## **LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS**

**BF** Breastfeeding

**CD** Childhood diarrhoea

**CF** Complementary feeding

**DALYs** Disability adjusted life years

**DK** Don't know

**DLHS** District level household survey

**EH** Environmental hygiene

**FH** Food Hygiene

**GAPPD** Global Action Plan for the Prevention and Control of

Pneumonia and Diarrhoea

**HAZ** Height for age z scores

**HFA** Height for age

**IMNCI** Integrated Management of Neonatal and Childhood

Illness

**IYCF** Infant and young child feeding

**KBF** Knowledge on breastfeeding

**KEH** Knowledge on environmental hygiene

**KFH** Knowledge on food hygiene

**KPH** Knowledge on personal hygiene

**LAZ** Length for age z scores

MDG Millennium development goal

NR No response

**NS** Not significant

**NSS** National sample survey

**OEH** Observations on environmental hygiene

**ORS** Oral rehydration solution

**PBF** Practices on breastfeeding

**PEH** Practices on environmental hygiene

**PFH** Practices on food hygiene

**PH** Personal hygiene

**PPH** Practices on personal hygiene

**S.D.** Standard deviation

**U5MR** Under five mortality rate

**UNICEF** United Nations Children's Fund

**WAZ** Weight for age z scores

**WFA** Weight for age

**WFH** Weight for height

**WHO** World health organisation

**WHZ** Weight for height z scores