



DATE PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

12/4/25 **Patient History:** P presents for 2 week recheck of elevated third eyelid. In time since last visit, P has lost 1lb and

PATIENT has been anorexic & nauseous. AFAST on P during visit showed possible irregularities near liver. P had labwork done 2 weeks ago and had elev TP and Globulins (but around same level as last year). P also has chronic wheezing and nasal discharge, O says has been that way for years.

Jojo Jones

SPECIES **Current Medications:** MAROPITANT CITRATE 16MG TABLET 11/19/2025, CERENIA INJECTABLE 10MG/ML PER ML 11/19/2025, MIRATAZ (MIRTAZAPINE) TRANSDERMAL OINTMENT 11/19/2025, TRESADERM 15ML 11/1/2025

Feline **Labwork Results:** Labwork attached.

BREED **Date of Previous IntraPet Ultrasound:** No previous.

DSH **Sedation:** Not required to complete full diagnostic ultrasound.

SEX **Stat Report:** Not requested.

Imaging Performed by: Stephanie Warga RDCS, RVT.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Neutered Male

Urinary System

AGE

10/29/12

Urinary bladder is adequately distended. It has a normal uniform wall thickness. Contents include primarily anechoic fluid with occasional echogenic non-shadowing debris, most consistent with incidental suspended lipid in a cat, possibly combined with exfoliated cells, mucous and/or small blood clots. Both sterile inflammation as well as urinary tract infection can also present with echogenic debris. No masses or definitive cystoliths are observed. The trigone and visible pelvic urethra are normal in thickness with a smooth mucosal surface.

WEIGHT

6.9 lbs

INTERPRETED BY

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The right kidney is normal is size (3.99 cm), shape and echogenicity. It has smooth peripheral margination. There is a normal 1:3 cortex to medulla ratio with appropriate corticomedullary distinction. There is no evidence of pyelectasia, mineral or infarcts observed.

HOSPITAL NAME

Everhart Veterinary
Hospital

The left kidney is normal is size (3.47 cm), shape and echogenicity. It has smooth peripheral margination. There is a normal 1:3 cortex to medulla ratio with appropriate corticomedullary distinction. There is no evidence of pyelectasia, mineral or infarcts observed.

Adrenal Glands

REFERRING VET

Dr. Khan

The right adrenal gland is normal in size (0.30 cm), shape and overall architecture, echogenicity and echotexture. Visible surrounding vasculature appears normal.

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The left adrenal gland is normal in size (0.30 cm), shape and overall architecture, echogenicity and echotexture. Visible surrounding vasculature appears normal.

Spleen

The spleen is subjectively normal in size with a normal smooth capsular contour. Parenchyma is appropriately finely textured and homogenous with normal echogenicity relative to surrounding tissue (hyperechoic to liver). No focal nodules or masses are observed. Splenic vasculature appears normal. *See other.

Liver

The liver is subjectively normal in size with normal smooth curvilinear peripheral contour. Parenchyma is appropriately hypoechoic to the spleen in echogenicity and appropriately mildly coarse and homogenous in echotexture. In the mid to caudal liver is an approximately 2.5 cm x 2.0 cm mixed, primarily hyperechoic, largely cystic mass. Visible vasculature and biliary tree appear normal without distension or congestion.

Gallbladder is moderately distended with anechoic bile as well as suspended and gravity dependent echogenic debris. The wall is smooth without visible thickening. There is no evidence of cystic or CBD dilation. There is no evidence of effusion or inflammation.

Gastrointestinal

The visible stomach wall is normal in thickness and layering. The lumen of the stomach is empty with no evidence of obstruction, foreign material or infiltrative disease. Pyloric outflow tract appears patent.

The visible small intestines are normal in wall thickness and layering. Small intestinal motility appears adequate (1-3 contractions per min). The lumen of the small intestine is empty with no evidence of obstruction, foreign material or infiltrative disease.

The visible colon is normal in wall thickness (< 0.2 cm) and layering. Contents are consistent with normal formed feces and gas.

Pancreas

The pancreas that is observed appears appropriately isoechoic to surrounding omental fat. Visible capsule is smooth and normal in contour. Visible pancreatic parenchyma is homogenous and unremarkable. There is no visible pancreatic duct dilation. There is no evidence of active peripancreatic inflammation. *See other.

Free Abdomen

There is no visible free peritoneal effusion noted in these images.

Mesenteric lymph nodes are prominent in size with swollen capsular contour. Normal elongated shape (length to width ratio) is maintained. There is no loss of parenchymal detail.

In the left mid to cranial abdomen medial to the spleen is an approximately 1.2 cm thick x 2.5 cm long irregular, hypoechoic density that may be attached to an coming off the caudal aspect of the spleen, or could represent pancreas versus lymph node versus other.

The visible heart base (RA) and pericardium are unremarkable without obvious pathology noted in these images at this time. If cardiac function evaluation is desired, a full echocardiogram is recommended.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Non-definitively identifiable hypoechoic density medial/caudal to the spleen – This could represent a benign inflammatory lesion or an infiltrative neoplastic process affecting the spleen, pancreas, bowel, node other.

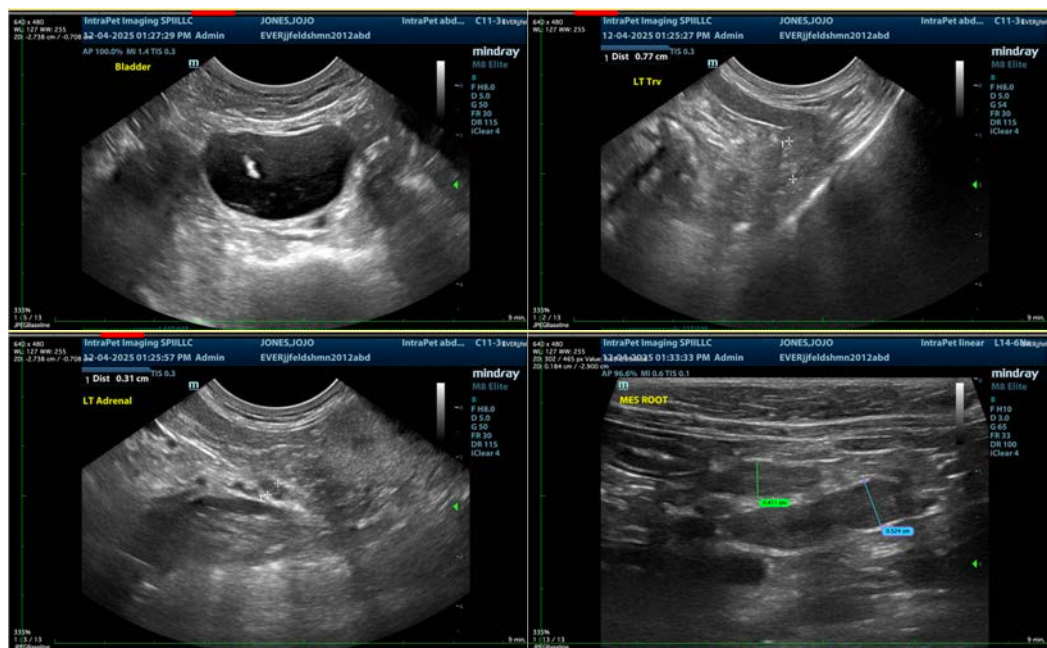
- Feline biliary cystadenoma – In a senior cat, this liver lesion is most consistent with a/multiple benign biliary cystadenoma(s). Malignancy cannot be ruled out but is considered less likely given lack of clinical signs and/or laboratory changes.
- Mildly to moderately reactive mesenteric lymph nodes – infiltrative neoplastic disease cannot be ruled out but is considered less likely.
- Mild gallbladder debris – Cholecystic debris is of unknown clinical significance. It can be seen with biliary stasis from fasting or illness, however, it can also be associated with hepatobiliary disease in cats and should be interpreted in combination with clinical signs such as nausea, inappetence, cranial abdominal discomfort and/or laboratory changes such as increased ALP and/or increased Tbili.
- Mild to moderate amount of echogenic urinary bladder debris.

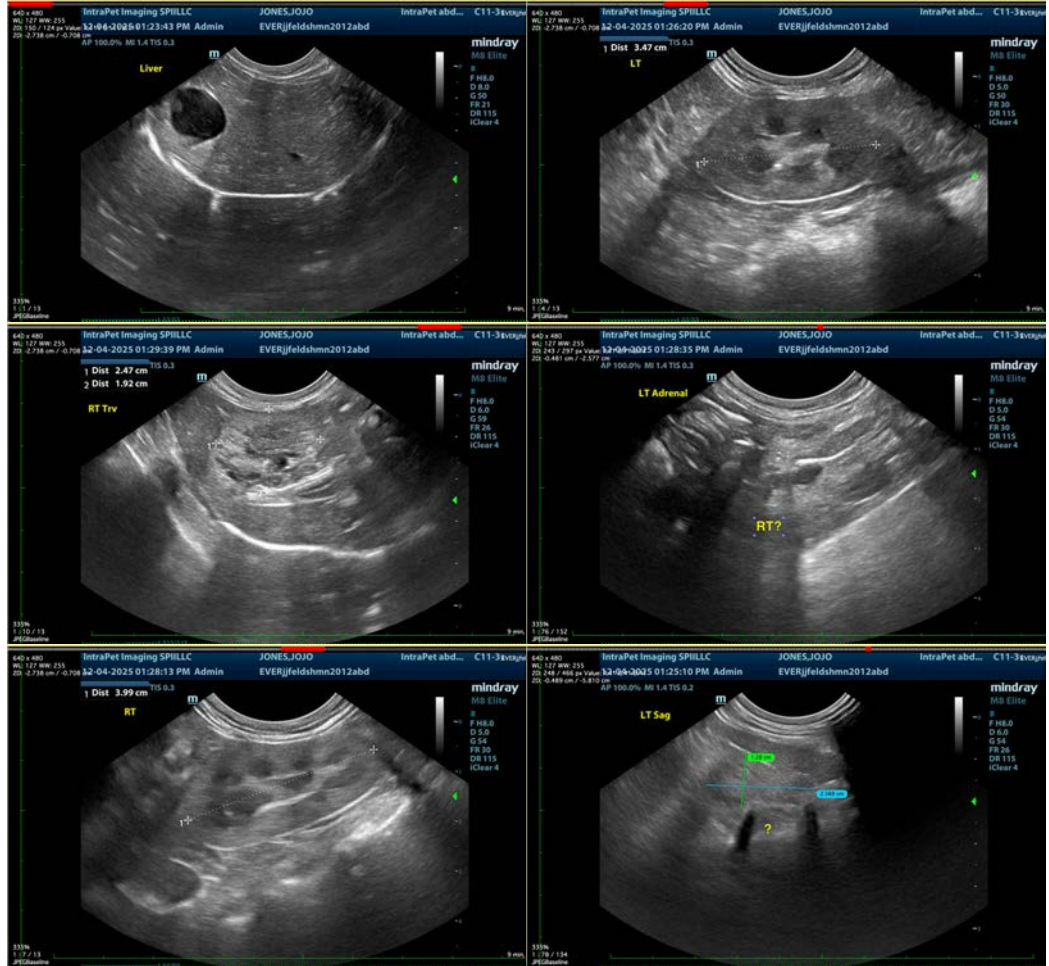
INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The changes described above are mostly mild and largely non-specific, with unknown, if any relation to patient's reported clinical sign of anorexia and elevated third eyelids. Sampling of the density medial to the spleen via fine needle aspirate +/- liver mass fine needle aspirates could be considered if patient's coagulation status is appropriate.

A gastrointestinal malabsorption panel (including cobalamin, folate, TLI and PLI) to Texas A&M GI Laboratory is recommended for further evaluation of GI and pancreatic function.

Otherwise, further evaluation for possible pain (dental, orthopedic, other), upper respiratory disease or oropharyngeal disease, cardiac disease and/or neurologic disease vs other as possible causes for decreased appetite and/or unintentional weight loss is also recommended.





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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