SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

MANUSCRIPT TITLE: Prevalence of comorbidities and impact on pulmonary rehabilitation outcomes

Supplementary Table I: List of all individual comorbidities included under each disease category in order of prevalence in study cohort

Circulatory	Digestive	Endocrine & Metabolic						
Hypertension (48.4%)	GERD (42.4%)	Dyslipidemia (26.0%)						
Coronary artery disease (14.3%)	Inflammatory bowel disease (2.7%)	Type II diabetes (14.8%)						
Atrial fibrillation (11.7%)	Hepatitis (1.8%)	Hypothyroidism (12.5%)						
Heart failure (8.2%)		Obesity (10.0%)						
Stroke (4.9%)		Hyperthyroidism (12.5%)						
Cardiomyopathy (2.5%)		Type I diabetes (0.4%)						
Transient ischemic attack (2.3%)								
Peripheral artery disease (2.0%)								
Peripheral vascular disease (1.8%)								
Arrythmia (1.0%)								
Mitral valve insufficiency (1.0%)								
Atherosclerosis (0.2%)								
Mental & Behavioural	Musculoskeletal & Connective	Nervous System						
	Tissue							
Anxiety (29.5%)	Osteoarthritis (21.5%)	Neuropathy (4.1%)						
Depression (27.5%)	Osteoporosis (17.2%)	Migraine (1.6%)						
Bipolar (1.4%)	Gout (5.7%)	Alzheimer's Disease (0.4%)						
Post-traumatic stress disorder (0.8%)	Fibromyalgia (4.7%)	Parkinsonn's Disease (0.4%)						
Traumatic brain injury (post-	Rheumatoid arthritis (1.8%)	Multiple sclerosis (0.4%)						
concussion syndrome) (0.4%)								
Schizophrenia (0.2%)								
Substance abuse (0.2%)								
Malignant Neoplasms								
Respiratory & Intrathoracic Organs	Female Genital Organs (Cerival-	Lymphoid, Hematopoietic &						
(Lung-7.4%)	2.4%, Ovary-0.4%)	Related Tissue (Leukemia-1.2%,						
Breast (6.3%)	Urinary Tract (Bladder-2.0%,	Lymphoma-0.8%)						
Male Genital Organs (Prostate -	Kidney-0.4%)	Thyroid and Other Endocrine						
5.1%, Testicular-0.4%)	Digestive Organs (Colorectal-1.6%,	Glands (Thyroid-0.4%)						
	Esophogeal-0.6%, Liver-0.2%)	Bone and Articular Cartilage (Bone-0.2%)						

Note: The only disease of the blood in the study population was Anaemia (8.6%), conditions in bold are those with a prevalence > 5.0%

Supplementary Table II: Prevalence of comorbidities in COPD and ILD populations by sex

	COPD (n=340)		ILD (n=66)			
	Total	F	M	Total	F	M
		(n=174)	(n=166)		(n=31)	(n=35)
Circulatory	65.6	60.9	70.5	53.0	51.6	54.3
Hypertension	49.1	44.3	54.2	42.4	48.4	37.1
CAD	15.3	12.6	18.1	13.6	6.5	20.0
Atrial Fibrillation	11.5	8.6	14.5	6.1	6.5	5.7
Heart Failure	7.4	8.0	6.6	1.5	0	2.9
Endocrine/ Metabolic	46.8	47.1	46.4	51.5	58.1	45.7
Dyslipidemia	27.9	25.9	30.1	19.7	19.4	20.0
Type II Diabetes	11.5	10.9	12.0	21.2	16.1	25.7
Hypothyroidism	12.4	19.0***	5.4	15.2	29.0**	2.9
Obesity	9.4	12.1	6.6	13.6	12.9	14.3
Digestive System	44.1	50.6*	37.3	54.5	61.3	48.6
GERD	41.2	48.3**	33.7	51.5	54.8	48.6
MSK/ connective	41.2	48.9**	33.1	39.4	54.8*	25.7
tissue						
Osteoarthritis	22.1	28.7**	15.1	15.2	29.0**	2.9
Osteoporosis	18.8	27.0***	10.2	15.2	22.6*	8.6
Gout	5.3	3.4	7.2	7.6	0	14.3*
Mental / Behavioural	40.0	52.3***	27.1	43.9	71.0***	20.0
Anxiety	28.8	36.8**	20.5	33.3	51.6*	17.1
Depression	27.1	36.2***	17.5	28.8	45.2**	14.3
Malignant Neoplasms	19.7	24.7*	14.5	10.6	16.1	5.7
Lung cancer	7.1	8.6	5.4	4.5	6.5	2.9
Nervous System	10.3	13.2	7.2	9.1	6.5	11.4
Blood (anaemia)	7.9	9.2	6.6	6.1	3.2	8.6

Bold headings refer to categories, only individual comorbidities with prevalence > 5.0% are depicted. CAD= coronary artery disease, GERD=gastroesophageal reflux disease, Full comorbidity list is provided in supplementary Table I (* p < 0.05,*** p < 0.01, **** p < 0.001).

Supplementary Table III: Impact of demographics on achieving minimal important difference in health-related quality of life (HRQoL) in COPD and ILD subpopulations

HRQoL (+ 0.5 units)							
COP	D	CRQ-Dyspnea % responders (n=208)	CRQ-Fatigue % responders (n=208)	CRQ-Emotion % responders (n=207)	CRQ-Mastery % responders (n=207)		
Age group	< 65	67.3	78.2	70.9*	81.8*		
	≥ 65	58.2	72.5	55.3	67.1		
	0 or 1	22.2*	55.6	44.4	55.5		
mMRC	2	55.9	82.4	47.1	76.5		
	3	69.2	76.9	67.7	72.3		
	4	62.7	74.6	59.3	74.6		
Sex	F	67.3*	82.7**	67.3*	80.0**		
	M	53.1	64.3	50.5	60.8		
O ₂ use	Y	56.3	81.6*	62.1	73.8		
	N	64.8	66.7	56.7	68.3		
ILD		CRQ-Dyspnea	CRQ-Fatigue	CRQ-Emotion	CRQ-Mastery		
		% responders (n=36)	% responders (n=38)	% responders (n=38)	% responders (n=38)		
Age group	< 65	70.6	70.6	70.6	70.6		
	≥ 65	52.6	57.1	57.1	71.4		
	0 or 1	50.0	75.0	50.0*	25.0		
mMRC	2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
	3	69.2	71.4	85.7	78.6		
	4	58.3	46.2	38.5	53.8		
Sex	F	75.0	82.4*	76.5	82.4		
	M	50.0	47.6	52.4	61.9		
O ₂ use	Y	28.6*	42.9	37.5	62.5		
	N	69.0	60.0	70.0	73.3		

mMRC score of 0 and 1 combined as only 1 patient in COPD population had mMRC of 0 (*p < 0.05, ** p < 0.01, *** p < 0.001) HRQoL= health-related quality of life, mMRC=Modified Medical Research Council Dyspnea Scale