

MEDICAL ABBREVIATIONS REFERENCE AND CORRECT DETAILED ANSWERS WITH RATIONALES (VERIFIED ANSWERS) | ALREADY GRADED A

LVAD - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Left ventricular assist device

LLQ - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Left lower quadrant

Hypoxic - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Low levels of oxygen in tissues

Trach - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Curved tube that goes into the trachea

SAR - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Severe acute respiratory syndrome

PO - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Per os- per mouth

MVA - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Motor vehicle accident

Kidney Calculus - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Nephrolith- kidney stones

Hydronephrosis - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Dilatation of the collecting system of the kidney due to obstruction of urine outflow

U/A - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Urine analysis

DVT - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Deep vein thrombosis

GERD - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Gastroesophageal reflux disease

CT - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Computed tomography

OSA - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Obstructive sleep apnea

CPAP - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Continuous positive airway pressure

Nephrectomy - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Surgical removal of the kidney

CKD - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Chronic kidney disease

PNA - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Pneumonia

UTI - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Urinary tract infection

CXR - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Chest x-ray

MAP - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Mean arterial pressure

Supratherapeutic INR - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Above the therapeutic international normalized ratio

Cr - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Creatinine

Hct - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Hematocrit test (part of a complete CBC)

Leukocytosis - ✓✓ANSW✓✓High white blood cell count

Plts - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Platelet

CVA - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Cerebrovascular accident

LDH - ✓✓ANSW✓✓Lactate dehydrogenase