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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

ABP	Acute biliary pancreatitis
ALP	Alkaline phosphatase
ALT	Alanine aminotransferase
AST	Aspartate aminotransferase
CBD	Common bile duct
CCK	Cholecystokinin
CT	Computed tomography
EBS	Endoscopic biliary stenting
ENBE	Endoscopic nasobiliary drainage
ERCP	Endoscopic-retrograde-cholangiopancreatography
ESLD	End-stage liver disease
EUS	Endoscopic ultrasonography
GGT	Gamma glutamyl transpeptidase
HCC	hepatocellular carcinoma
IBD	Inflammatory bowel disease
LSOLs	Liver space occupying
MPD	Main pancreatic duct
MRCP	Magnetic resonance cholangiopancreatography
PC	Prothrombin concentration
PSC	Primary sclerosing cholangitis
PTC	Percutaneous transhepatic cholangiography
RARE	Rapid acquisition with relaxation enhancement
SEMSs	self-expandable metal stents

List of Abbreviations

TB	Tuberculosis
TBRI	Theodor Bilharz Research Institute
TUS	Transabdominal ultrasonography

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