



ABBREVIATIONS, ACRONYMS, AND CODES

ACRONYM/ ABBREVIATION	FULL NAME	MIS CODE
ACTG	AIDS Clinical Trials Group	ACTG
ACON	ACTG Contraception Working Group of the WHISC	ACONWG
AEC	ACTG Executive Committee	AEC
ALC-UCLA	ACTG Laboratory Center at UCLA	ALC-UCLA
AMH	ACTG Mental Health Working Group of the WHISC	AMHWG
LOC	ACTG Leadership and Operations Center	
NCC	ACTG Network Coordinating Center	
LSC	ACTG Network Leadership Steering Committee	ALSC
ASPAT	ACTG Site Preparedness Advisory Team	
AEC Central IRB	AEC Central IRB Working Group of the AEC	AEC Central IRB
	AEC Communications Subcommittee	AECCSC
	AEC-SASC Protocol Costing Working Group	AECSASCPROTCOSTWG
ARTS	Antiretroviral Therapy Strategies Transformative Science Group	ARTS
BRI	Biomedical Research Institute (ACTG Specimen Repository)	
	Bone Complications Working Group of the Inflammation TSG	INFLAMMATIONBONEWG
	Broadly Neutralizing Monoclonal Antibody Working Group of ARTS TSG	BNMAWG
CRF	Case Report Form	
CM	Clarification Memo	
CLIA	Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments	
CPAG	Clinical Pharmacology Advisory Group	CPAG
CPQA	Clinical Pharmacology Quality Assurance	
CRMS	Clinical Research Management System	
CRS	Clinical Research Site	CRS
CSRC	Clinical Sciences Review Committee	
CSMG	Clinical Site Monitoring Group	

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CTA	Clinical Trials Agreement	
CTS	Clinical Trials Specialist	
CTU	Clinical Trials Unit	CTU
CSG	Collaborative Science Group	
CSS	Community Scientific Subcommittee of the GCAB	CSSGCAB
	Community Steering Subcommittee of the GCAB	COMMSTRGCAB
CP (also referred to as PR)	Concept Proposal	
CDA	Confidential Disclosure Agreement	
AECCOI	Conflict of Interest Subcommittee of the AEC	AECCOI
DACS	Data Analysis Concept Sheet	DACS
DQM	Data and Quality Manager's Working Group of the SOS	DQMWGSOS
DSMB	Data and Safety Monitoring Board	
DAR	Data Availability Report	
DMC	Data Management Center	
	Data Management Committee	DMC
DR	Data Request	
DAIDS	Division of AIDS	
Inflammation TSG	End-organ Disease/Inflammation Transformative Science Group	INFLAMMATIONTSG
EQA	External Quality Assurance	
FRWG	Field Representatives Working Group of the PDISC	FRWGPDISC
FOA	Funding Opportunity Announcement	
FSTRF	Frontier Science & Technology Research Foundation, Inc.	FSTRF
	GCAB Development Subcommittee	DEVGCAB
	GCAB Membership Subcommittee	MEMGCAB
	GCAB Policies Subcommittee	GCABPOLPROC
GCAB	Global Community Advisory Board Committee	GCAB
GMP	Good Manufacturing Practices	
HEP TSG	Hepatitis Transformative Science Group	HEPTSG
Cure TSG	HIV Reservoirs and Viral Eradication Transformative Science Group	CURETSG
HIV Aging WG	HIV and Aging Working Group	HAWG
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus	
HPV	Human Papilloma Virus	
ISL	Immunology Specialty Laboratory	
ISSG-RR	International Site Support Group- Regional Representatives	

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IRB	Institutional Review Board	
ISO Team	International Scientific Officer Team	ISO Team
ISS	International Site Support Group of the SASC	ISSGCSC
ISS-RR	International Site Support Group-Regional Representative	
	International Study Working Group of the Inflammation TSG	ISWG
ITBSL	International Tuberculosis Specialty Laboratory	
IND	Investigational New Drug	
LDMS	Laboratory Data Management System	
LDM	Laboratory Data Manager	
LFG	Laboratory Focus Group	
LPC	Laboratory Processing Chart	LPC
LT	Laboratory Technologist	
LTC	Laboratory Technologist Committee	LTC
	Less-Frequent-ART-Dosing Working Group of the ART TSG	LESSFREARTDOSWG
LOA	Letter of Amendment	
MIS	Management Information System	
MOPS	Manual of Procedures	
MTA	Material Transfer Agreement	
MO	Medical Officer	
UPCMHIMP	MHIMP Awardees Project Working Group of the UPC	UPCMHIMPAPWG
	Microbiome Focus Group of the Inflammation TSG	INFLAMMMICROBIOME
NASH/NAFLD	NASH (nonalcoholic steatohepatitis)/NAFLD (nonalcoholic fatty liver disease) Focus Group	NASH/NAFLD Working Group
NIAID	National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases	
NIH	National Institutes of Health	
Network Lab SC	Network Laboratory Steering Committee	NLSC
NEUROCSG	Neurology Collaborative Science Group	NEURO
NCE	New Chemical Entities Working Group	NCE WG
NDA	New Drug Application	
NMB	New Members Subcommittee of	GCABCSSNM

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	CSS	
NWCS	New Work Concept Sheet	NWCS
NoA	Notice of Grant Award	
HANC	Office of HIV/AIDS Network Coordination	
OR&R	Outreach, Recruitment, & Retention Working Group of the PDISC	ORRPDISCWG
PID or Patid	Participant Identifier	
PERC	Pathology EQA Review Committee	
pSMILE	Patient Safety Monitoring in International Laboratories	
PEC	Performance Evaluation Committee	PEC
PAB	Pharmaceutical Affairs Branch (DAIDS)	
PSL	Pharmacology Specialty Laboratory	
PWG	Pharmacy Working Group of the PDISC	PHARMPDISCWG
PO	Program Officer	
PDM	Protocol Data Manager	
PDISC	Protocol Development and Implementation Subcommittee of the SMCCC	PDISCSMCCC
PSWP	Protocol Specific Web Page	
RTBDL	Regional Tuberculosis Diagnostic Laboratory	
REG	Regulatory	
RAB	Regulatory Affairs Branch (DAIDS)	
RSC	Regulatory Support Center (DAIDS)	
RAG	Repository Advisory Group	RAG
RFA	Request for Application	
RFI	Request for Information	
RFP	Request for Proposal	
SIC	Sample Informed Consent	
SASC	Scientific Agenda Steering Committee	SASC
SC	Scientific Committee	
SMCCC	Site Management and Clinical Care Committee	SMCCC
SOS	Site Operations Subcommittee of the SMCCC	SOSSMCCC
SDSC	Source Documents Special Commission of the SMCCC	SDSCSMCCC

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SSIC	Spanish Sample Informed Consent	
SOP	Standard Operating Procedure	
SDAC	Statistical and Data Analysis Center	
SDMC	Statistical and Data Management Center	
	Steering Committee of the ARTS TSG	ARTSSTR
	Steering Committee of the Cure TSG	CURESTR
	Steering Committee of the HEP TSG	HEPSTR
	Steering Committee of the Inflammation TSG	INFLAMMATIONSTR
	Steering Committee of the Neurology CSG	NEUROSTR
	Steering Committee of the TB TSG	TBSTR
	Steering Committee of the WHISC	WHISCSTR
	Study Coordinators Leadership Working Group of the SOS	SCLWGSOS
	Study Coordinators Working Group of the SOS	SCWGSOS
SMC	Study Monitoring Committee	
	Study Monitoring Committee of the ARTS SC	ARTSSMC
	Study Monitoring Committee of the Cure TSG	CURESMC
	Study Monitoring Committee of the HEP TSG	HEPTSGSMC
	Study Monitoring Committee of the Inflammation TSG	INFLAMMATIONSMC
	Study Monitoring Committee of the Neurology Collaborative Science Group	NEUROSMC
TBSMC	Study Monitoring Committee of the TB TSG	TBTSGSMC
	TB TSG/HVTN Collaboration Working Group	TBTSGHVTNWG
	Therapeutic Vaccination Focus Group of the Cure TSG	CURETHERAVACWG
TEWGSOS	Training and Education Working Group of the SOS	TEWGSOS
TSG	Transformative Science Group	
TB TSG	Tuberculosis Transformative Science Group	TBTSG
TRP	(DAIDS) Therapeutics Research Program	
UPC	Underrepresented Populations	UPC

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	Committee	
VQA AB	Virology Quality Assurance Advisory Board	
VSL	Virology Specialty Laboratory	
WHISC	Women's Health Inter-Network Scientific Committee	WHISC