

GLOSSARY

A list of all abbreviations and terms appearing in this issue of *Therapy*

ACR	American College of Rheumatology	FIQ	Fibromyalgia impact questionnaire	MFI	Mean fluorescence intensity
ACS	Acute coronary syndrome	FM	Fibromyalgia	MIC	Minimum inhibitory concentration
ADV	Adefovir dipivoxil	GABA	γ -amino butyric acid	MRI	Magnetic resonance imaging
ALS	Acid-labile subunit	GH	Growth hormone	NCS	Nerve conduction study
ALT	Alanine aminotransferase	GHIS	Growth hormone- insensitivity syndrome	NRI	Noradrenergic reuptake inhibitor
AMD	Age-related macular degeneration	GHRH	Growth hormone-releasing factor	NSAID	Nonsteroidal anti- inflammatory drug
ANC	Absolute neutrophil count	GI	Gastrointestinal	OR	Odds ratio
AP	Activator protein	HAM-D	Hamilton Depression Rating Scale	PAR	Population attributable risk
APACHE II	Acute Physiology And Chronic HEalth	HBV	Chronic hepatitis B virus	PCI	Percutaneous coronary intervention
APOE	Apolipoprotein E	hOAT	Human renal organic transporter	PE	Phycocerythrin
AST	Aspartate aminotransferase	HSCT	Hematopoietic stem cell transplantation	PRPP	Pyrophosphate
BPI	Brief Pain Inventory	HTRA	HTRA serine peptidase	S/NRI	Serotonin/norepinephrine reuptake inhibitor
cAMP	Cyclic AMP	IC ₅₀	Inhibitory concentration	SCID	Severe combined immunodeficiency
CFH	Complement factor H	ICS	50%	SD	Standard deviation
CI	Confidence interval	IGF	International Continence Society	SDS	Standard deviation scores
CLCR	Creatinine clearance	IGFBP	Insulin-like growth factor binding protein	SEM	Standard error of the mean
CLSI	Clinical and Laboratory Standard Institute	IL	Interleukin	SNP	Single nucleotide polymorphism
C _{max}	Maximal serum concentration	ISS	Idiopathic short stature	SNRI	Serotonin—norepinephrine reuptake inhibitor
CMV	Cytomegalovirus	ITT	Intention-to-treat	SRF	Serum response factor
COPD	Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease	LAR	Late asthmatic response	SSRI	Selective serotonin reuptake inhibitor
CRP	C-reactive protein	LOCF	Last observation carried forward	TCA	Tricyclic antidepressant
CTS	Carpal tunnel syndrome	LOH	Loss of heterozygosity	TDF	Tenofovir disoproxil fumarate
ddl	Didanosine	LPS	Lipopolysaccharide	TGF	Transforming growth factor
DHV	Duck hepatitis B	MATRIX	Multicenter Assessment of TRansdermal therapy In overactive bladder with oXybutynin	TUR	Transurethral resection
dODN	Decoy oligonucleotides			WHV	Woodchuck hepatitis B
DSM-IV	Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, Fourth edition				
EC ₅₀	50% effective concentration				
ECG	Electrocardiogram				
EMEA	European Medicines Agency				
FEV	Forced expiratory volume	MDD	Major depressive disorder		