



COMMONLY USED ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS IN MTN PROTOCOLS

3TC	lamivudine
ACASI	audio computer-assisted self interview
AE	adverse event
AIDS	acquired immunodeficiency syndrome
ALT	alanine transaminase
ART	antiretroviral therapy
ARV	antiretroviral
AST	aspartate aminotransferase
AUC	area under the curve
BMD	bone mineral density
BV	bacterial vaginosis
CDC	Centers for Disease Control
cGMP	current good manufacturing practices
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CI	confidence intervals
CONRAD	Contraceptive Research and Development Organization
C_{max}	maximum serum concentration
C_{min}	minimum serum concentration
CORE	Coordinating and Operations Center
C-PMPA	radiolabeled tenofovir

CRF	case report form
CROI	Conference on Retroviruses and Opportunistic Infections
CRPMC	Clinical Research Products Management Center
CTA	clinical trial agreement
CWG	Community Working Group
d4T	stavudine
DAIDS	Division of AIDS
DXA	Dual energy X-ray absorptiometry
DMPA	depot medroxyprogesterone acetate
DNA	deoxyribonucleic acid
DSMB	Data and Safety Monitoring Board
EAE	expedited adverse event
EC	ethics committee
EC50	50% effective concentration
EFV	efavirenz
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FHCRC	Fred Hutchison Cancer Research Center
FHI	Family Health International
FTC	emtricitabine
FTC/TDF	emtricitabine/tenofovir disoproxil fumarate
GCP	Good Clinical Practices
GEE	generalized estimating equations
HBsAb	hepatitis B surface antibody
HBsAg	hepatitis B surface antigen
HBV	hepatitis B virus

HEC	hydroxyethylcellulose
HIV	human immunodeficiency virus
HPTN	HIV Prevention Trials Network
HR	hazard ratio
IC-EC	intracellular-extracellular
IC50 50%	inhibitory concentration
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IFN-γ	interferon gamma
IgA	immunoglobulin A
IL-2	interleukin-2
IND	investigational new drug
IoR	Investigator of Record
IRB	Institutional Review Board
ITT	intention to treat
IUCD	intrauterine contraceptive device
KOH	potassium hydroxide
LDMS	Laboratory Data Management System
LLN	lower limit of normal
LPV	lopinavir
MTN	Microbicide Trials Network
NIAID	National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Disease
NICHD	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
NIMH	National Institute of Mental Health
NIH	(United States) National Institutes of Health
NL	network laboratory

NNRTI	non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitor
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NVP	nevirapine
OHRP	Office of Human Research Protections
p-y	person-years
PCR	polymerase chain reaction
PD	pharmacodynamic
PID	pelvic inflammatory disease
PK	pharmacokinetic(s)
PMPA	9-R-2-phosphonomethoxypropyl adenine
PMPApp	tenofovir diphosphate
PoR	Pharmacist of Record
PrEP	pre-exposure prophylaxis
PUEV	Product Use End Visit
PSRT	Protocol Safety Review Team
RSC	Regulatory Support Center
RNA	ribonucleic acid
RT	reverse transcriptase
RTI	reproductive tract infection
RTV	ritonavir
RT-PCR	real time polymerase chain reaction
SCHARP	Statistical Center for HIV/AIDS Research and Prevention
SDA	strand displacement amplification
SDMC	Statistical Data Management Center
SHIV	simian/human immunodeficiency virus

SMC	Study Monitoring Committee
SOP	standard operating procedure
SQ	subcutaneous
SSP	study specific procedures
STI	sexually transmitted infection
TDF	tenofovir disoproxil fumarate
ULN	upper limits of normal
UNAIDS	Joint United Nations Program on HIV/AIDS
UTI	urinary tract infection
VOICE	Vaginal and Oral Interventions to Control the Epidemic
WB	Western blot
WHO	World Health Organization
ZDV	zidovudine