Supplementary material

Second generation Pillcam Colon Capsule (PCCE2)

The second generation Pillcam colon capsule (PCCE-2) measures 11.6 x 31.5 mm and has two cameras, one at each side with a wide angle of view of 172 degrees, allowing 344 degrees coverage of the mucosa. It has an adaptive frame rate, alternating between 4 frames per second when stationary, to 35 images per second when in motion. This adaptation allows preserving batteries, optimizing video length and coverage. No delay mode is used with the PCCE 2. In addition, there is cross-talk between the capsule and the data recorder, by which the capsule identifies its presence in the small bowel, thus allowing both change in frame rate, as well as transmitting instruction to the patient which are displayed on an LCD display on the recorder.

Bowel preparation regimen

Two days before the procedure, patients took 10 mg bisacodyl and were restricted to a low fiber diet. The next day, patients used a liquid diet and drank 1.5 L of a polyethylene glycol preparation (PEG) in the evening. In the morning before the test, patients drank another 1.5 L PEG solution. When the duodenum was visualized on the display, and three hours thereafter, patients drank a dose of phosphoral (sodiumphosphate) or picoprep (sodium picosulfate and magnesium citrate) and 1 to 2 L of clear liquid afterwards. The bowel preparation quality was assessed for six segments: the terminal ileum, ascending colon, transverse colon, descending colon, sigmoid and rectum.

Supplementary table 1. Pan-CE SES-CD and CDEIS before and after biologic treatment

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Baseline pan-CE			Follow-up pan-CE			Difference		
Median	IQR	n	Median	IQR	n	Median	IQR	р
7.1	(4.6 - 11.2)	22	3.0	(0.9 - 6.0)	22	2.6	(0.4 - 7.6)	0.001
7.8	(3.6 - 11.5)	15	2.9	(0.8 - 4.6)	15	2.9	(1.9 - 8.5)	0.001
16.0	(10.0 - 24.0)	22	6.0	(2.8 – 12.0)	22	9.3	(2.8 - 16.5)	0.001
20.0	(11.0 - 27.0)	15	5.0	(2.0 - 12.0)	15	12.0	(5.0 - 20.0)	0.001
3.5	(0.0 - 7.0)	22	0.0	(0.0 - 3.8)	22	0.0	(-0.3 - 5.3)	0.023
12.0	(6.8 – 22.0)	22	4.0	(2.0 - 11.5)	21	8.0	(1.5 - 14.5)	0.001
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^{*}patients excluded if not all segments were explored in both procedures, **jejunum, pre-terminal ileum and terminal ileum, *** ascending colon, transverse colon, descending colon and rectum