# Improvement in Lung Function and Patient-Reported Outcomes in Patients with COPD with Comorbid Anxiety and Depression Receiving Nebulized Glycopyrrolate in the GOLDEN 3 and 4 Studies Hanania NA, et al. Int J Chron Obstruct Pulmon Dis 2021;16:865–875



**KEY FINDINGS** 

Treatment with GLY resulted in improvements in  $FEV_1$  and SGRQ total score vs. placebo at 12 weeks regardless of A/D status, although significant improvements were observed only in the A/D (–) group GLY was generally well tolerated, independent of A/D status. This emphasizes the importance of considering comorbidities when evaluating COPD treatments.



**OBJECTIVE** 

To investigate the efficacy and safety of nebulized GLY 25  $\mu g$  BID (FDA-approved dose) in patients with anxiety and depression in the GOLDEN-3 and -4 studies





Pooled data from GOLDEN-3 and -4 Phase III clinical trials

Patients aged ≥40 years with moderate-to-very-severe COPD, grouped by self-reported anxiety and depression (A/D)

Randomized 1:1:1 to placebo, GLY 25 μg BID, or GLY 50 μg BID

Screening Double-blind treatment period
1–3 weeks 12 weeks

Follow-up 5–7 days

Continuation of background LABA  $\pm$  ICS permitted



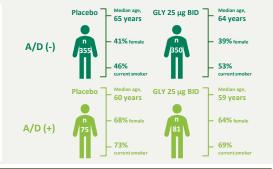
### **RESULTS**

## PATIENT DISTRIBUTION & BASELINE DEMOGRAPHICS

A/D (+) patients had a self-report history of A/D ≥6 months prior to and ongoing at the first study treatment.

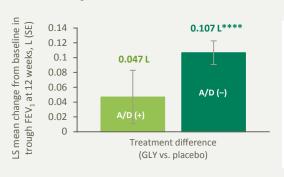
A/D (-) patients had no history of either A/D, or anxiety alone, or depression alone but did not have both disorders concurrently. In the pooled population, 18.1%

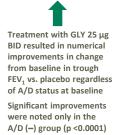
(n=156) of patients were A/D (+)



#### **LUNG FUNCTION**

Trough FEV, improved with GLY 25 μg BID vs. placebo regardless of A/D status









GLY 25  $\mu g$  BID was generally well tolerated, regardless of A/D status. Incidences of AEs and SAEs were lower in GLY 25  $\mu g$  BID vs. placebo treatment groups

#### **PATIENT-REPORTED OUTCOMES**

SGRQ total score improved with GLY 25 µg BID vs. placebo regardless of A/D status

