

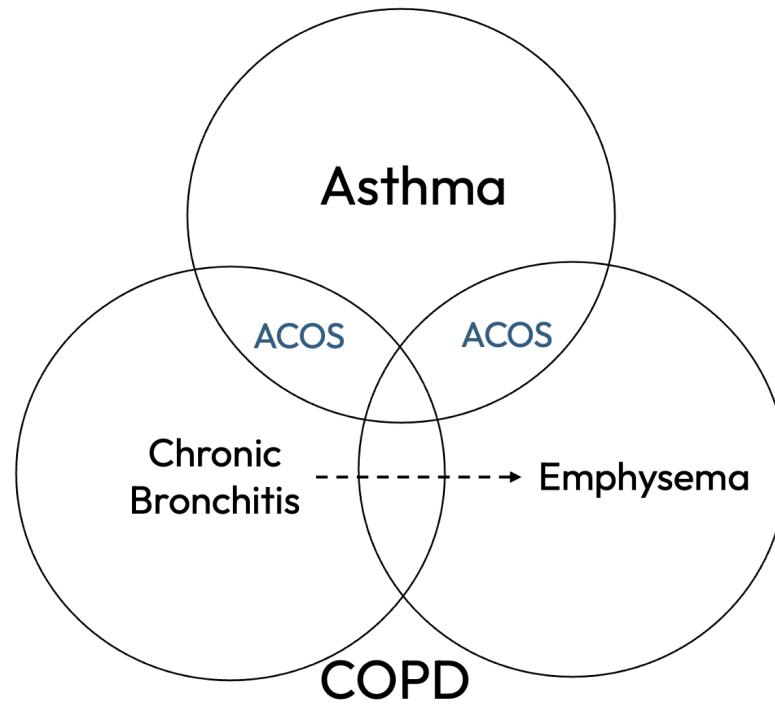


ASTHMA vs. COPD

COMPARISON OF DISEASES STATES

VARIABLE	ASTHMA	COPD
Cell Type Present	Eosinophils	Neutrophils
Airway Activity	Hyperreactive leading to airway obstruction from bronchoconstriction.	Mucous hypersecretion leading to airway obstruction & remodeling
Bronchodilator Response	Yes	Limited
ICS Response	Yes	Limited

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ANTIMUSCARINIC ANTAGONISTS MECHANISM OF ACTION

