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Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease (COPD) GUIDELINE

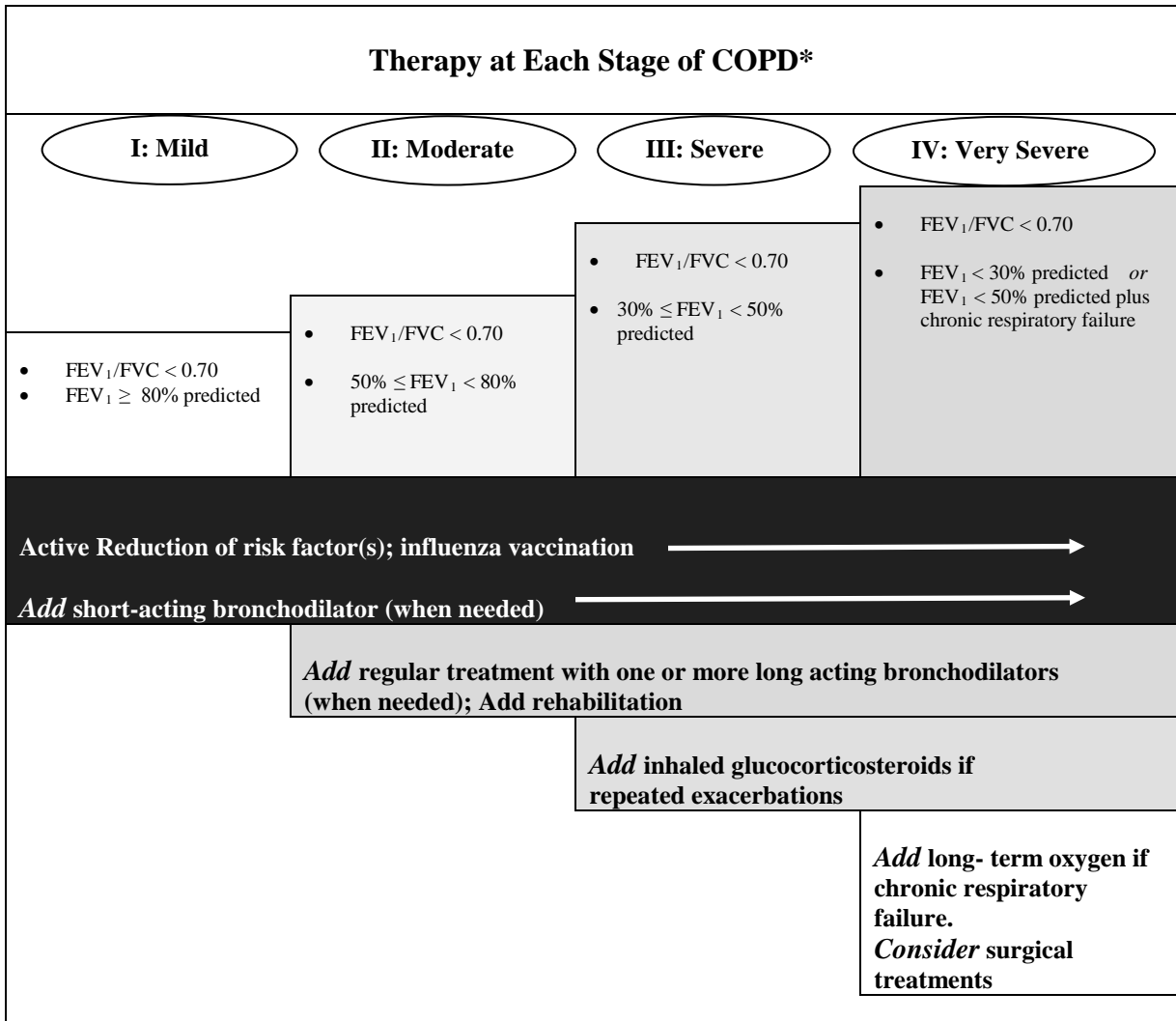
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The full Global Initiative for Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease Clinical Practice Guideline is available at:

<http://www.goldcopd.org>

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Clinical Practice Guideline
COPD Summary of Characteristics and Recommended Treatment



* Postbronchodilator FEV₁ is recommended for the diagnosis and assessment of severity of COPD.

Summary for Treatment of COPD, 11/12/09
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