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Abbreviations

BMI	body mass index
DALY	disability-adjusted life year
FOPL	front-of-pack labelling
GNPR	Global Nutrition Policy Review
GRADE	Grading of Recommendations Assessment, Development and Evaluation
HALY	health-adjusted life year
HIC	high-income country
HSR	Health Star Rating
LMIC	low- and middle-income country
NCD	noncommunicable disease
NGO	nongovernmental organization
NUGAG	Nutrition Guidance Expert Advisory Group
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
SES	socioeconomic status ¹
SSB	sugar-sweetened beverage
UN	United Nations
WHO	World Health Organization

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