TTp: tuberculoid tuberculoid polar leprosy
TTs: tuberculoid tuberculoid subpolar leprosy

U

USR: unheated serum reagin
UV: ultraviolet
UV-A: ultraviolet A
UV-B: ultraviolet B

V

VDRL: Venereal Disease Research Laboratory test
VZV: varicella-zoster virus

W

WHO: World Health Organization
WRAIR: Walter Reed Army Institute of Research