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**Esophageal dysphagia and reflux symptoms before and after oral IQoro<sup>R</sup> training**

**The short running title: Esophageal dysphagia and IQoro<sup>R</sup> training**

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**Lisa Wernroth, a professional biostatistician from Uppsala Clinical Research Centre (UCR) performed the analysis presented in table 1. The Wilcoxon signed rank test was used to compare data within groups, for all symptom and VAS tests, and for LFT and VCT before and after IQS training. The Mann-Whitney U test was used to compare dysphagia and reflux symptoms between Groups A and B before and after IQS training.  $P < 0.05$  was considered significant. All statistical analyses were performed using SAS version 9.1 software (SAS Institute Inc., Carey, NC, USA).**



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