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# Acronyms and abbreviations

BMGF	Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation
CerQUAL	Confidence in the Evidence from Reviews of Qualitative Research
CPAP	Continuous positive airway pressure
DOI	Declaration of Interest
EtD	Evidence-to-Decision
FIGO	International Federation of Gynecology and Obstetrics
GA	Gestational age
GDG	Guideline Development Group
GSG	Guideline Steering Group
GRADE	Grading of Recommendations, Assessment, Development, and Evaluation
ICM	International Confederation of Midwives
IPA	International Pediatric Association
IM	Intramuscular
MCA	[WHO Department of] Maternal, Newborn, Child and Adolescent Health
mg	Milligram
MMAT	Mixed Methods Appraisal Tool
PICO	population (P), intervention (I), comparison (C), outcome (O)
RoB 2	[Cochrane] Risk of Bias 2
ROBINS-I	Risk Of Bias In Non-randomized Studies of Interventions
SRH	[WHO Department of] Sexual and Reproductive Health and Research
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
USAID	United States Agency for International Development
WHO	World Health Organization

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