



**PATIENT**

Murphy Kapoor

**SPECIES**

Canine

**BREED**

Poodle x

**SEX**

Neutered Male

**AGE**

5 Years 11 Months

**WEIGHT**

56.7 lbs

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**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Chronic recurrent vomiting/hyporexia episodes for several years. One seizure few weeks ago. Bilateral swellings lateral to prepuce, lymph nodes? Current medications – Famotidine

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: 4/6/26 - Neutrophils 11.4, 8/25/23 - ACTH Stim normal

**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN**

**Urinary System**

The bladder is moderately distended with anechoic urine. No uroliths are seen. The bladder wall is normal in appearance and thickness. No masses are seen. No papillae seen.

The right kidney presents normal size (6.3 cm) with normal shape and architecture. Normal corticomedullary distinction. No pyelectasia, ureteral dilation or nephrolithiasis.

The left kidney presents normal size (5.9 cm) with normal shape and architecture. Normal corticomedullary distinction. No pyelectasia, ureteral dilation or nephrolithiasis.

**Adrenal Glands**

The right adrenal gland presents a mildly small caudal pole, measuring 4.2 mm in width. Cranial pole measures 10.4 mm in width.

The left adrenal gland measures at the low end of normal for size, measuring 4.1 mm at the caudal pole and 4.7 mm at the cranial pole.

**Spleen**

The spleen is normal in size, shape, margination and echogenicity. No masses are seen.

**Liver**

The liver presents normal size and shape with smooth lobar margins. The parenchyma has normal echogenicity with normal echotexture. No focal lesions are seen. Intrahepatic bile ducts are normal. Normal vascular pattern. The visible gallbladder appears normal.

**Gastrointestinal**

The stomach has normal wall layering and thickness. Diffusely, the small bowel is normal in thickness and layering, measuring 2.9 mm in width. Colon contains normal contents with normal wall thickness.

**Pancreas**

The visible pancreas is normal in size with normal echogenic parenchyma and surrounded by normal peri-pancreatic mesentery.

**Free Abdomen**

There are no enlarged abdominal lymph nodes seen on this exam. No free abdominal fluid is seen.

**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

- Mildly small adrenal glands – Most likely normal variation.



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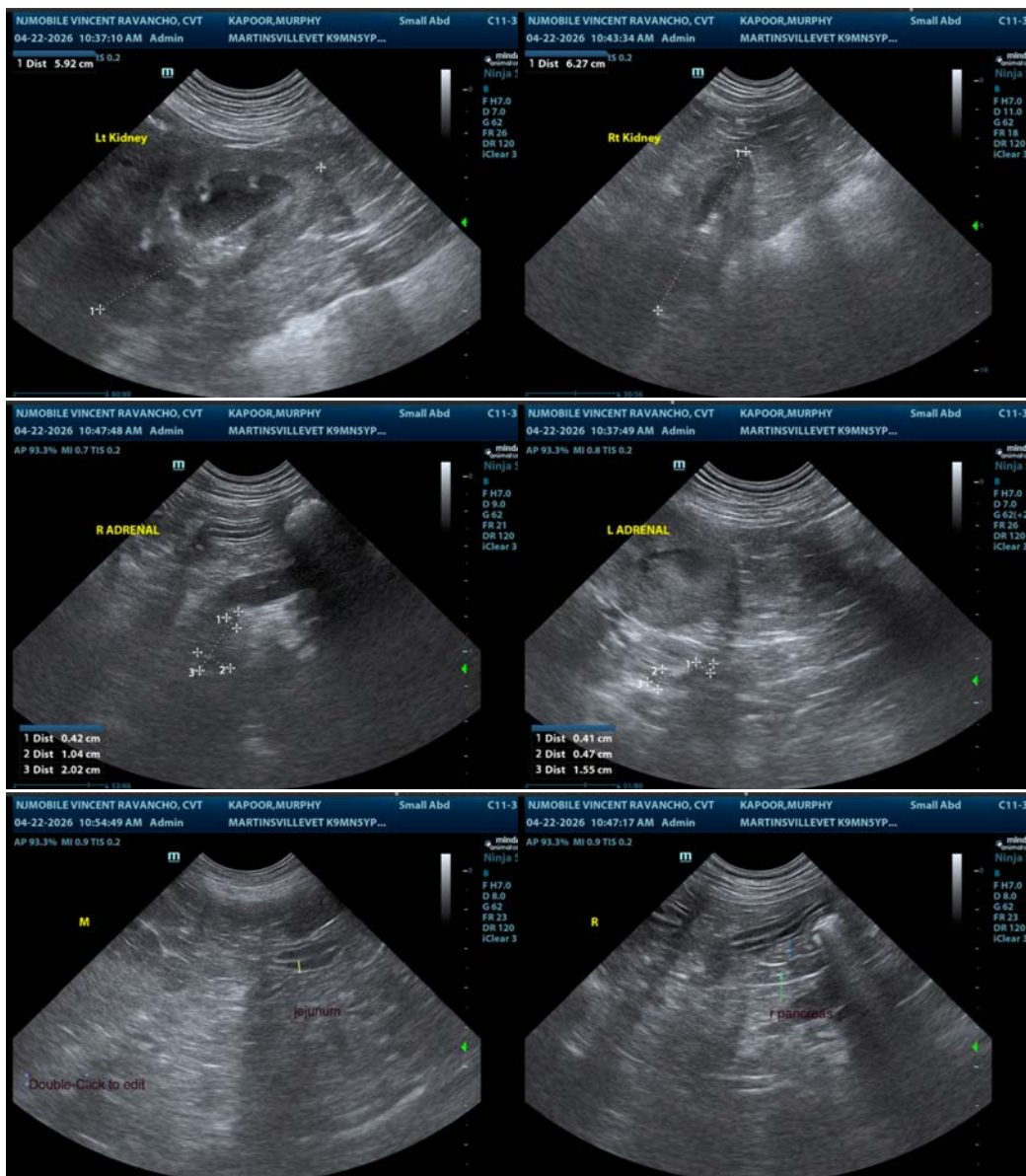
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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

An ACTH stimulation test was reported to have been performed and results were normal, effectively ruling out hyperadrenocorticism.

No cause seen on this ultrasound for patient's intermittent vomiting and hyporexia episodes. If not already performed, recommend submitting a Texas A&M GI panel to screen the patient for occult pancreatic or occult GI disease. Consider strict diet trial with a hydrolyzed diet.

Ultimately, if not cause is identified, patient fails a diet trial, and the episodes continue, consider GI biopsies either surgically or endoscopically.





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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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