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## Acronyms

CHW	Community Health Worker
DHS	Demographic and Health Survey
DHIS2	District Health Information System 2
ENAP	Every newborn action plan
ENC	Essential Newborn Care
FP	Family planning
HBB	Helping babies breathe
HMIS	Health management information system
ICF	Individuals, families and communities
KMC	Kangaroo Mother Care
LGA	Local Government Area
LMIS	Logistics Management Information System
MIS	Management Information System
MNCH	Maternal, Newborn and Child Health
MOH	Ministry of Health
MPS	Making Pregnancy Safer
PHC	Primary Health Care
PSBI	Possible Severe Bacterial Infection
TBA	Traditional Birth Attendant

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