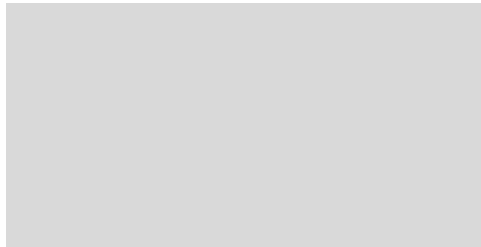


Appendix D. Rankings for each expert group for each round of the online Delphi survey.

	Round 1				Round 2				Round 3		
	Healthcare Professional	Patient	Surgeon	Healthcare Professional	Patient	Surgeon	Healthcare Professional	Patient	Surgeon		
Lifestyle	8	9	8				8	8	8		
Diet Restriction	5	7	5	6	6	6					
Social Activities	7	7.5	7	8	8	8	8	8	8		
Perform Work	7	7	7	8	8	8	7	7	7		
Sexual Function	5	6	7	7	7	7	8	7	8		
Wellbeing	8	7	7				8	8	8		
Quality of Life	8	8	8				9	8	8		
Dissatisfaction	7	8	7				7	8	7		
Preference for Stoma	5	4	7	5	4	6					
Toilet Dependence	8	8	8				8	8	9		
Inability to defer	8	8	8				8	8	8		
Frequency/24hr	7	8	7				8	8	8		
Frequency >4/24hr	7	8	6								
Nocturnal motions	6	6	7	7	7	7					
Consistency	5	7	4	6	7	5	7	7	6		
Diarrhoea	5	7	5	6	7	6	7	7	7		
Constipation	4	5	5	5	5	5					
Clustering	8	9	8				8	8	8		
Incomplete evacuation	8	8	7				8	8	8		
Tenesmus	7	7	7	7	7	8	7	6	8		
Difficulty emptying	7	7	6	7	8	7	7	8	7		
Time to evacuate	6	7	6	7	7.5	7	7	7.5	6		

Straining	5	6	5	6	7	6			
Pain passing motion	5	5	5	5	5	6			
Loss of urge	4	4	5	5	3	5			
Use of Anti-diarrhoeals	6	6	5	5	5	5			
Evacuatory Aids	6	5	6	5	4	6			
Gas-Stool Discrimination	7	7	7	8	7	8	7	7	8
Incontinence (Any)	8	8	7						
Faecal Incontinence	8	8	8	8.5	8	9	9	8	9
Solid Stool Incontinence	8	6	7	7.5	6	8			
Liquid Incontinence	8	7	7	8	7	8	8	8	9
Flatus Incontinence	7	7	6	7	7	7	7	7	7
Soiling	7	8	7				8	8	8
Pad wearing	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Nocturnal Incontinence	7	5	7	7	5	7			
Faecal Urgency	8	8	8				8	8	9
Preoccupation with bowel function				7	8	7	8	8	7
Fear/anxiety over bowel control				7	8	7	8	8	8
Concern others will smell lack of bowel control				7	7	6	7	7	6.5
Inability to cope with bowel function				7	7	8	7	8	7
Variable/unpredictable bowel function				7	8	7	8	8	8
Tiredness/fatigue				6	6	5			
Concern about dehydration				5	4	3			
Social isolation				8	6	8			
Bowel noises				5.5	5	4			
Rectal spasms/cramping				6	5	6			

Effect on urinary function
Loss of sensation around
the anus
Perianal soreness
Bloating/abdominal
discomfort
Excessive wind (flatus)



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