

Supplementary Material

Clinical Profile, Healthcare Resource Consumption and Related Costs in ANCA-Associated Vasculitis Patients: a Real-World Analysis in Italy

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Table S1. The 10 most frequently prescribed drugs in the two cohorts during the characterization period.

ATC	Prescription	GPA patients (N=713)	MPA patients (N=146)
J01	Antibacterials for systemic use	554 (77.7%)	107 (73.3%)
H02	Corticosteroids for systemic use	551 (77.3%)	108 (74.0%)
A02	Drugs for acid related disorders	531 (74.5%)	123 (84.2%)
R03	Drugs for obstructive airway diseases	381 (53.4%)	43 (29.5%)
C09	Agents acting on the renin-angiotensin system	271 (38.0%)	76 (52.1%)
A11	Vitamins	269 (37.7%)	79 (54.1%)
M01	Anti-inflammatory and antirheumatic products	218 (30.6%)	42 (28.8%)
B01	Antithrombotic agents	217 (30.4%)	61 (41.8%)
L04	Immunosuppressive agents	207 (29.0%)	39 (26.7%)
B03	Antianemic preparations	183 (25.7%)	50 (34.2%)

Table S2. The 10 most frequent causes of hospitalization in the two cohorts during the characterization period.

Description	GPA patients (N=713)	MPA patients (N=146)
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	105 (14.7%)	21 (14.4%)
Respiratory system	88 (12.3%)	8 (5.5%)
Kidney and urinary tract	50 (7.0%)	24 (16.4%)
Circulatory system	42 (5.9%)	6 (4.1%)
Ear, nose, mouth and throat	27 (3.8%)	-*
Infectious and parasitic diseases/disorders	19 (2.7%)	4 (2.7%)
Skin, subcutaneous tissue and breast	17 (2.4%)	-*
Nervous system	17 (2.4%)	8 (5.5%)
Digestive system	12 (1.7%)	4 (2.7%)
Blood and blood forming organs/immunological disorders	11 (1.5%)	-*

* not present in the 10-most frequently prescribed drugs list

Table S3. The 10 most frequently prescribed drugs in the two cohorts at one-year follow-up.

ATC	Prescription	GPA patients (N=713)	MPA patients (N=146)
H02	Corticosteroids for systemic use	566 (79.4%)	115 (78.8%)
A02	Drugs for acid related disorders	536 (75.2%)	125 (85.6%)
J01	Antibacterials for systemic use	499 (70.0%)	101 (69.2%)
A11	Vitamins	357 (50.1%)	83 (56.8%)
R03	Drugs for obstructive airway diseases	319 (44.7%)	37 (25.3%)
L04	Immunosuppressive agents	272 (38.1%)	58 (39.7%)
C09	Agents acting on the renin-angiotensin system	242 (33.9%)	68 (46.6%)
B01	Antithrombotic agents	232 (32.5%)	60 (41.1%)
B03	Antianemic preparations	212 (29.7%)	51 (34.9%)
C03	Diuretics	195 (27.3%)	56 (38.4%)

Table S4. GLM model to evaluate predictors of mean annual cost among AAV patients. Significant p values are highlighted in bold.

	β Coefficient €	[95% confidence interval]		P value
Diagnosis of MPA (ref. GPA)	+963.06	-13.65	1939.76	0.053
Hospitalization as inclusion criteria (ref. exemption code)	+12,583.75	9843.63	15,323.88	<0.001
Use of glucocorticoids	+1486.87	680.05	2293.70	<0.001
Age	+28.25	7.85	48.65	<0.01
Male gender	-312.80	-947.29	321.70	0.334
Charlson comorbidity index	+1142.45	546.64	1738.26	<0.001
Constant	-13,376.83	-16,328.34	-10,425.32	<0.001