Table 2

Differential diagnosis of chronic pancreatitis (adapted from Jalal et al, 2018)[8]

Hepatobiliary

- Acute cholecystitis
- Biliary colic
- Acute pancreatitis
- Pancreatic cancer

Gastrointestinal

- Irritable bowel syndrome
- Peptic ulcer disease
- Gastroparesis
- Intestinal obstruction, ischaemia or infarction

Other

- Abdominal aortic aneurysm
- Thoracic radiculopathy
- Myocardial infarction
- Postherpetic neuralgia