



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Gizmo Johnson

- History of intermittent regurgitation starting 3 weeks ago
- Omeprazole started, with mild improvement of regurgitation

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- Normal appetite, normal bowel movements
- Labwork largely normal except changes below; UA and fecal are still pending

Canine

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: CHEM: SDMA 15, cholesterol 359

BREED

Pitbull Terrier Mix

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

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Urinary System

The urinary bladder wall is normal in thickness. The mucosal surface is smooth. The bladder is moderately distended. Luminal contents are anechoic. No cystic calculi are observed. The region of the trigone is normal.

Neutered Male

AGE

The left kidney is normal in size (6.30 cm in length) with a normal shape, architecture and smooth peripheral margins. There is a normal 1:3 cortex to medulla ratio with normal corticomedullary distinction. There is no evidence of pyelectasia, nephroliths, infarcts or hydronephrosis. Renal vasculature is normal.

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The right kidney is normal in size (6.64 cm in length) with a normal shape, architecture and smooth peripheral margins. There is a normal 1:3 cortex to medulla ratio with normal corticomedullary distinction. There is no evidence of pyelectasia, nephroliths, infarcts or hydronephrosis. Renal vasculature is normal.

58.4 lb

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Adrenal Glands

The region of the adrenal glands is evaluated. No obvious pathology is observed in this region.

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Spleen

The spleen is normal in size (1.85 cm in width at the level of the hilus) with a normal capsular contour. There is appropriate echogenicity and echotexture. No focal lesions are observed. Splenic vasculature is normal.

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Liver

The liver is subjectively normal in size with normal contours and structure. There is appropriate echogenicity and echotexture. No overt structural evidence of inflammatory, infiltrative, or regenerative pathology is evident. Vascular and biliary tracts are of normal volume with no evidence of congestion.

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The gallbladder lumen is moderately distended. The wall is thin and smooth. Luminal contents are anechoic. The cystic and common bile ducts are normal/not seen.

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Gastrointestinal

The lumen is not distended. The gastric wall is normal in thickness with a normal layering pattern. The small intestinal lumen is not dilated. The small intestinal wall thickness is normal with a normal layering pattern and appropriate mural detail. Discreet masses are not identified. The colonic wall is normal. There is no evidence of an obstructive pattern.

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Pancreas

The region of the pancreas is isoechoic relative to surrounding omental fat. No obvious parenchymal abnormalities are observed. There is no evidence of regional inflammation or effusion.

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Lymph Nodes

The abdominal lymph nodes are normal/not visible.



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Free Abdomen

The peritoneal cavity is normal. There is no evidence of inflammation or effusion.

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ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Structurally unremarkable abdomen.

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*An obvious cause for the patient's regurgitation is not definitively identified in this study. Considerations include reflux esophagitis, esophageal dysfunction/megaesophagus, other.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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- Three-view thoracic radiographs, +/- a barium esophagram (preferably via fluoroscopy) is recommended. Depending on the results, further work-up may be indicated.

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- Also consider a resting cortisol level to screen for hypoadrenocorticism. In the meantime, symptomatic care should be continued.

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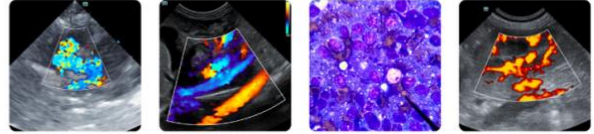
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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