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List of abbreviations

AB	antibiotics
APC	antigen-presenting cell
BOP	bleeding on probing
CC	two cysteine residues
CCR	receptor for CC chemokines
CD	cluster of differentiation
DC	dendritic cell
DNA	deoxyribonucleic acid
EDTA	ethylene diamine tetraacetic acid
ELISA	enzym-linked immunosorbent assay
HEPES	N-(2-Hydroxyethyl)piperazine-N'-(2-ethanesulfonic acid)
IFN	interferon
IL	interleukin
LPS	lipopolysaccharides
MCP	macrophage chemoattractant protein
MDC	monocyte derived chemokine
MIP	macrophage inflammatory protein
mRNA	messenger ribonucleic acid
PAL	probing attachment level
PBMC	peripheral blood mononuclear cells
PD	probing depth
PG	prostaglandin
RANTES	regulated on activation normal T cell expressed and secreted
RPMI	Roswell park memorial institute
SRP	scaling and root planning
Th	T helper
TID	ter in die (three times a day)
TNF	tumor necrosis factor
WBCC	whole blood cell cultures