

PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

- Izzie Leciago
- SPECIES**
- Feline
- BREED**
- Weight loss noted from December
 - Lymphocytosis on BW
 - No V/D
 - No change in appetite
 - Chronic herpetic keratitis OS
 - Subtle RH lameness
 - Has been on Prednisolone 5mg EOD

DSH Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Please see attached diagnostics

SEX ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Female Spayed

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Urinary System
 The urinary bladder is moderately distended. The wall is normal in thickness with a smooth mucosal surface. A small aggregation of echogenic debris is observed along the dorsal wall. No cystic calculi are observed. The region of the trigone is normal.

WEIGHT

3.86 kg

The left kidney is normal in size (3.17 cm in length) with a normal shape, architecture and smooth peripheral margins. There is a normal 1:3 cortex to medulla ratio with mild loss of 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 (3.30 cm in length) with a normal shape, architecture and smooth peripheral margins. There is a normal 1:3 cortex to medulla ratio with mild loss of corticomedullary distinction. There is no evidence of pyelectasia, nephroliths, infarcts or hydronephrosis. Renal vasculature is normal.

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 (0.69 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 curvilinear peripheral contours. The parenchyma is isoechoic relative to the spleen and diffusely homogeneous in appearance. No distinct focal lesions are observed. 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. A small-to-moderate amount of mostly gravity-dependent, echogenic debris is observed within the lumen. The cystic and common bile ducts are normal/not seen.

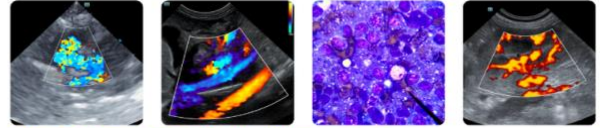
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Gastrointestinal
 The gastric lumen is not distended. The gastric wall is normal in thickness with a normal layering pattern. The small intestinal lumen is not dilated. The small intestinal wall is normal in thickness with a normal layering pattern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



PATIENT *Pancreas*

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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.

SPECIES *Lymph Nodes*

Feline

The abdominal lymph nodes are normal/not visible.

BREED *Free Abdomen*

DSH

A portion of the mesentery in the midabdominal region is mildly hyperechoic. There is no obvious evidence of free fluid.

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- Mild midabdominal peritonitis, the cause of which is unclear. Sterile peritonitis is likely.
- Mild bilateral nonspecific age-related renal changes

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*An obvious cause for the patient's weight loss is not definitively identified in this study. Broad considerations include sarcopenia, orthopedic or neurologic disease, underlying metabolic issue, primary enteropathy, occult neoplasia, other.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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- Feline leukemia and FIV testing are recommended (if not already performed).
- Three-view thoracic radiographs should also be considered to assess for occult pathology in the chest.
- Orthopedic and neurologic examinations are also recommended.
- Consider a GI panel including serum cobalamin and folate, TLI and PLI.
- Depending on the results of the above diagnostics further work-up (i.e., GI biopsies) may be indicated.

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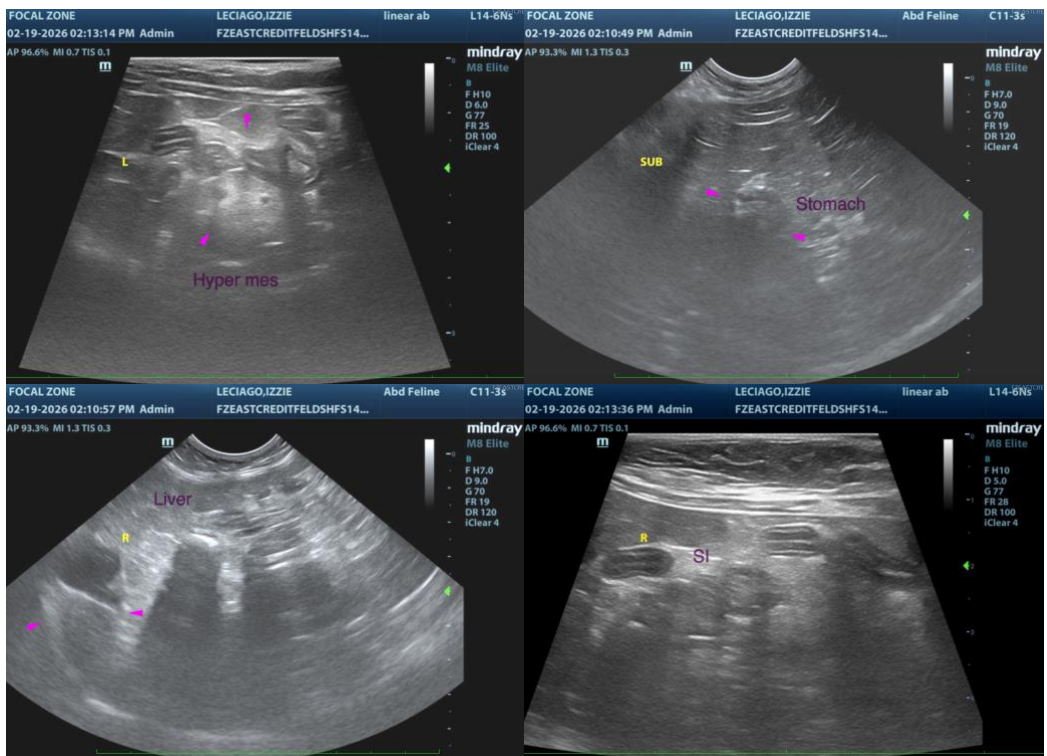
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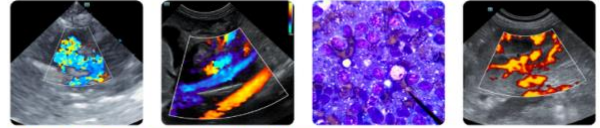
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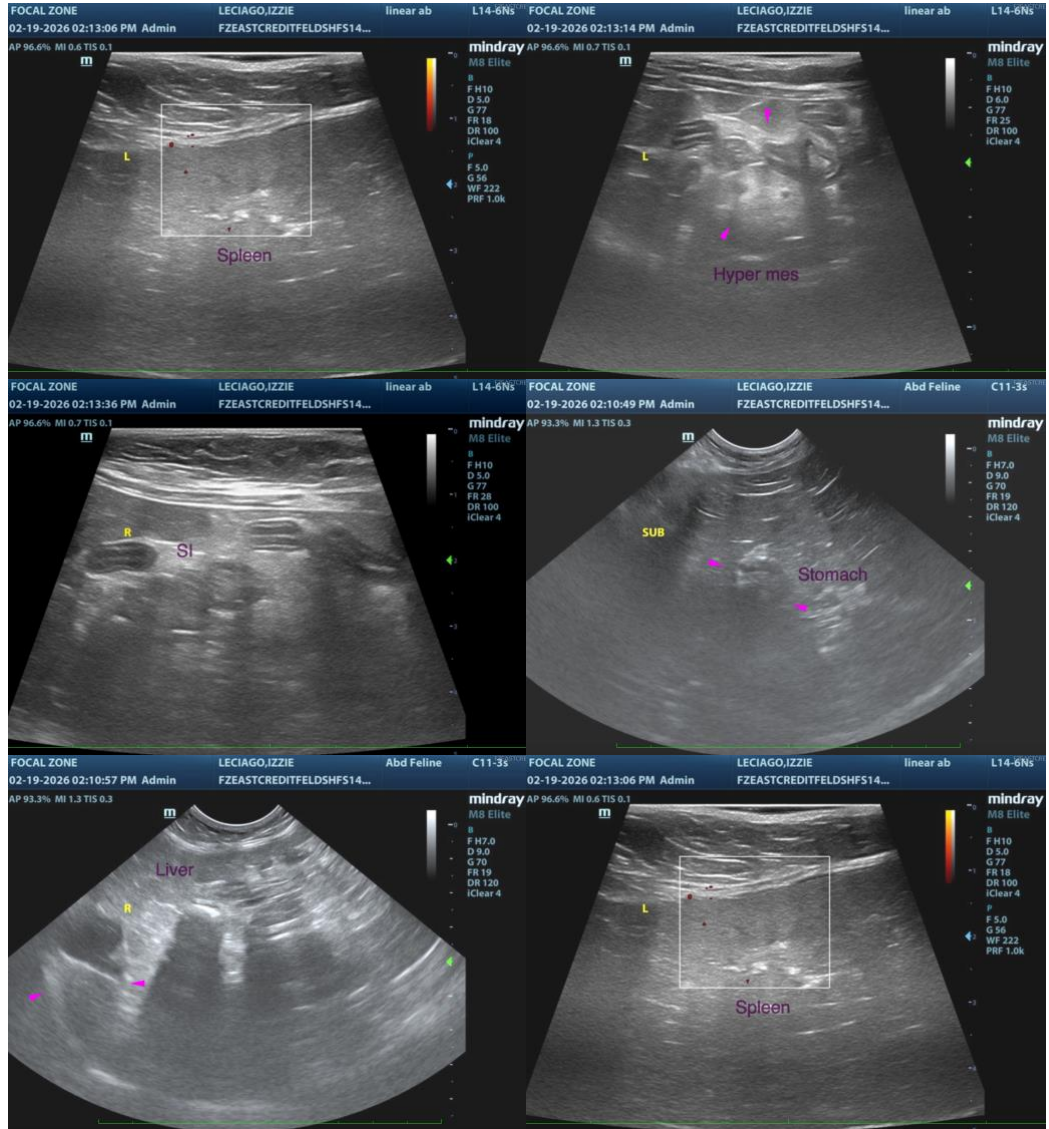
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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