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List of Abbreviations

Abb.	Full Term
$AaPO_2$	Alveolar-arterial oxygen gradient
ABG	Arterial blood gas
A-II	Angiotensin II
AKI	Acute kidney injury
ANP	Atrial natriuretic peptide
ATP	Adenosine Tri-phosphate
BNP	Brain natriuretic peptide
CCM	Cirrhotic cardiomyopathy
CEE	Contrast-enhanced transthoracic echocardiogram
CLcr	Creatinine clearance
CRD	Cognitive drug research system
CRRT	Continuous renal replacement therapy
CT	Computed tomography
DDLT	Deceased donor liver transplantation
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic acid
ECs	Endogenous cannabinoids
EDHF	Endothelium derived hyperpolarizing factor
EEG	Electroencephalogram
eNOS	Endothelial Nitric Oxide Synthase
ET-1	Endothelin-1
ETBR	Endothelin B receptors
FHF	Fulminant Hepatic Failure
GABA	Gamma-aminobutyric acid
GFR	Glomerular filtration rate
GPB	Glycerol Phenylbutyrate
HE	Hepatic Encephalopathy
HESA	Hepatic encephalopathy scoring algorithm
HO-1	Heme oxygenase-1
HPS	Hepatopulmonary syndrome

Abb.	Full Term
HSC	Hepatic Stellate Cells
IAC	International Club of Ascites
IL-18	Interleukin 18
iNOS	Inducible NO synthase
IPVD	Intrapulmonary vasodilatation
KIM 1	Kidney injury molecule-1
LA	Left atrium.
LDLT	Living donor liver transplantation
L-FABP	Liver-type fatty acid binding protein
LOLA	L-Ornithine and L-Aspartate
LT	Liver transplantation
LV	Left ventricle
LVADs	Left Ventricular assist devices
LVEF	Left ventricular ejection fraction
M	Macrophage
MARS	Molecular absorbent recirculating system
MELD	Model for end-stage liver disease
MRI	Magnetic Resonance Imaging
NE	Norepinephrine
NGAL	Neutrophil-gelatinase-associated lipocalin
NMDA	N-methyl- D-aspartate
NO	Nitric Oxide
NSAID	Nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drug
OLT	Orthotropic liver transplantation
ONSD	Optic nerve sheath diameter
OP	Ornithine phenylacetate
$PaCO_2$	Partial pressure of carbon dioxide
PaO_2	Partial pressure of arterial oxygen
PGI2	Prostacyclin
PHES	Psychometric hepatic encephalopathy score
PoPH	Portopulmonary hypertension
PTX	Pentoxifylline

Abb.	Full Term
RA	Right atrium
RAAS	Renin angiotensin-aldosterone system
RBANS	Repeatable battery for assessment of neurologic status
RBC	Red blood cell
RRT	Renal replacement therapy
RV	Right ventricle
SA	Spider angioma
SaO_2	Oxygen saturation
SBP	Spontaneous bacterial peritonitis
SEC	Sinusoidal Endothelial Cells
SNS	Sympathetic nervous system
SONIC	Spectrum of neurocognitive impairment in cirrhosis
TCD	Transcranial Doppler
TIPS	Transjugular intrahepatic portosystemic shunt
TLR	Toll Like Receptors
TNF-α	Tumor necrosis factor-alpha
V/Q	Ventilation-perfusion
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