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## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

**AD** Atopic Dermatitis

**AICD** Activation-induced cell death.

**ALG** Anti-lymphocyte globulin

**APCs** Antigen-Presenting Cells

**APT** Atopy Patch Test

**ATG** Anti-thymocyte globulin

**CBC** Complete Blood Count

**CFU/ml** Colony-forming units per millilitre

**CLA** Cutaneous lymphocyte antigen.

**CLA** cutaneous leukocyte antigen

**CMV** Cyto Megalo Virus

**DCs** Dendretic Cells

**ASI** Eczema Area and Severity Index

**ISH** fluorescence in situ hybridization

**FTU** Finger Tip Unit

FucTVII fucosyltransferase VII

**GALT** Gut associated lymphoid tissue

**G-CSF** Granulocyte Colony-Stimulating Factor

GIT Gastro Intestinal Tract

**GM-CSF** Granulocyte- Macrophage Colony-Stimulating Factor

**GRAS** Generally Regarded As Safe

**HBV** Hepatitis B Virus

**HPV** Human Papilloma Virus

**IDECs** Inflammatory Dendritic Epidermal Cells

**IFN** InterFeron

Ig Immuno Globulin

IL Inter Leukin

LCs Langerhans Cells

**LPS** lipopolysaccharide

LTA Lipoteichoic acid

MAbs Monoclonal Antibodies

MC mast cell

**MnSOD** Manganese Super Oxide Dismutase

**NF** Nuclear Factor

**NF-Atp** Nuclear Factor of Activated T-cell Protein

**NO** Nitric Oxide

**PCR** Polymerase Chain Reaction

**PP** Payers Patch

**RA** Rheumatoid Artheritis

**RANTES** Regulated upon Activation, Normal T-cell Expressed and Sec

**RCTs** Randomized Controlled Trials

**RSV** Respiratory Syncytial Virus

Saureus Staph aureus

**SCORAD** Severity Scoring of Atopic Dermatitis

**SPPR** Small proline rich protein

**SPT** Skin Prick Test

**STAT** Signal Transducers and Activators of Transcription proteins

**TCIs** Topical Calcineurin Inhibitors.

TCR T-cell receptor

**TLRs** Toll like receptors

**TNF** Tumor Necrosis Factor

**TREG** T regulatory cell

**TSLP** Thymic Stromal Lymphopoietin

**UVA** Ultraviolet A

**UVB** Ultraviolet B