**S2 table.** **Salivary proteins that are differentially expressed in NPDR patient group compared to XDR patient group.**

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| **Accession** | **Protein Name** | **Unique peptides** | **Peptide (95%)** | **Coverage %** | **Fold change** |
| **Up-regulated** |
| 4507509 | Metalloproteinase inhibitor 1 precursor [*Homo sapiens*] | 2 | 6 | 24.64 | 3.821 |
| **Down-regulated** |
| 194272142 | Unconventional myosin-IXb isoform 2 [*Homo sapiens*] | 1 | 40 | 22.45 | 0.228 |
| 32455264 | Peroxiredoxin-1 [*Homo sapiens*] | 3 | 5 | 26.13 | 0.169 |