LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AIRTUM Associazione Italiana Registri Tumori (Italian Association of Cancer Registries)
AJCC American Joint Committee on Cancer
CCM Centro Controllo delle Malattie (Disease Control Center), Italian Ministry of Health
CDC Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CIN Cervical Intraepithelial Neoplasm
DCI Death Certificate Initiated
DCO Death Certificate Only
ENCR European Network of Cancer Registries
FAB French American British (leukemia classification)
IACR International Association of Cancer Registries
IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer – World Health Organization
ICD International Classification of Diseases
ICD-O International Classification of Diseases for Oncology
PSA Prostate Specific Antigen
SEER Surveillance Epidemiology and End Results – National Cancer Institute, USA
SMR Standard Mortality Ratio
UAT Unusual and Ambiguous Terminology
UICC Union Internationale Contre le Cancer
UKACR United Kingdom Association of Cancer Registries