

AAO	--American Academy of Ophthalmology
ACOG	--American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology
ACP	--American College of Physicians
ACR	--American College of Radiologists
ACS	--American Cancer Society
ADA	--American Diabetes Association
AHA	--American Heart Association
AMA	--American Medical Association
AMWA	--American Medical Women's Association
ANA	--American Nurses Association
AOA	--American Optometric Association
ASPB	--American Society to Prevent Blindness
CDC	--Centers for Disease Control
CPS	--Current Population Survey
CTF	--Canadian Task Force on the Periodic Health Examination
EKG	--Electrocardiogram
HCFA	--Health Care Financing Administration
HMO	--Health maintenance organization
IPA	--Independent practice association
MMWR	--Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report
NCHS	--National Center for Health Statistics
NCHSR	--National Center for Health Services Research and Health Technology Assessment
NCI	--National Cancer Institute
NHIS	--National Health Interview Survey
NHLBI	--National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute
NIH	--National Institutes of Health
OTA	--Office of Technology Assessment
SMSA	--Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area
USPSTF	--United States Preventive Services Task Force