Appendix. Diagnosis Questionnaire

1. ANMA: ANMA Chronic Constipation Diagnosis Tool
   Subjects with any one of the following complaints will be considered as suffering from chronic constipation (CC):
   • Hard stools (defined as type 1, 2 or 3 of Bristol scale)
   • Difficulty to pass stool (alert symptom)
   • Infrequent defecation (fewer than 3 bowel movements per week)
   • Straining
   • Sensation of anorectal obstruction/blockage
   • Manual maneuvers needed
   and,
   • If the chronicity definition is met (CC symptoms for the past 3 months with a symptom onset at least 3 months before diagnosis)

2. Rome III: Rome III Diagnosis Criteria
   Subjects fulfilling ≥ 2 of the following criteria (for at least ≥ 25% of defecation) for the past 3 months will be considered as suffering from CC:
   • Straining
   • Lumpy or hard stools (defined as types 1 and 2 of Bristol scale)
   • Sensation of incomplete evacuation
   • Sensation of anorectal obstruction/blockage
   • Manual maneuvers needed
   • < 3 bowel movements per week
   and,
   • If the chronicity definition is met (CC symptoms for the past 3 months with a symptom onset at least 6 months before diagnosis)

3. Subject Self-defined Chronic Constipation

4. Investigator’s Judgment Chronic Constipation