



PATIENT

Teddy Braun

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Shih Tzu Cross

SEX

Neutered male

AGE

11 years

WEIGHT

20 lbs

INTERPRETED BY

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4/28/26

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Suspected syncope

HOLTER MONITOR STUDY

Total Beats: 155879

Heart rate

Mean: 109

Minimum: 70

Maximum: 229

Predominant Rhythm: Normal sinus rhythm

Supraventricular Events: None noted

Bradycardia Events: None noted

Ventricular Ectopic Events

Ventricular premature complexes: 17

Ventricular premature couplets: 3

Ventricular runs or ventricular tachycardia: 1

HOLTER MONITOR FINDINGS

- This study identifies a predominantly normal sinus rhythm with rare ventricular ectopy. The single run of premature ventricular ectopy lasted for 3 beats, with a rate of 139bpm, most consistent with accelerated idioventricular rhythm.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

As these findings identify a predominantly normal sinus rhythm, with no runs of ventricular tachycardia, this will be considered a largely normal Holter monitor recording. The rare ectopy is an unlikely cause for any syncopal episodes, although as a diary is not provided, an occult ventricular tachycardia cannot be completely ruled out. If the patient had syncopal episodes during the recording, it would further support that a dysrhythmia is not likely to be the etiology. Instead the pulmonary hypertension should be considered as the primary etiology. If the patient did not display signs of syncope during the study, a dysrhythmia cannot be excluded, but would still be considered less likely than the presence of severe pulmonary hypertension.

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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