

ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS BOOK*

AIDS — Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome	IMF* — International Monetary Fund
ARI — Acute Respiratory Infection	IMR* — Infant Mortality Rate
ASAP — Alternative Structural Adjustment Program	IPHC — International People's Health Council
BWRO — Bretton Woods Reform Organization	IV — Intravenous
CB-ORS — Cereal-Based Oral Rehydration Salts	MINSa — Ministry of Health (Nicaragua)
CB-ORT* — Cereal-Based Oral Rehydration Therapy	NAFTA — North American Free Trade Agreement (Canada, US, and Mexico)
CBHP — Community-Based Health Workers	NCDDP — National Control of Diarrheal Disease Program (Egypt)
CHW — Community Health Worker	NGO — Nongovernmental Organization
CIA — Central Intelligence Agency (US)	NTAE — Nontraditional Agricultural Exports
CPHC — Comprehensive Primary Health Care	ORS* — Oral Rehydration Salts
DALY — Disability Adjusted Life Year	ORT* — Oral Rehydration Therapy
FB-ORT* — Food-Based ORT	PCDD — Programme for Control of Diarrhoeal Diseases
FDA — Food and Drug Administration (US)	PHC — Primary Health Care
FRELIMO — Front for the Liberation of Mozambique	PRI — Institutional Revolutionary Party (Mexico)
FSLN — Sandinista Front for National Liberation (Nicaragua)	RENAMO — Mozambique National Resistance
GATT — General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade	RHF — Recommended Home Fluids
GDP* — Gross Domestic Product	SAP* — Structural Adjustment Programs
GE — Gini Coefficient	SPHC — Selective Primary Health Care
GNP* — Gross National Product	SSS* — Sugar Salt Solution
GOBI* — Growth Monitoring, ORT, Breast-feeding, and Immunization	STD — Sexually Transmitted Disease
GOBI-FFF — GOBI plus Family Planning, Female Literacy, and Food Supplementation	TB — Tuberculosis
HAI — Health Action International	TNC — Transnational Corporation
HIV — Human Immunodeficiency Virus	U5MR* — Under Five Mortality Rate
IBFAN — International Baby Food Action Network	UK — United Kingdom
ICCDDR,B — International Center of Diarrhoeal Disease Research, Bangladesh	UN — United Nations
ICORT — International Conference on Oral Rehydration Therapy	UNDP — United Nations Development Program
ICPD — International Conference on Population and Development	UNESCO — United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization
	UNICEF* — United Nations Children's Fund
	UNO — United Nicaraguan Opposition
	US — United States of America
	USAID* — United States Agency for International Development
	USSR — Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
	WHO* — World Health Organization

* Abbreviations marked with an asterisk are discussed in the glossary.