

# Acronyms and abbreviations

ACSC	Ambulatory care sensitive conditions
APS	Atención primaria de salud (Primary Health Care)
APS-I	Atención primaria de salud integral (Integrated Primary Health Care)
ART	Antiretroviral treatment
AUGE	Acceso universal de garantías explícitas (Universal access for explicit guarantees)
ATAPS	Asistente técnico de atención primaria (Primary care technical assistant)
BMI	Body Mass Index
CATS	Community Centres for Temporary Isolation
CAPS	Centro de Atención Primaria
CCSS	Caja Costarricense del Seguro Social (Costa Rican Social Insurance)
CENARE	National Rehabilitation Centre
CENATE	National Telemedicine Centre
CHF	Congestive heart failure
CHW	Community health worker
CIFRHS	Interinstitutional Commission on Training of Human Resources for Health (Mexico)
CIHI	Canadian Institute for Health Information (Canada)
COLOVE	Local Epidemiological Surveillance Commission
COPD	Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease
DIRESA	Dirección Regional de Salud (Regional Health Directorate)
DGIS	Dirección General de Información en Salud (Mexico)
DTP3	Diphtheria, tetanus toxoid and pertussis
EBAIS	Equipos Básicos de Atención Integral en Salud (Integral Primary Health Teams)
ECLAC	Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean
EDUS	Expediente Digital Único en Salud (Single National Health Record in Costa Rica)
EHR	Electronic health record
EII	Integrated Intervention Teams
EOC	Emergency Operations Committee (Argentina)
EPS	Empresas Promotoras de Salud
EsSI	Smart Health Service in Peru
FHT	Family health team
FFS	Fee for service
FONASA	Fondo Nacional de Salud (National Health Fund)
FTE	Full time equivalent
GDB	Global Dietary Database
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GHO	Global Health Observatory
GHE	Global Health Estimators
GP	General practitioner
HRH	Human resources for health
ICU	Intensive care unit
ICT	Information and Communication Technology
IHME	Institute of Health Metrics and Evaluation

IMSS	Instituto Mexicano del Seguro Social (Mexican Institute of Social Security)
INEI	National Statistics and Computing Institute
INS	National Institute of Health (Colombia)
INSABI	Instituto de Salud Para el Bienestar (Institute for Health and Well-being)
IPRESS	Instituciones prestadoras de servicios de salud (Health Provider Institutions)
IPS	Instituciones Prestadoras de Salud (Health Providing Companies)
ISAPRE	Instituciones de Salud Previsional (Institutions of Prospective Health)
ISSSTE	Instituto de Seguridad y Servicios Sociales de los Trabajadores del Estado (Institute for Social Security and Services for State Workers)
IIT	Integrated Intervention Teams
INFORHUS	Registro Nacional de Personal de la Salud (Peru)
LAC	Latin American and the Caribbean
LTCF	Long-term care facilities
MAITE	Territorial Model of Integrated Action
MARSS	Módulos de Atención Respiratoria des Seguro Social (Respiratory Care Modules)
MIAS	Modelo Integral de Atención en Salud (Integral Health Care Model)
MoE	Ministry of Education
MoH	Ministry of Health
MoHSP	Ministry of Health and Social Protection
NACI	National Advisory Committee on Immunisation (Canada)
NCDs	Non-communicable diseases
NCHT	National Council for Human Talent in Health (Colombia)
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OFERHUS	Federal Observatory of Human Resources in Health (Argentina)
OOP	Out-of-pocket
PAHO	Pan American Health Organization
PaRIS	OECD Patient-Reported Indicators Survey
P4P	Pay for Performance
PCP	Primary Care Practitioner
PEAS	Plan Esencial de Aseguramiento en Salud (Essential Health Coverage Scheme)
PHC	Primary health care
PMO	Programa Médico Obligatorio (Mandatory Medical Program)
PPE	Personal protective equipment
PPHC	Paediatric primary health care
PPP	Purchasing power parity
PREM	Patient-reported experience measure
REDES	Registros de Salud
REFEPS	La Red Federal de Registros de Profesionales de la Salud (Argentina)
ReTHUS	Registro Único Nacional del Talento Humano en Salud (Colombia)
SEREMIs	Secretaría Regional Ministerial (Regional Ministerial Secretary)
SHI	Social Health Insurance
SIARHE	Sistema de Información Administrativa de los Recursos Humanos de Enfermería (Mexico)
SINARHUS	Sistema Nacional de Recursos Humanos en Salud (Costa Rica)
SIS	Seguro Integral de Salud (Integral Health Insurance)
SNSS	Sistema Nacional de Servicios de Salud (National Health Surveillance System)
SNVS:	Argentina National Health Surveillance System
SPPS	Under-secretariat for Prevention and Health Promotion (Mexico)
SUS	Sistema Único de Saúde (Unique Health System)
SUGESE	Superintendencia General de Seguros (General Superintendence for Insurances)
SSS	Superintendencia de Servicios de Salud (Superintendence of Health Services)
TTT	Testing, tracking and contact tracing strategy
VDP	Vaccine-preventable diseases
WHO	World Health Organization
WISN	Workload Indicators of Staffing Need



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