**MEDICAL ABBREVIATIONS**

**--------------------- ABDOMEN**

**--------------------- ACTIVITIES OF DAILY LIVING**

**--------------------- MORNING**

**--------------------- ALZHEIMERS DISEASE**

**--------------------- ACUTE MYOCARDIAL INFRACT**

**--------------------- TEMPERTURE TAKEN AXILLARY (UNDER ARM)**

**--------------------- BLOOD PRESSURE**

**--------------------- BLOOD SUGAR**

**--------------------- LATIN BIS UB DIE MEANING TWICE A DAY**

**--------------------- ACQUIRED IMMUNE DEFICIENCY SYNDROME**

**--------------------- CUBIC CENTIMETER**

**--------------------- CULTURE AND SENSITIVITY**

**---------------------- CEREBROVASCULAR ACCIDENT STROKE**

**---------------------- CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL**

**---------------------- COMPETENCY EVALUATION PROGRAM**

**---------------------- CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION**

**---------------------- DO NOT RESUSCITATE**

**---------------------- EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES**

**----------------------- DEGREES FAHRENHEIT**

**---------------------- HEIGHT**

**1**

**------------------------ HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS**

**------------------------ HEAD OF BED**

**----------------------- HARD OF HEARING**

**------------------------ INTERAVENOUS**

**----------------------- LONG TERM CARE**

**------------------------ MILLILITER**

**------------------------ METHICILLIN RESISTANT STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS**

**----------------------- MILLIMETERS OF MERCURY TO MEASURE THE PARTIAL PRESSURE IF A GAS (AS FOR MEASUREMENT OF BLOOD)**

**----------------------- MEASURES MILLIMETER**

**------------------------ MINIMUM DATA SET**

**----------------------- MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

**----------------------- IN-TAKE AND OUTPUT**

**----------------------- NAUSEA AND VOMITING**

**----------------------- NURSE AIDE TRAINING AND COMPENTENCY EVALUATION PROGRAM**

**----------------------- NOTHING BY MOUTH**

**----------------------- OXYGEN**

**---------------------- OMNIBUS RECONCILIATION ACT OF 1987**

**--------------------- OUNCE OR OUNCES (FLUID MEASURE)**

**----------------------- PULSE**

**2**

**---------------------- PHYSICAL THERAPIST**

**----------------------- EVENING**

**---------------------- PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIMENT WORN BY HEALTH CARE WORKERS SUCH AS GOWN, GLOVES, MASKS**

**------------------------ BY MOUTH**

**------------------------ WHENEVER NECESSARY**

**------------------------ RANGE OF MOTION**

**------------------------- RESPIRATIONS**

**------------------------ IMMEDIATELY, AT ONCE**

**------------------------ SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DIESEASE, SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED ILLNESS**

**----------------------- SHORTNESS OF BREATH**

**----------------------- TEXAS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE**

**------------------------ TUBERCULOSIS**

**----------------------- TEMPERATURE**

**----------------------- THREE TIMES A DAY**

**----------------------- TYMPANIC MEMBRANE**

**----------------------- TEMPERATURE, PULSE, RESPIRATIONS**

**---------------------- UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

**---------------------- VITAL SIGNS**

**--------------------- VREVANCOMYCIN RESISTANT ENTEROCOCCUS**

**3**

**--------------------- TREATMENT**

**--------------------- WHEELCHAIR**

**---------------------- WEIGHT**

**---------------------- WITHIN NORMAL LIMITS**

**------------------------- X-RAY**

**MEASUREMENTS**

**1 TEASPOON EQUAL 5CC (OR 5ML)**

**1 OUNCE (OZ) EQUALS 30 CC (OR ML)**

**1 CUP (8OZ) EQUALS 240 CC (OR ML**)

**VITAL SIGNS**

**AVERAGE TEMPERATURE 98.6**

**AVERAGE PULSE**

**( ADULTS): 60-100**

**AVERAGE RESPIRATION (ADULTS): 12-20**

**AVERAGE BLOOD PRESSURE (ADULTS):** **120/80**

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