

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CFU	colony forming units
EPS	environmental paddle sampling
GJS	glove juice Sampling
HBC	hand bacterial counts
HCW	healthcare worker(s)
HE	Hektoen Enteric agar
ICP	infection control professional
LAH	large animal hospital(s)
MC	MacConkey agar
NNIS	National Nosocomial Infections Surveillance System
PMM	production management medicine
spp	species
TFM	Food and Drug Administration's Tentative Final Monograph
VM	volume measurement
VMRCVM	Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine
VT	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (Virginia Tech)
WHO	World Health Organization
WHS	waterless hand sanitizer