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## ABBREVIATIONS

<b>AMR</b>	antimicrobial resistance
<b>AWaRe</b>	access, watch and reserve
<b>BSC Class 2</b>	Class 2 biosafety cabinets
<b>BSL</b>	bio safety level
<b>CAC</b>	Crisis Action Cells
<b>CBRN</b>	chemical/biological/radiological/nuclear
<b>CPHL</b>	Central Public Health Laboratory
<b>CVL</b>	Central Veterinary Laboratory
<b>DQS</b>	data quality self-assessment
<b>EML</b>	Essential Medicines List
<b>EMPHNet</b>	Eastern Mediterranean Public Health Network
<b>EMT</b>	Emergency Medical Team
<b>EOC</b>	Emergency Operations Centre
<b>EOC-NET</b>	Public Health Emergency Operations Centre Network
<b>EMT</b>	Emergency Medical Team
<b>EMVAP</b>	EMRO Regional Vaccine Action Plan
<b>EPI</b>	expanded programme on immunization
<b>EPR</b>	emergency preparedness and response
<b>EQA</b>	external quality assessment
<b>EVM</b>	effective vaccine management
<b>FAO</b>	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
<b>FETP</b>	field epidemiology training programme
<b>GAP</b>	Global Action Plan
<b>GEC</b>	Governorate Emergency Cell
<b>GLASS</b>	Global Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance System
<b>GOARN</b>	Global Outbreak Alert and Response Network
<b>GVAP</b>	Global Vaccine Action Plan
<b>HAI</b>	health care-associated infection

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