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### Acronyms and Abbreviations

ANM	Auxiliary Nurse Midwives
AOSW	Association of Oncology Social Work
AYUSH	Ayurveda, Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy
CCH	Cachar Cancer Hospital
CIR	Crude Incidence Rate
COPD	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
DALYs	Disability Adjusted Life Years
DDE	Dichlorodiphenyltrichloroethane
FES	Focused Ethnographic Studies
GOI	Government of India
HBCR	Hospital Based Cancer Registry
HIV	Human Immune Deficiency
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
ICMR	Indian Council of Medical Research
IEC	Information, Education & Communication
KAP	Knowledge, Attitude and Perception
NCCP	National Cancer Control Programme
NCRP	National Cancer Registry Programme

NGO	Non Governmental Organization
NRHM	National Rural Health Mission
OPD	Out Patients Department
PBCR	Population Based Cancer Registry
RCC	Regional Cancer Center
SES	Socio-economic Status
SHG	Self Help Group
SMCH	Silchar Medical College & Hospital
TB	Tuberculosis
TCAM	Traditional Complementary & Alternative Medicine
TPB	Theory of Planned Behaviour
TRA	Theory of Reasoned Action
TRC	Tobacco Related Cancer
UNICEF	United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund
WHO	World Health Organization

## Glossary

<i>Bidi/beedis</i>	A Local made smoking tobacco
<i>Chula</i>	Mud Stove for cooking
<i>Chillums</i>	Smoked with the lighted end inside the mouth
<i>Chowkidar</i>	Watchman who looks after building
<i>Chuttas</i>	A clump of tobacco
<i>Dhumti</i>	A Smoking Tobacco
<i>Gutka</i>	A preparation of crushed areca nut
<i>Hookly/Hookli</i>	A Traditional Smoking type
<i>Hookah</i>	A Traditional water pipe of smoking
<i>Karma</i>	Destiny or fate following as effect from cause
<i>Pan masala</i>	Chewable Tobacco
<i>Purdah</i>	A curtain used by Muslim societies
<i>Meziol</i>	A Local Cigarette
<i>Mishri</i>	A powdered tobacco rubbed on the gum as tooth paste
<i>Tendu</i>	Leaves used for making <i>bidis</i>
<i>Tuibur</i>	Tobacco smoker infused water
<i>Tembuni</i>	Dried tobacco