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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

| | |
|----------|---|
| A.I.T.D. | : Alpha-1-antitrypsin deficiency. |
| Alk. ph. | : Alkaline phosphatase. |
| ALT | : Alanine transferase. |
| AST | : Aspartate transferase. |
| BA | : Biliary atresia. |
| CAH | : Chronic active hepatitis. |
| CLD | : Chronic liver diseases. |
| CPH | : Chronic persistent hepatitis. |
| CRP | : C-reactive protein. |
| EHBA | : Extrahepatic biliary atresia. |
| ERV | : Expiratory reserve volume. |
| GSD | : Glycogen storage disease. |
| FEV1 | : Forced expiratory volume in first second. |
| FRC | : Functional residual capacity. |
| FVC | : Forced vital capacity. |
| HbsAg | : Hepatitis B surface antigen. |
| HBV | : Hepatitis-B-virus. |
| HCV | : Hepatitis-C-virus. |
| HPS | : Hepato-pulmonary syndrome. |
| IC | : Inspiratory capacity. |
| IL-6 | : Interleukin-6. |
| IRV | : Inspiratory reserve volume. |
| K.A.U. | : King armstrong unit. |
| LAD | : Left atrial dimension |
| LVEDD | : Left ventricular end diastolic dimension |
| MAA | : Macro-aggregated albumin. |
| NANB | : Non A Non B virus. |
| NO | : Nitric oxide. |

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS (cont.)

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| PBC | : | Primary biliary cirrhosis. |
| PEER | : | Peak expiratory flow rate. |
| PHC | : | Post hepatic cirrhosis. |
| Ph | : | Portal hypertension. |
| PT | : | Prothrombin time. |
| PTT | : | Partial thromboplastin time. |
| RV | : | Residual volume. |
| RVD | : | Right ventricular dimension |
| SGOT | : | Serum glutamate oxaloacetate transaminase. |
| SGPT | : | Serum glutamate pyruvate transaminase. |
| TLC | : | Total lung capacity. |
| TV | : | Tidal volume. |
| VC | : | Vital capacity. |
| VIP | : | Vasoactive intestinal Peptide. |

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