**Table S6. Count of transitions between states**

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| **Transitions** | **To** |
| **DX** | **EDC** | **EDO** | **HC** | **HO** | **MO** |
| **From** | **DX** |  -  |  9,930  |  70,869  |  1,608  |  5,799  | 1,183 |
| **EDC** |  6,443  |  -  |  -  |  3,115  |  352  | 16a |
| **EDO** |  57,477  |  -  |  -  |  2,911  |  10,312  | 142a |
| **HC** |  6,981  |  -  |  -  |  -  |  -  | 650 |
| **HO** |  15,644  |  -  |  -  |  -  |  -  | 813 |
| **Total** | 86,545 |  9,930  | 70,869  |  7,634 |  16,463  |  2,804  |

a < 200 total transitions

Abbreviations: DX, COPD Diagnosis and in the community; EDC, In the emergency department for a COPD-related reason; EDO, In the emergency department for the non-COPD-related reason; HC, In the hospital for a COPD-related reason; HO, In the hospital for a non-COPD-related reason; MO, All-cause mortality.