

Acronyms - N

N/A – Not Applicable

NACHGR – National Advisory Council for Human Genome Research

NAHMOR – National Association of HMO Regulators

NAHQ – National Association for Healthcare Quality

NAIC – National Association of Insurance Commissioners

NAPH – National Association of Public Hospitals and Health Systems

NAS – National Academy of Sciences

NBCH – National Business Coalition on Health

NBGH – National Business Group on Health (formerly the Washington Business Group on Health or WBGH)

NBME – National Board of Medical Examiners

NCCAM – National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine

NCDR – National Cardiovascular Data Registry

NCHS – National Center for Health Statistics

NCI – National Cancer Institute

NCID – National Center for Infectious Diseases

NCMHD – National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparities

NCQA – National Committee for Quality Assurance

NCOHC – National Committee for Quality Health Care

NCVHS – National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics

NDEP – National Diabetes Education Program

NDNQI – National Database of Nursing Quality Indicators

NEJM – New England Journal of Medicine

NGO – Non-Governmental Organization

NHGRI – National Human Genome Research Institute

NHLBI – National Health, Lung, and Blood Institute

NHPF – National Health Policy Forum

NHS – National Health Service (United Kingdom)

NIA – National Institute on Aging

NIAMS – National Institutes of Arthritis, Musculoskeletal, and Skin Diseases

NICU – Neonatal Intensive Care Unit

NIH – National Institute of Health

NIHCM – National Institute for Health Care Management

NIOSH – National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health

NLM – National Library of Medicine

NLRB – National Labor Relations Board

NMR – Nuclear Magnetic Resonance

NP – Nurse Practitioner
NPRM – Notice of Proposed Rule Making
NPRNP – Nurse Practitioner (Registered)
NPSF – National Patient Safety Foundation
NPSG – National Patient Safety Goal
NQF – National Quality Forum
NR – Nursing
NRC – National Research Corporation