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### LIST OF ACRONYMS

#### INDICATOR SHORT NAMES, IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER

BoF	Bottle feeding 0–23 months	
CBF	Continued breastfeeding 12-23 months	
EBF	Exclusive breastfeeding under six months	
EBF2D	Exclusively breastfed for the first two days after birth	
EFF	Egg and/or flesh food consumption 6–23 months	
EIBF	Early initiation of breastfeeding	
EvBF	Ever breastfed	
ISSSF	Introduction of solid, semi-solid or soft foods 6–8 months	
MAD	Minimum acceptable diet 6–23 months	
MDD	Minimum dietary diversity 6–23 months	
MixMF	Mixed milk feeding under six months	
MMF	Minimum meal frequency 6–23 months	
MMFF	Minimum milk feeding frequency for non-breastfed children 6–23 months	
SwB	Sweet beverage consumption 6–23 months	
UFC	Unhealthy food consumption 6–23 months	
ZVF	Zero vegetable or fruit consumption 6–23 months	
OTHER ACRONYMS		
CAPI	Computer-assisted personal interviewing	
DHS	Demographic and Health Surveys	

- IYC Infants and young children
- IYCF Infant and young child feeding

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