Low anterior resection syndrome (LARS) has predominantly been defined as bowel dysfunction after rectal surgery for cancer, which is detrimental to quality of life. This definition tends not to lend itself to estimations of prevalence. Additionally, fundamental characteristics that patients may experience may also not be captured when using the validated LARS score, despite the tool having valuable clinical
A LARS international collaborative group has developed a definition with direct input from a large international patient panel, which ensures that vital aspects of the patient's experience is included. The group concluded that including these experiences into a new tool to measure LARS will allow for more accurate severity and therefore enable more precise evaluation of treatment approaches. For the full document the button below.

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What HCPs are saying about Klick...

"Qufora IrriSedo Klick is well packaged, the carry case looks like a wash bag (i.e not clinical or out-of-place in a bathroom) which I think is important for patients that are coming to terms with needing to irrigate. Calling it 'Klick' and having a very easy to put together klick system is great, just to confirm/reassure the user that all is fastened correctly and it isn't going to leak water. Also, it does not require much pressure/strength to klick together, which is good for our patients with reduced grip either due to neurological or arthritic reasons. Easy to follow instructions. Good that they do not have to fill completely to 1000mls (especially if they are only starting on 500mls) as 1 litre of water can look overwhelming to patients. Overall, a well designed irrigation system that is easy to use" Physiotherapist

Our Qufora team is receiving a lot of positive feedback from healthcare professionals who have great experience and result with their patients using our new easy to use balloon system. What is your experience teaching your patients using Qufora IrriSedo products?
Qufora team's diary is looking very busy with the scheduled study days and conferences for 2020.

We have put together a list of the events that may interest you. Clicking on the links below to register for these events where you can meet our
fabulous Qufora team and learn more about the ways you can help your patients with continence issues.

- **BBUK Continence Symposium** - 3 March, Coventry
- **The George Foster NW MASIC Education Day** - 3 March, Chester
- **Current Concepts in Pelvic Floor Management: Faecal Incontinence** - 5-6 March, Cardiff
- **ACA Annual Conference 2020** - 18-19 May, Bristol. Early Bird Rate ends soon, don’t miss your chance!
- **ACPGBI 2020 Annual Meeting** - 6-8 July, Edinburgh
- **POGP national conference 2020** - 2-3 October, York
- **ERIC Paediatric Continence Care Conference** - 6 October, Birmingham

This is your Qufora Club

Please contact us and share your thoughts, feedback and ideas. You can email us at info@macgregorhealthcare.com or you can enter your information on our Contact Us form on our website and we will get back to you as soon as possible.