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ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

ACHI	Australian Classification of Medical Interventions
AR-DRG	Australian Refined DRG system
BR	Base rate
CBG	Case-based groups
CGW	Case-group weight
CMI	Case mix index
DRG	Diagnosis-related groups
FONASA	Fondo Nacional de Salud, Chile
G-DRG	Ghana DRG system
HCFA	American Health Care Financing Administration
ICD	International Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems
ICHI	International Classification of Health Interventions
MDC	Major diagnostic category
NHIF	National Health Insurance Fund (Lithuania)
NHSO	National Health Security Office (Thailand)
NOMESCO	Nordic Medico-Statistical Committee
UCS	Universal Coverage Scheme (Thailand)
UHC	Universal health coverage
VSS	Viet Nam Social Security

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