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## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

ATPs	Adenosine Triphosphate(s).
BHI agar	Brain Heart Infusion agar.
CA-MRSA	Community-Acquired Methicillin Resistance
	Staph. Aureus.
CCr	Cassette Chromosome Recombinase.
CDs	Coding Sequences.
DKA	Diabetic keto Acidosis .
DIC	Disseminated Intravascular Coagulopathy.
Eap	Extracellular Adherence Protein.
FnBP	Fibronectin Binding Protein.
HA-MRSA	Hospital-Acquired Methicillin Resistant Staph.
	Aureus.
HCA	Health Care-Associated.
HCWs	Health Care Workers.
h-VISA	Hetero Vancomycin Intermediate Staph. Aureus.
ICU	Intensive Care Units.
MAP	Major histocompatibility complex class II
	Analogous Protein.
MIC	Minimum Inhibitory concentration.
MLS	Macrolides-Lincoamide Sterptogramin.
MRSA	Methicillin Resistant Staphylococcus Aureus
MSSA	Methicillin Sensitive Staphylococcus Aureus
MSCRAMMS	Microbial Surface Components Recognizing
	Adhesive Matrix Molecules.
NI	Nosocomial Infection.
NORSA	Non multidrug-resistant Oxacillin Resistant Staph.
	Aureus.
PBP	Penicillin Binding Protein.
PCR	Polymerase Chain Reaction.
PFGE	Pulsed Field Gel Electrophoresis.
PICU	Pediatric Intensive Care Unit.
PVL	Panton-Valentine Leucocidin.
R-Factor	Extraplasmid Factor.
RSV	Respiratory Syncytial Virus
SAK	Staphylokinase.
SCC	Staphylococcus aureus Cassette chromosome.
SCVs	Small Colony Variants (Of Staph. Aureus).

SSTIs	Skin and Soft Tissue Infections.
TSS	Toxic Shock Syndrome.
TSST-1	Toxic Shock Syndrome Toxin-One.
UTI	Urinary Tract Infection.
VISA	Vancomycin Intermediate Staph. Aureus.
VRE	Vancomycin Resistant Enterococci
VRSA	Vancomycin Resistant Staph. Aureus.

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