

## Format for ANSWERING REVIEWERS

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Dear Editor,



Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 14507-review.doc).

**Title:** Unreported complication of Bravo pH capsule dislodged into the pyriform sinus

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of the reviewers in the following ways:

1. The format has been updated based on the suggestions of the editor seen via the "Track Changes" function. These changes include addition of postal code to the location of author affiliations, addition of telephone contact information for the corresponding author, and reformatting of reference footnotes within the text.
2. Revisions have been made according to the suggestions of the reviewers.
  - a. Reviewer 00183658- "The authors should recommend the readers to apply this knowledge into routine clinical practice"

*We agree with this suggestion and have added a paragraph at the end of the manuscript to state this recommendation:*

*"Gastroenterologists performing this procedure should be cognizant of the low but non-trivial risk of Bravo pH capsule complications, ranging from technical difficulties to aspiration of a dislodged capsule. Providers can use reports of documented complications to troubleshoot and resolve difficulties that may arise during deployment of Bravo pH capsules."*

- b. Reviewer 00504581- "It would be interesting to show some pictures of the deployment's procedure of the bravo capsule and also the capsule dislodged in the pyriform sinus."

*We agree with this suggestion and have added an image (A) that shows the Bravo pH capsule dislodged in the pyriform sinus. Unfortunately, due to high-risk nature of this specific case, we were not able to obtain other images of actual deployment. As this image is somewhat limited, we leave its inclusion in this piece up to the discretion of the reviewer and the editor.*

Thank you once again to the reviewers for their excellent suggestions and to the editors for

their consideration of our work. Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions.  
We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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