TABLE 1. Potential SARS-CoV-2 infection risk in endoscopy patients

Classification of potential SARS-CoV-2 infection risk in patients
undergoing endoscopic examination

Low risk

- No symptoms (eg, cough, fever, breathlessness, diarrhea)
- No contact with SARS-CoV-2-positive person
- Nonstay in high-risk area during the previous 14 days

Intermediate Presence of symptoms with

risk

- No medical history for contact with SARS-CoV-2-positive person
- Nonstay in high-risk area during the previous 14 days
 - No symptoms but
- Contact with SARS-CoV-2-positive person
- Stay in high-risk area during the previous 14 days

High risk*

- At least 1 symptom + 1 of the following:
- Contact with SARS-CoV-2-positive person
- Stay in high-risk area during the previous 14 days

SARS-CoV, Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus.

*In an emergency setting, all procedures must be considered high risk if adequate patient history cannot be assessed.