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LIST OF ACRONYMS

ADR Adverse Drug Reaction

CHP Centre for Health Protection
CME Continuing Medical Education

CSSA Comprehensive Social Security Assistance

DH Department of Health
EC Certificate of Exemption
eHealth Electronic Health System
eHS(S) eHealth System (Subsidies)

EPD Environmental Protection Department

GBS Guillain-Barré Syndrome

HA Hospital Authority

HKIC Hong Kong Identity Card
IIV Inactivated Influenza Vaccine

ImmD Immigration Department

LAIV Live-attenduated Influenza Vaccine

MCHK Medical Council of Hong Kong

PBVR Purpose-built Vaccine Refrigerator

PCD Primary Care Directory

PHCC Primary Healthcare Commission

PDA Persons receiving Disability Allowance

PCV13 13-valent pneumococcal conjugate vaccine PCV15 15-valent pneumococcal conjugate vaccine

23vPPV 23-valent pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine

PID Persons with Intellectual Disability
QIV Quadrivalent Influenza Vaccine
RIV Recombinant Influenza Vaccine

SCVPD Scientific Committee on Vaccine Preventable Diseases

VSS Vaccination Subsidy Scheme