

Abbreviations

ABC	Airway, Breathing, Circulation	PAS	Patient Assessment System
ABD	Abdomen	PCN	Penicillin
ALS	Advanced Life Support	PFA	Pain Free Activity
AMS	Acute Mountain Sickness	PI	Povidone Iodine
ASA	Aspirin	PO	By mouth
ASR	Acute Stress Reaction	prn	As needed
AVPU	Awake	Pt	Patient
	Verbal stimulus response	PPV	Positive Pressure Ventilation
	Painful stimulus response	PROP	Position
	Unresponsive		Reassurance
BLS	Basic Life Support		O ₂
̄	With		PPV
°C	Celsius	q̄	Every
c/c	Chief Complaint	RICE	Rest
CHF	Congestive Heart Failure		Ice
cm	Centimeter		Compression
CNS	Central Nervous System		Elevation
c/o	Complains Of...	ROM	Range Of Motion
COPD	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease	Rx	Treatment
		̄	Without
CP	Chest Pain	S/Sx	Signs / Symptoms
CPR	Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation	SAMPLE	Symptoms
CSM	Circulation, Sensation, Motor Function		Allergies
CVA	Cerebrovascular Accident		Medications
d/c	Disconnect alt: Discontinue		Pertinent History
Dx	Diagnosis		Last Intake / Output
EMS	Emergency Medical Services		Events surrounding the injury
Fx	Fracture	SL	Sublingual
GI	Gastrointestinal	SOAP	Subjective information: what did the pt. / bystanders say and SAMPLE
GU	Genitourinary		Objective info: Exam / Vitals
HA	Headache		Assessment: Problem List
HACE	High Altitude Cerebral Edema		Plan: Treatment
HAPE	High Altitude Pulmonary Edema		Shortness Of Breath
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus		Subcutaneous
HBV	Hepatitis B Virus	SOB	Seizure
HTN	Hypertension	SQ	Tuberculosis
Hx	History	Sz	Total Body Surface Area
ICP	Intracranial Pressure	TB	Traction Into Position
IM	Intramuscular	TBSA	Upper Respiratory Infection
IO	Intraosseous	TIP	Unable to Assess
IV	Intravenous	URI	Urinary Tract Infection
kg	Kilogram	UTA	Vital Signs
km	Kilometer	UTI	P: Pulse
LOC	Loss (alt. Level) Of Consciousness	VS	R: Respirations
mg	Milligram		BP: Blood Pressure
MI	Myocardial Infarction		S: Skin
min	Minute		T: Temperature
ml	Milliliter		AVPU: Level of Consciousness
MOI	Mechanism Of Injury		Weight Bearing Ability
NKDA	No Known Drug Allergies		Wilderness Medical Associates
NVD	Nausea, Vomiting, Diarrhea		Years old
O ₂	Oxygen		Secondary to...(as a result of)
OTC	Over The Counter	WBA	
̄	After	WMA	
		y/o	
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