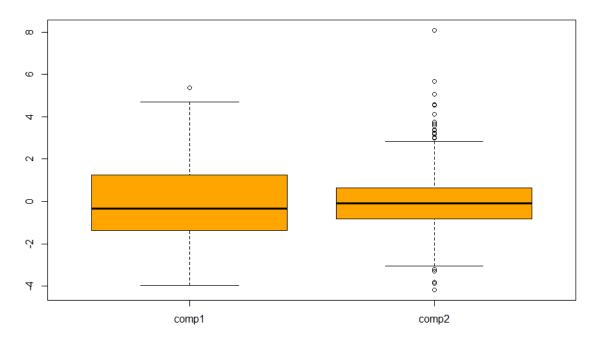
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Outlier analysis

Figure S1: Box-and-whisker plot of the first principal component resulting from breath profile comparison of patients with ILD and other chronic respiratory diagnosis.



Principal component 1 (comp1) and 2 (comp2) result from the partial least squares analysis of breath profiles comparison of patients with ILD and other respiratory diseases. Outliers are marked as dots (n=25).

Table S1: Results of breath analysis comparison without outliers.

| Group 1 | n= | Group 2 | n= | Dataset | AUC | 95% CI | Specificity | Sensitivity | Accuracy | NPV | PPV |
|---------|-----|-----------------------------------|----|----------|------|-----------|-------------|-------------|----------|------|------|
| ILD | 101 | Asthma – COPD – Lung cancer | 98 | Training | 0.97 | 0.95-0.99 | 0.91 | 0.95 | 0.93 | 0.95 | 0.91 |
| | 50 | | 48 | Test | 0.98 | 0.96-1.00 | 0.94 | 0.94 | 0.94 | 0.94 | 0.94 |

Results based on 2 principal components. AUC = area under the curve; CI = confidence interval; COPD = chronic obstructive pulmonary disease; ILD = interstitial lung disease.