



DATE PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

4/6/22

4 cm ulcerated firm skin mass at base of dewclaw LF. Unknown duration of time present. Owner just noticed patient licking yesterday.

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CYTOLOGY SUBMISSION

FNA of Dewclaw mass

OBSERVATIONS

Dewclaw mass: Submitted are 11 excellent images of minimal collections of cells from the dewclaw region on Jake. The collected cells are RBCs with scattered neutrophils and macrophages. There are rare lymphocytes and keratinized cells. Malignant criteria are not identified.

PATIENT

Jake Findley

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Dewclaw mass - Pyogranulomatous inflammation with keratinized cells.

COMMENTS

SPECIES

Canine

There is no suggestion of neoplasia or sepsis. There is chronic inflammation. This may be due to foreign body granuloma or other causes of inflammation. A ruptured keratinized or follicular cyst could also cause this response. Treatment for inflammation with the possibility of excision may be considered. A favorable prognosis is possible if the inflammation responds to anti inflammatory products. An outside possibility is inflammation secondary to neoplasia but the changes are not specific for that disease process.

BREED

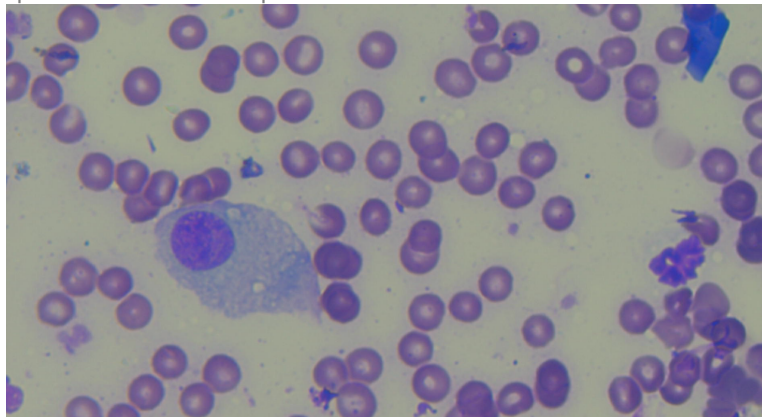
Mix

SEX

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AGE

3y



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114.4 lb

Image shows a macrophage, neutrophil and keratinized cell associated with the RBCs in this field. No other specific change is noted.

The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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Thank you for this referral. If the clinical or image interpretation does not parallel your findings or if I can be of any further assistance, please contact me.

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