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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

QOL	Quality Of Life
OC	Oral Cavity
WHO	World Health Organization
FOM	floor of the mouth
ICD	International Classification of diseases
SCC	Squamous cell carcinoma
INCA	Brazilian National Cancer Institute
NPC	Nasopharyngeal cancer
HNC	head and neck cancer
MECC	Middle-East Cancer Consortium
HPV	Human Papilloma Virus
TSNA	Tobacco-Specific Nitrosamines
RCTs	Randomized Clinical Trials
PMDs	Potentially malignant disorders
XME	Xenobiotic Metabolizing Enzymes
TSGs	Tumor Suppressor Genes
NACA	Non-Albicans Candida Albicans
PPM	Part Per Million
SES	Socio-Economic Status
OSCC	Oral Squamous cell carcinoma
TNM	Tumor, Node, Metastasis
CIS	Carcinoma In Situ
RT	Radiation Therapy
CTX	Chemotherapy
IT	Immunotherapy
HNSCC	Head and Neck Squamous cell carcinoma

CE	Ongoing Continuing Education
IRRs	Incidence Rate Ratios
CIs	Confidence Intervals
RR	Relative Risk
OR	Odds Ratio