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## Classification of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease as ABCD according to the GOLD 2011 and 2017 versions in patients at the University Medical Center in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

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Country	Year of research	Sample size	%C to %A (% change)	%D to %B (% change)	References
China	2019	1278	2.2-1.2	70.7-48.4	[9]
			(1)	(22.3)	
China	2017	1532	26.8-12	43-25.2	[7]
			(14.9)	(17.8)	
Korea	2018	1880	6.6-2.2	38.1-14.4	[12]
			(4.4)	(22.4)	
Taiwan	2018	1053	6.7-1.9	34.2-11.6	[10]
			(4.8)	(22.6)	
Japan	2018	1168	9.9-2.7	29.8-10	[11]
			(7.2)	(19.8)	
Switzerland	2018	571	10.9-5.1	36.1-19.3	[15]
			(5.8)	(16.8)	
Our study	2021	457	13.1-12	61.1-47.8	
			(1.1)	(13.3)	

Supplementary Table 1. Percentage of the reclassified group in some studies.

Supplementary Table 2. Comparison of patients in different Global Initiative for Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease stages.

Subjects	Total	GOLD 1	GOLD 2	GOLD 3	GOLD 4	p-value
Subjects	Subjects Total	n=36	n=194	n=190	n=37	
Age group, n (%)						< 0.001
40-49	28 (6.1)	5 (13.9)	7 (3.61)	13 (6.84)	3 (8.11)	
50-59	102 (22.3)	6 (16.7)	38 (19.6)	44 (23.2)	14 (37.8)	
60-69	167 (36.5)	7 (19.4)	66 (34.0)	76 (40.0)	18 (48.6)	
>= 70	160 (35.0)	18 (50.0)	83 (42.8)	57 (30.0)	2 (5.41)	

GOLD, Global Initiative for Chronic Lung Disease.



Subjects	Low-risk group	High-risk group	p-value
Subjects	n=184	n=273	
Age (years), mean $\pm$ SD	65.3±10.7	65.3±9.84	0.981
Age group, n (%)			0.063
40-49	13 (7.07)	15 (5.49)	
50-59	48 (26.1)	54 (19.8)	
60-69	54 (29.3)	113 (41.4)	
>=70	69 (37.5)	91 (33.3)	
Male, n(%)	173 (94.0)	260 (95.2)	0.567
BMI°	21.1 (4.62)	21.0 (5.22)	0.442
BMI classification, n(%)			0.683
Underweight	42 (22.8)	67 (24.5)	
Normale range	86 (46.7)	121 (44.3)	
Overweight	27 (14.7)	49 (17.9)	
Obese	29 (15.8)	36 (13.2)	
Dyspnoea, n (%)	138 (75.0)	232 (85.0)	0.011
Cough, n (%)	143 (77.7)	235 (86.1)	0.024
Sputum, n (%)	126 (68.5)	226 (82.8)	0.001
Wheezing, n (%)	115 (62.5)	219 (80.2)	< 0.001
FVC°	73.0 (22.3)	67.0 (24.0)	< 0.001
FEV1°	56.0 (23.0)	45.0 (20.0)	< 0.001
FEV1FVC°	56.0 (11.0)	52.0 (12.0)	< 0.001
GOLD_therapy, n(%)			< 0.001
LABA	70 (38.0)	10 (3.66)	
LABA + ICS	29 (15.8)	47 (17.2)	
LAMA	12 (6.52)	11 (4.03)	
LAMA + LABA	57 (31.0)	105 (38.5)	
LAMA + LABA + ICS	7 (3.80)	97 (35.5)	
SABA/ SABA + SAMA	9 (4.89)	3 (1.10)	

Supplementary Table 3. Comparison of patients between low-risk group (A-B) and highrisk group (C-D) according to Global Initiative for Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease 2017 criteria.

BMI, body mass index; FVC, forced vital capacity; FEV1, forced expiratory volume in the first second; LABA, long-acting  $\beta$ -agonists; LAMA, long-acting muscarinic antagonist; ICS, inhaled corticosteroid; SABA, short-acting  $\beta$ -agonists; SAMA, short-acting muscarinic antagonist; onon-normal distribution data were expressed as medians (interquartile range).

