# Acronyms

**ADL** Activities of Daily Living

**ART** Antiretroviral Therapy, Assisted Reproductive Technologies

ATC Anatomic Therapeutic Chemical Classification
BPM6 IMF Balance of Payments Manual 6th Edition

**CHE** Current Health Expenditure

**COFOG** Classification of Functions of Government

**COI** Cost of Illness

CFC Consumption of Fixed Capital

**CPA** Classification of Products by Activity

**CPC** Central Product Classification

DNA Deoxyribonucleic AcidDRG Diagnosis-related GroupsESA European System of Accounts

ESSPROS European System of Integrated Social Protection Statistics
FS Classification of Revenues of Health Care Financing Schemes

GBD Global Burden of Disease
GCF Gross Capital Formation
GFCF Gross Fixed Capital Formation

GFSM Government Financial Statistics Manual
HC Classification of Health Care Functions
HETUS Harmonised European Time Use Survey

**HF** Classification of Health Care Financing Schemes

HIV/AIDS Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome

**HLE** Healthy Life Expectancy

**HMO** Health Maintenance Organisation

**HPV** Human Papillomavirus

**HP** Classification of Health Care Providers

**HRH** Human Resources for Health

HS Harmonised Commodity Description and Coding System

IADL Instrumental Activities of Daily Living Restrictions

**ICD** International Classification of Diseases

ICHA International Classification for Health Accounts

IEC Health-related Information, Education and Communication

**IHAT** International Health Accounts Team

IMF International Monetary Fund

ISCO International Standard Classification of Occupations
ISHMT International Shortlist for Hospital Morbidity Tabulation

ISIC International Standard Industry Classification of All Economic Activities

JHAQ Joint Health Accounts Questionnaire (OECD-Eurostat-WHO)

LMIC Lower- and Middle-Income Countries

MDG Millennium Development Goals

MGEN Mutuelle générale de l'Éducation nationale

(French mutual health insurance company)

**MoH** Ministry of Health

**MoP** Mode of Production or Mode of Provision

MRI Magnetic Resonance Imaging
MSA Medical Savings Accounts

NACE Nomenclature des activités économiques dans la Communauté européenne

NAICS North American Industry Classification System

NGO Non-governmental Organisation

NHA National Health Accounts
NHI National Health Insurance

NPISH Non-Profit Institutions Serving Households
NRCMS New Rural Co-operative Medical Scheme (China)

**OECD** Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

OTC Over-the-Counter Medicines
PAHO Pan American Health Organisation

**PBR** Psychological and behavioural rehabilitation

**PFI** Private Finance Initiative

**PG** WHO NHA Producers Guide (Guide to Producing National Health Accounts)

**POM** Prescription only medicines **PPP** Purchasing Power Parities

(n.b. PPP can also be used to mean public-private partnership)

RNA Ribonucleic acid
RoW Rest of the World

SHA System of Health AccountsSHI Social Health InsuranceSNA System of National Accounts

TCAM Traditional Complementary and Alternative Medicine

**THE** Total Health Expenditure

**TPE** Total Pharmaceutical Expenditure

**UN** United Nations

UNGASS United Nations General Assembly Special Session
USAID United States Agency for International Development

**VPHI** Voluntary Private Health Insurance

WB World Bank

**WHO** World Health Organization



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