

Supplemental Table 1. Abstinence rates between different subgroups considering polymorphism favorable markers and drug used. Logistic regression model

| | Abstinence in week 4 | | OR (IC95%) | p |
|---|----------------------|-----------|--------------------|--------|
| | No | Yes | | |
| Comparisons between different subgroups | | | | |
| 1 – each genetic subgroups vs control group | | | | 0.001 |
| Genetic favorable bupropion – drug used bupropion | 81 (81.0) | 19 (19.0) | 0.31 (0.17 a 0.56) | <0.001 |
| Genetic favorable varenicline – drug used varenicline | 36 (57.1) | 27 (42.8) | 1.00 (0.56 a 1.78) | 0.991 |
| Genetic not favorable for both- both drugs used | 11 (52.4) | 10 (47.6) | 1.21 (0.49 a 3.00) | 0.683 |
| Control group – drug used varenicline | 101 (57.1) | 76 (42.9) | reference | - |
| 2 – favorable genetic marker to varenicline vs not favorable marker in all varenicline users | | | | |
| Polymorphism favorable to varenicline – drug used varenicline | 111 (57.8) | 81 (42.2) | 0.86 (0.46 a 1.63) | 0.648 |
| Polymorphism not favorable to varenicline – drug used varenicline | 26 (54.2) | 22 (45.8) | reference | - |

p - descriptive level of the logistic regression model; OR - odds ratio; 95% CI - 95% confidence interval

Supplemental Table 2. Comparison of the efficacy of different strategies using combinations of varenicline and bupropion drugs.

| Cohort group | Abstinence continues between week 8-12 | | p |
|---|--|--------------|-------|
| | N (%) | IC95% | |
| started varenicline + bupropion | 15/21 (71.4) | 47.8 to 88.7 | |
| started varenicline and added bupropion | 49/79 (62.2) | 50.4 to 72.7 | 0.725 |
| started bupropion and added varenicline | 25/39 (54.1) | 46.0 to 78.2 | |

*p - descriptive level of the logistic regression model; 95% CI - 95% confidence interval

Supplemental Table 3. Interruption of treatment according to the initial medication.

| Drug | Interruption of treatment | | OR (IC95%) | p |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------|--------------------|--------|
| | No | Yes | | |
| varenicline | 215 (88.8) | 25 (11.3) | Reference | - |
| bupropion | 69 (69.0) | 31 (31.0) | 3.54 (1.98 a 6.35) | <0,001 |
| varenicline+bupropion | 17 (81.0) | 4 (19.0) | 1.86 (0.58 a 5.92) | 0,296 |

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Supplemental table 4 – Adverse events until week 4 according to drug used.

| Participants n 361 | Medication until week 4 | | |
|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| | vareniclina 2 mg/day (n=240) | Bupropion 300 mg /day (n=100) | Both drugs (2mg/day +150mg/day) (n=21) |
| Adverse Events | | | |
| Interrupted the drug and discontinued treatment | 2 (1%) | 11 (11%) | 1(5%) |
| Serious adverse event | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Any adverse events | 148 (61.6%) | 61 (61%) | 15 (71.4%) |
| Events reported | | | |
| nausea | 104 (30%) | 2(2%) | 10 (47%) |
| constipation | 10 (3%) | 4 (4%) | 0 |
| dreams lived | 13 (5%) | 0 | 0 |
| dry mouth | 0 | 13(13%) | 0 |
| insomnia | 11(4%) | 27(27%) | 5(24%) |
| sleepiness | 3 (1%) | 0 | 0 |
| headache | 2 (<1%) | 5(5%) | 0 |
| irritability | 0 | 2(2%) | 0 |
| Metallic taste | 3 (1%) | 1(1%) | 0 |
| no medication related | 2 (<1%) | 1(1%) | 0 |
| tremor | 0 | 6(6%) | 0 |

Supplemental Table 5- Adverse events after week 5 according to drugs used

| Participants | Adverse events from week 5 to week 12 | | | | |
|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|
| | varenicline 2mg/day (n=136) | bupropion 300 mg/dia (n=30) | Both drugs 2mg + 150 mg/day (n=17) | varenicline added bupropion 150mg. (n=79) | bupropion added varenicline 2mg. (n=39) |
| Events | | | | | |
| Discontinued treatment for adverse event | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Interrupted Varenicline | 1 | | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Interrupted bupropion | | 1 | 0 | 6 | 1 |
| Any adverse events | 12(9%) | 11 (36%) | 3(17%) | 23(29%) | 20 (51%) |
| Events reported | | | | | |
| nausea | 5 (4%) | 0 | 2 (12%) | 3(4%) | 13 (33%) |
| constipation | 4 (3%) | 1(3%) | 0 | 4(5%) | 3(8%) |
| dizziness | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 (1%) | 0 |
| dreams lived | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3(8%) |
| dry mouth | 0 | 2(6%) | 0 | 2 (2%) | 0 |
| insomnia | 0 | 8 (27%) | 1(6%) | 9 (11%) | 0 |
| headache | 1(<1%) | 0 | 0 | 1(1%) | 0 |
| irritability | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1(1%) | 0 |
| metallic taste | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1(1%) | 0 |
| no medication related | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| flatulence | 1(<1%) | 0 | 0 | 1(1%) | 1(2%) |
| allergy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1(1%) | 0 |