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Exploring functioning and Health-Related Quality of Life in Patients Referred to a Diagnostic Cancer pathway for Non-Specific Serious Symptoms

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Online Resource 1:

Distribution of diagnostic categories among patients with another serious diagnosis who completed the baseline questionnaires (n = 71)

Diagnostic category	n	%
Rheumatological	24	34
Gastrointestinal	10	14
Endocrinological	6	9
Respiratory	4	6
Cardiological	12	17
Neurological	6	9
Other	9	11
Total	71	100

Categories are based on main ICD-10 diagnosis recorded three months after referral. "Other" includes infectious, haematological, nephrological, and non-specific conditions not fitting into the predefined categories.