



## DISTRICT 2 PUBLIC HEALTH APPROVED ABBREVIATIONS

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|           | District Health Director   | Date       |
| 3HP       | Isoniazid and Rifapentine Regimen for LTBI                           |            |
| -         | negative, absent   |            |
| +         | positive, present  |            |
| Ab        | antibody   |            |
| Abd       | abdomen  |            |
| ABN       | abnormal   |            |
| ABS       | antibody screen  |            |
| Abx       | antibiotics  |            |
| AC        | antecubital  |            |
| ACHES     | abdominal pain, chest pain, headaches, eye problems, severe leg pain |            |
| AFB       | acid fast bacilli  |            |
| AFP       | alpha fetoprotein  |            |
| Ag        | antigen  |            |
| appt      | appointment  |            |
| ASAP      | as soon as possible  |            |
| AUB       | abnormal Uterine Bleeding  |            |
| AV        | anteverted   |            |
| AZI       | azithromycin   |            |
| BCCP      | Breast & Cervical Cancer Program                                     |            |
| BIC       | Bicillin   |            |
| BID       | twice daily  |            |
| BLL       | blood lead level   |            |
| BTL       | bilateral tubal ligation   |            |
| BM        | bowel movement   |            |
| BMI       | body mass index  |            |
| BMP       | basic metabolic panel  |            |
| BP        | blood pressure   |            |
| BRCA      | breast cancer gene   |            |
| BSx4      | bowel sounds, 4 quads  |            |
| BUM       | back up method   |            |
| BV        | bacterial vaginosis  |            |
| c/o       | complains of   |            |
| C1st      | Children's First Program   |            |
| CBC       | complete blood count   |            |
| CBE       | clinical breast exam   |            |
| CHOA      | Children's Healthcare of Atlanta                                     |            |

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| CI          | contraindication   |
| CMP         | complete metabolic panel                                     |
| CMT         | cervical motion tenderness                                   |
| COCs        | combined oral contraceptives                                 |
| CT          | Chlamydia Trachomatis  |
| Ctx         | contraction  |
| Cx          | culture  |
| CXR         | Chest X-ray  |
| D           | deltoid  |
| D&E         | Diagnosis & Evaluation Clinic                                |
| DM          | Diabetes Mellitus  |
| DMPA        | Depot-Medroxyprogesterone Acetate                            |
| DNKA        | did not keep appointment                                     |
| DOB         | date of birth  |
| DOT or VDOT | Directly Observed Therapy or Video Directly Observed Therapy |
| Doxy        | Doxycycline  |
| d/t         | due to   |
| DVT         | Deep Vein Thrombosis   |
| dx          | diagnosis  |
| EDD         | estimated date of delivery                                   |
| EGA         | estimated gestational age                                    |
| EKG         | Electrocardiogram  |
| EMB         | Ethambutol   |
| ETOH        | alcohol  |
| F/U         | follow up  |
| FeSO4       | Ferrous sulfate  |
| FHT         | fetal heart tones  |
| FMC         | fetal movement count   |
| FP          | Family Planning  |
| FSF         | females having sex with Females                              |
| ft          | feet   |
| g           | gram   |
| G           | gravida (number of pregnancies)                              |
| GBS         | group B strep  |
| GC          | Gonorrhea  |
| GM          | gluteus maximus  |
| GYN         | Gynecologist/Gynecologic                                     |
| H/A         | headache   |
| HAV         | Hepatitis A  |
| HBV         | Hepatitis B  |

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| HCTZ  | Hydrochlorothiazide                          |
| hCG   | human chorionic gonadotropin pregnancy test  |
| HCV   | Hepatitis C                                  |
| HD    | Health Department (spell out name of county) |
| HDL   | high density cholesterol                     |
| Hgb   | hemoglobin                                   |
| HbA1c | hemoglobin A1C                               |
| HIV   | Human Immunodeficiency Virus                 |
| h/o   | history of                                   |
| HPV   | Human Papilloma Virus                        |
| HR    | heartrate                                    |
| HSV   | Herpes Simplex Virus                         |
| ht    | height                                       |
| HTN   | Hypertension                                 |
| HVDN  | Hearing, Vision, Dental, Nutrition           |
| Hx    | history                                      |
| IC    | Imaging Center                               |
| IDC   | Infectious Disease Clinic                    |
| IDU   | Intravenous Drug User                        |
| IJN   | Interjurisdictional Notification             |
| IM    | intramuscular                                |
| in    | inches                                       |
| INH   | Isoniazid                                    |
| INS   | insurance                                    |
| IOL   | induction of labor                           |
| IUD   | Intrauterine Device                          |
| KOH   | Potassium hydroxide                          |
| L     | left   |
| LARC  | Long-Acting Reversible Contraceptive         |
| LBW   | low birth weight                             |
| LC    | Longstreet Clinic                            |
| LDL   | low density cholesterol                      |
| LFT   | Liver Function Test                          |
| LM    | left message                                 |
| LMP   | last menstrual period                        |
| LTBI  | Latent TB Infection                          |
| LVM   | left voicemail                               |
| mammo | Mammogram                                    |
| MDR   | multi-drug resistant                         |
| meds  | medications                                  |

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| MRI    | Magnetic Resonance Imaging                                   |
| MSM    | men who have sex with men                                    |
| MTB    | Mycobacterium tuberculosis                                   |
| NAA    | Nucleic Acid Amplification                                   |
| N/V/D  | nausea, vomiting, diarrhea                                   |
| NBS    | Newborn Screening  |
| NGHS   | Northeast Georgia Health Systems                             |
| NGMC   | Northeast Georgia Medical Center                             |
| NGPG   | Northeast Georgia Physician's Group                          |
| NKDA   | no known drug allergies                                      |
| NM     | nurse manager  |
| NOB    | new obstetric patient visit                                  |
| NPE    | new physical exam  |
| NSAIDs | Nonsteroidal Anti-inflammatory Drugs                         |
| NSSC   | normal size, shape, and consistency                          |
| OB     | obstetric  |
| OCs    | oral contraceptives  |
| OM     | office manager   |
| ORR    | Office of refugee resettlement                               |
| OV     | office Visit   |
| P      | para (Number of pregnancies beyond 20 weeks)                 |
| Pap    | Pap Smear  |
| PC     | phone call   |
| PCN    | Penicillin   |
| PCOS   | Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome                                  |
| PCP    | primary care physician                                       |
| PCR    | Polymerase chain reaction                                    |
| PE     | physical exam  |
| PDA    | Patent ductal arteriosus                                     |
| pH     | Potential of hydrogen (acidity or alkalinity of body fluids) |
| PHP    | Perinatal Health Partnership program                         |
| PID    | Pelvic Inflammatory Disease                                  |
| PMDD   | Premenstrual Dysmorphic Disorder                             |
| PMH    | past medical history   |
| PNV    | Prenatal Vitamins  |
| POPs   | progesterone only pills                                      |
| PRN    | as needed  |
| PROM   | premature rupture of membranes                               |
| pt     | patient  |
| PTL    | preterm labor  |

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| PVC    | Premature ventricular contraction             |
| PZA    | Pyrazinamide                                  |
| R      | right   |
| RBVO   | read back verbal order                        |
| Retro  | retroverted                                   |
| RIF    | Rifampin                                      |
| RIPE   | Rifampin, Isoniazid, Pyrazinamide, Ethambutol |
| ROI    | release of information                        |
| r/t    | related to                                    |
| RTC    | return to clinic                              |
| Rx     | prescription                                  |
| SA     | self-administer                               |
| s/c    | surgical consult                              |
| s/s    | signs and symptoms                            |
| S<D    | size less than dates                          |
| S>D    | size greater than dates                       |
| SBE    | self-breast exam                              |
| SCH    | Stephens County Hospital                      |
| SOB    | shortness of breath                           |
| SUBQ   | subcutaneous                                  |
| STI    | sexually transmitted infection                |
| Sulfa  | Sulfonamides                                  |
| SVD    | spontaneous vaginal delivery                  |
| SVT    | Supraventricular tachycardia                  |
| TB     | Tuberculosis                                  |
| THC    | marijuana                                     |
| Trich  | Trichomonas Vaginalis                         |
| Tx     | treatment                                     |
| UA     | Urinalysis                                    |
| UGH    | Union General Hospital                        |
| UNHS   | Universal Newborn Hearing Screen              |
| UPT    | urine pregnancy test                          |
| UTD    | up to date                                    |
| UTI    | Urinary Tract Infection                       |
| v/u    | verbalized understanding                      |
| VFC    | Vaccine for Children                          |
| VHN    | Visual Health Network (EMR)                   |
| Vit B6 | Vitamin B6-Pyridoxine                         |
| VLBW   | very Low Birth Weight                         |
| VSS    | vital Signs Stable                            |

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| VTx | vertex                   |
| VVC | Vulvovaginal candidiasis |
| WBC | white blood cell         |
| WH  | Women's Health           |
| WNL | within normal limits     |
| wt  | weight                   |
| yo  | year old                 |