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Acronyms

ACD: Ayurvedic Classification Dictionary

A-HMIS: Ayurveda Hospital Management Information System

AYUSH: Ayurveda, Yoga and Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy

CCRAS: Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Sciences CDISC: Clinical Data Interchange Standards Consortium

COPD: Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease

COSTART: Coding Symbols for Thesaurus of Adverse Reaction Terms

CTC: Clinical Toxicity Grade

DARWIN EU: Data Analysis and Real-World Interrogation Network

EHR: Electronic Health Record EMA: European Medicinal Agency EMR: Electronic Medical Record

EU: European Union

GCP: Good Clinical Practice

GCRP: Good Clinical Research Practice

GDP: Gross Domestic Product HM: Hospital Management

I-AIM: Institute of Ayurveda and Integrative medicines

ICD: International Classification of Diseases

ICH: International Council for Harmonization of Technical Requirements for Pharmaceuticals

for Human Use

IDC: International Data Corporation IDC: International Data Corporation

IP visit: In-Patient visit

ISO: International Organization for Standardization

LOINC: Logical Observation Identifiers Names and Codes MedDRA: Medical Dictionary for Regulatory Activities

NCI: National Cancer Institute, USA

NEJM: New England Journal of Medicine

OP visit: Out-Patient visit

PMDA: Pharmaceuticals and Medical Devices Agency (Health Authority Japan)

RCT: Randomized Controlled Trial

RMSD: Rheumatic and Musculoskeletal disease

RWD: Real World Data RWE: Real World Evidence SQL: Structured Query Language

TDU: The University of Trans-Disciplinary Health Sciences & Technology

THERAN: THE Research Application Nexus TKDL: Traditional Knowledge Digital Library

UHC: Universal Health Coverage

US FDA: US Food and Drug Administration

WHO: World Health Organization

WHO-ART: World Health Organization Adverse Reactions Terminology

WHO-DDE: World Health Organization Drug Dictionary Enhanced