

List of abbreviations

BAL	bronchoalveolar lavage
CT	computed tomography
CTD	connective tissue disease
DAD	diffuse alveolar damage
DAH	diffuse alveolar haemorrhage
DLCO	diffusing capacity of the lung for carbon monoxide
FEV ₁	forced expiratory volume in 1 s
FVC	forced vital capacity
HLA	human leukocyte antigen
HRCT	high-resolution computed tomography
Ig	immunoglobulin
IIP	idiopathic interstitial pneumonia
IL	interleukin
ILD	interstitial lung disease
IPAF	interstitial pneumonia with autoimmune features
IPF	idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis
IPS	idiopathic pneumonia syndrome
LIP	lymphocytic interstitial pneumonia
MALT	mucosa-associated lymphoid tissue
NSIP	nonspecific interstitial pneumonia
OP	organising pneumonia
PAH	pulmonary arterial hypertension
PFT	pulmonary function test
PH	pulmonary hypertension
RA	rheumatoid arthritis
SLE	systemic lupus erythematosus
SSc	systemic sclerosis
UIP	usual interstitial pneumonia