
Appendix 1. List of diagnostic tests

Twenty-four-hour oesophageal pH probe	Lung diffusion capacity
Arterial blood gas	Lung volumes
Barium swallow	Maximal inspiratory pressure (MIP) and maximal expiratory pressure (MEP)/respiratory muscle strength
Basic chemistries	Open lung biopsy
Brain natriuretic peptide	Oxygen saturation using pulse oximetry
Bronchial provocation test	Polysomnography
Bronchoscopy	Response to disease specific therapy
Cardiac catheterization	Scintigraphy
Cardiac magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)	Serum haemoglobin
Cardiopulmonary exercise test	Sinus CT scan
Chest computed tomography (CT) scan	Sinus X-ray
Chest X-ray	Spirometry
CT angiogram	Thoracentesis
Echocardiogram/stress echocardiography	Thyroid function test/thyroid stimulating hormone (TSH); free thyroxine (T4)
Electrocardiogram (ECG)	Upper gastrointestinal (GI) endoscopy
Evaluation by cardiologist	Ventilation/perfusion scan
Evaluation by psychiatrist	
Flow Volume Loop	
Full blood count	
