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## **List of Abbreviations**

Abbreviation	Meaning
A. actinomycetemcomitans	Aggregatibacter actinomycetemcomitans
A. naeslundii	Actinomyces naeslundii
AAPD	American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry
BS	Black Stain
CI	Confidence Interval
dfs	decayed, and filled surfaces
dft	decayed, and filled teeth
DL	DerSimonian-Laird
dmfs	decayed, missing, and filled surfaces
dmft	decayed, missing, and filled teeth
DMFT	Decayed, Missing, and Filled teeth
ECC	Early Childhood Caries
EKB	Egyptian Knowledge Bank
EULC	Egyptian Universities Libraries Consortium

F. nucleatum	Fusobacterium nucleatum
FDASU-REC	Faculty of Dentistry Ain Shams
	University-Research Ethics Committee
GBD	Global Burden of Disease
Google Scholar	GS
НА	Hydroxyapatite
ICDAS	International Caries Detection and
	Assessment System
IQR	Inter-Quartile Range
MD	Mean Difference
OG	OpenGrey
P. gingivalis	Porphyromonas gingivalis
P. intermedia	Prevotella intermedia
P. melaninogenica	Prevotella melaninogenica
P. nigrescens	Prevotella nigrescens
PCR	Polymerase Chain Reaction
PM	PubMed

PRISMA	Preferred Reporting Items for Systematic Reviews and Meta-Analyses
S. mutans	Streptococcus mutans
S. salivarius	Streptococcus salivarius
S. sanguis	Streptococcus sanguis
SD	Standard Deviation
SE	Standard Error
S-ECC	Severe early childhood caries
SEM	Scanning Electron Microscopy
SES	Socioeconomic Standard
SMD	Standardized Mean Difference
S-OHI	Simplified Oral Hygiene Index
WoS	Web of Science