

Supplementary Table 1. Details of clinical outcomes and management in patients with complications.

| Complication             | n  | Management                                     |
|--------------------------|----|------------------------------------------------|
| Post-operative bleeding  | 15 | Endoscopic hemostasis or conservative          |
| Perforation              | 3  | Endoscopic clipping or conservative            |
| Pneumomediastinum        | 2  | Endoscopic clipping or conservative            |
| Esophageal stenosis      | 36 |                                                |
| - Managed endoscopically | 35 | Endoscopic dilation (balloon dilation and RIC) |
| - Managed surgically     | 1  | Surgery (due to perforation during dilation)   |

Abbreviations: RIC, radial incision and cutting.