


**PATIENT**

Ebdó Cullity

**SPECIES**

Canine

**BREED**

Miniature Schnauzer

**SEX**

Male Neutered

**AGE**

5 months

**WEIGHT**

17lbs

**INTERPRETED BY**

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**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

History: Grade 3-4/6 heart murmur.

**ECHOCARDIOGRAM FINDINGS**

2D, m-mode, color flow and doppler imaging is available. Normal MV leaflets with no obvious prolapse. Trivial mitral regurgitation. Normal left atrial dimension. Normal LV diameter with adequate myocardial function. Normal LV wall dimensions. The tricuspid valve appears subjectively normal with trivial tricuspid regurgitation. The right heart is normal. No overt evidence of pulmonary arterial hypertension. The pulmonic and aortic valves are normal in morphology and mobility. No obvious aortic abnormalities identified, however the LVOT velocity is mildly elevated. Laminar flow. Pulmonic outflow velocities are mildly elevated. The pulmonic valve is unremarkable. No aortic and trace pulmonic insufficiency. No obvious congenital shunts. No pericardial or pleural effusion noted. No cardiac tumors observed.

**CARDIAC CHART**

CANINE CARDIAC PARAMETERS	MR VMAX (m/s)	TR VMAX (m/s)	LA/AO (Boon method)	LA/AO (Heart Base; Swe)	FS (%)	EF (%)	EPSS (cm)
NORMAL PARAMETER	4.5-5.5	<2.7	1.3	<1.6	28-40	40-100	<0.6
PATIENT	NA	NA	1.3	1.3	44	77	0.12
CANINE CARDIAC PARAMETERS	HR (BPM)	AV VMAX (m/s)	PV MAX (m/s)	BODY WEIGHT (kg)	LA 2D short axis Base view (cm)	LVIDd Avg; 2D and m-mode short axis (cm)	LVIDs Avg; 2D and m-mode short axis (cm)
NORMAL PARAMETER	50-100	0.7-1.7	0.7-1.6	BELOW	BELOW	BELOW	BELOW
PATIENT	NM	1.9	1.9	7.7	1.7	2.5	1.3
*Normal chamber parameters expressed as a mean value (SD)				3	1.27 (5.3)	2.46 (2.46)	1.36 (5.5)
<b>BODY WEIGHT DEPENDENT PARAMETERS</b>				5	1.40 (4.5)	2.74 (5.2)	1.60 (4.7)
*Note: All measurements based upon multi-modal images and methods. An average value is reported.				10	1.50 (3.8)	3.27 (3.5)	2.06 (3.1)
				15	1.83 (2.0)	3.71 (2.4)	2.43 (2.1)
				20	2.02 (1.9)	4.14 (2.2)	2.80 (2.0)
				25	2.18 (2.4)	4.48 (2.9)	3.10 (2.5)
				30	2.33 (3.3)	4.83 (3.9)	3.39 (3.4)
				35	2.48 (4.3)	5.17 (5.0)	3.69 (4.5)
				40	2.62 (5.2)	5.48 (6.1)	3.96 (5.4)
				50	2.88 (7.1)	6.07 (8.3)	4.46 (7.4)

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The only cause of a murmur identified is mildly increased flow velocity through both great vessels. Neither valve appears significantly abnormal and no sub or supra valvular narrowing is visualized. In the absence of structural abnormalities this is considered a benign flow murmur. This should be monitored as this young dog grows. This type of outflow abnormality is heart rate dependent and will vary with hydration/volume changes as well. Baseline labs are recommended. No obvious congenital shunts or defects are observed in this study; however, it is important to note that small abnormalities are easily missed without advanced diagnostics.



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No cardiac medications are indicated at this time. Monitor for any development of cough, labored breathing or exercise intolerance.

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No cardiac contraindication for general anesthesia is seen.

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**PLAN**

Baseline lab work and BP recommended.

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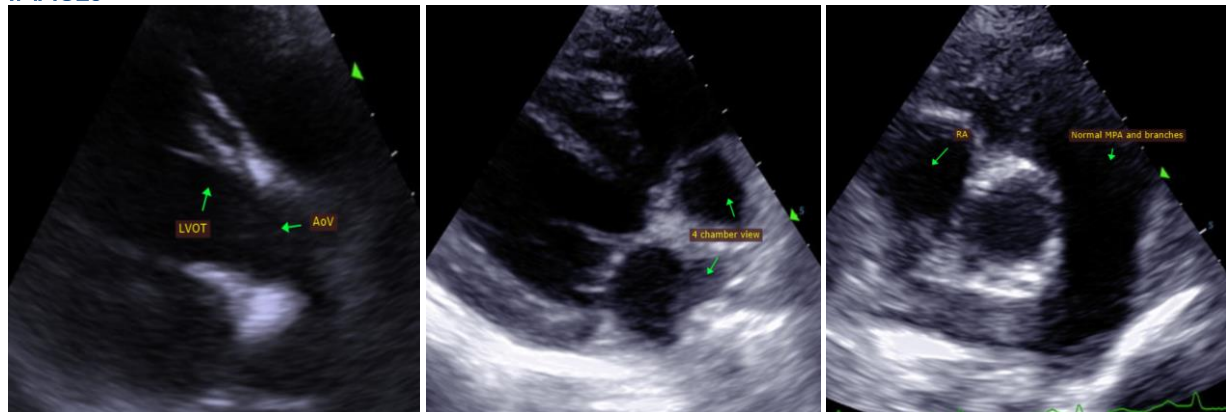
Assuming the murmur persists, recommend recheck echocardiogram in 6-12 months to ensure no progressive issues are seen, sooner if any clinical signs arise in the interim.

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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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