

## ABBREVIATIONS

AMA	Australian Medical Association
APMA	Australian Pain Management Association
ARV	antiretroviral
BCNA	Breast Cancer Network Australia
BTAA	Brain Tumour Alliance Australia
CHF	Consumers Health Forum of Australia
COPD	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
COSS Network	Council of Social Service Network
CPI	Consumer Price Index
CVA	Cancer Voices Australia
DoHA	Department of Health and Ageing
DVT	Deep Vein Thrombosis
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GIFT	Gamete Intrafallopian Transfer
GMiA	Generic Medicines Industry Association
GSK	GlaxoSmithKline Australia
HIV/AIDS	Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome
IVF	In vitro fertilisation
LAI	Long-acting injections
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MS	Multiple Sclerosis
NAPWA	National Association of People Living with HIV/AIDS
NFP	Not-for-profit
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
PBAC	Pharmaceutical Benefits Advisory Committee
PBPA	Pharmaceutical Benefits Pricing Authority
PBS	Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme
PCEHR	Personally Controlled Electronic Health Record
PHARMAC	Pharmaceutical Management Agency of New Zealand
R&D	Research and development
Schedule	The Schedule of Pharmaceutical Benefits
TGA	Therapeutic Goods Administration

