

Table SII. Overview of all the parameters used in the statistical analysis in order to assess the outcome of the surgery over time and the difference in outcome between the 2 types of treatment

Parameter	Function	Range	Description
Sum skin conductance (SC)	Objective dependent variable	0->40	The sum of SC baseline and all responses from the stress-test (Table SI)
Gravimetry	Objective dependent variable	0->1,000	Weight of absorbed sweat on filter paper during 5 min
VAS sweating	Subjective dependent variable	0-10	Subjective rating of sweating at each axilla, where 0 is no sweating and 10 is maximal sweating
Time	Fixed effect	1-4	Pre-operative=1, 3 months=2, 6 months=3, 12 months=4
Treatment	Fixed effect	1-2	Treatment A=1, Treatment B=2
Subject	Random effect	1-22	Random patient ID
Hypothenar NSCR	Covariate	0->1,000	Number of palmar SC responses during stress-test

The first column gives the name which the parameter is referred to in the text, while a description is given in the 4th column. The 2nd column explains how the parameter is used in the statistical model, and the range of the parameters are given in the 3rd column.

VAS: visual analogue scale; SC: skin conductance; NSCR: number of SC responses; ID: identification.