

**DATE**

8/23/22

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History: Patient presents for evaluation of staging for MCT - recent biopsy showed low grade MCT with extremely narrow excisional margins. Patient will be returning next Tuesday for scar revision. Doing well clinically. Chest radiographs to be performed in addition.

PATIENT

Mildred Gilliland

Current Medications: Benadryl 25mg BID until surgery.

Lab Results: WNL.

SPECIES

Date of Previous IntraPet Ultrasound: No previous.

Sedation: Not required to complete full diagnostic ultrasound.

Canine

Stat Report: Not requested.

BREED

Imaging Performed By: Rachel Brillhart, RDMS.

French Bulldog

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN**SEX****Urinary System**

Spayed Female

Urinary bladder is adequately distended with anechoic contents. No masses are observed. Two cystoliths, the largest of which measures 0.5 cm in diameter, are present in the trigone. The urinary bladder, trigone and visible pelvic urethra are normal in thickness with a smooth mucosal surface.

AGE

5/22/12

Left kidney is normal is size (4.9 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.

WEIGHT

22 Pounds

Right kidney is normal is size (4.92 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.

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DACVIM**Adrenal Glands**

Left adrenal gland is normal in size (2.2 cm long x 0.62 cm at cranial pole and 0.77 cm at caudal pole), shape and overall architecture, echogenicity and echotexture. Visible surrounding vasculature appears normal.

HOSPITAL NAME

Perry Hall AH

Right adrenal gland is normal in size (2.1 cm long x 0.8 cm at cranial pole and 0.74 cm at caudal pole), shape and overall architecture, echogenicity and echotexture. Visible surrounding vasculature appears normal.

Spleen

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.

REFERRING VET

Dr. Miller

Liver

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. No focal lesions are observed. Visible vasculature and biliary tree appear normal without distension or congestion.

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Gallbladder is non-distended in size. The wall is smooth without visible thickening. Luminal contents are primarily anechoic. There is no evidence of cystic or common bile duct dilation.

Gastrointestinal

The visible stomach wall is normal in thickness and layering. The lumen of the stomach is mildly distended with echogenic non-shadowing luminal contents and gas consistent with normal ingesta. There is 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 and layering. Contents are consistent with normal formed feces and gas.

Pancreas

The observed pancreas 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.

Free Abdomen

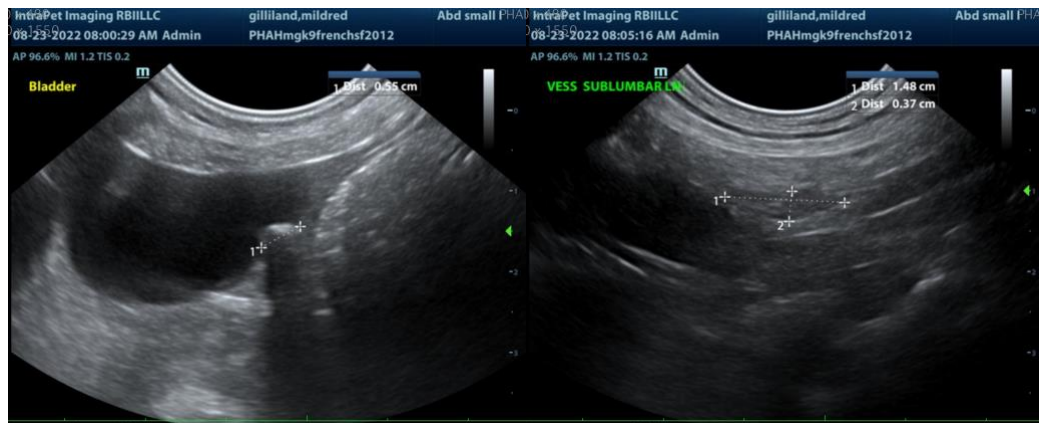
There is no evidence of free fluid. Mild sublumber lymphadenopathy is appreciated, most likely reactive, however, infiltrative neoplasia cannot be definitively ruled out.

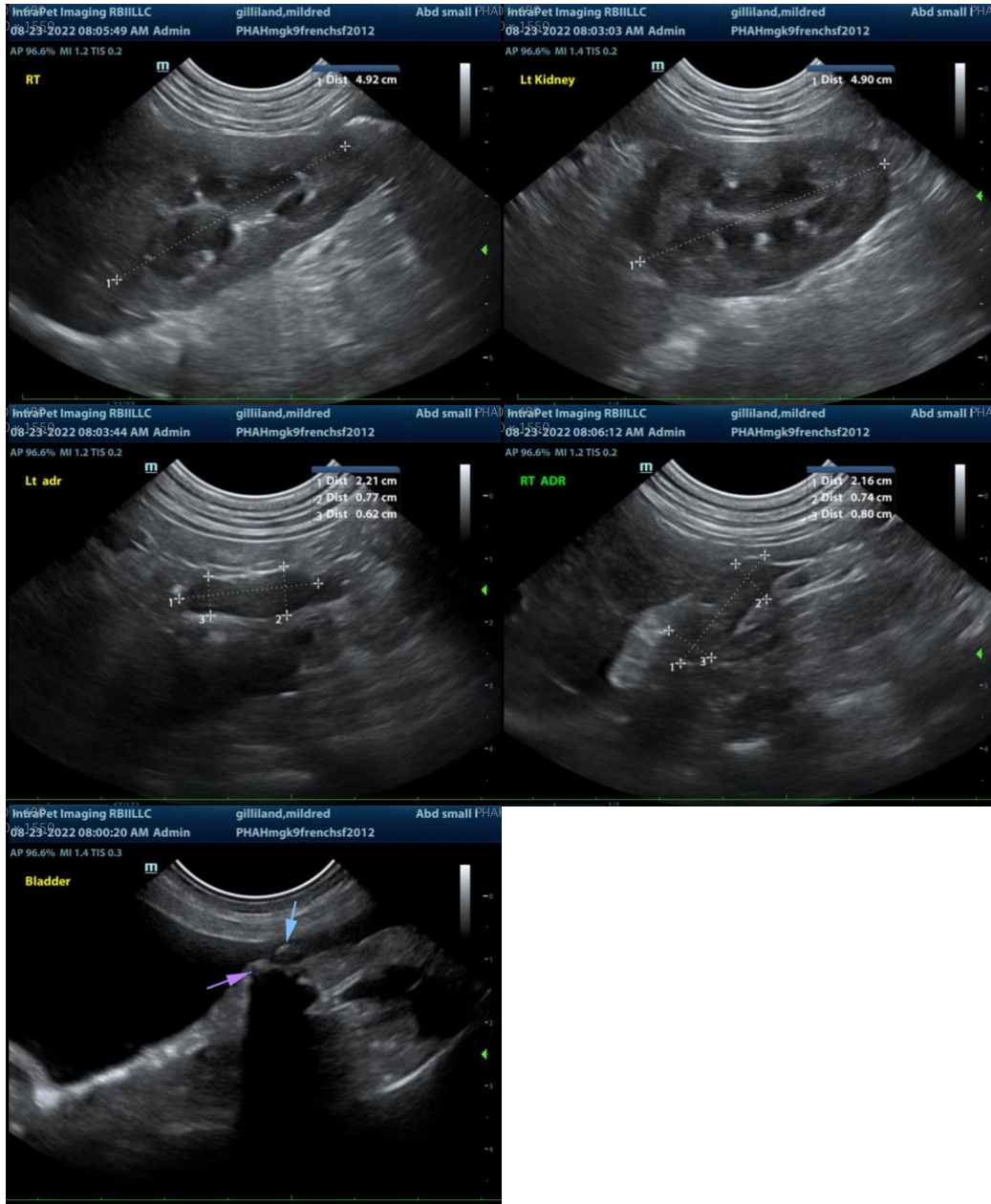
ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Urinary bladder cystoliths
- Sublumber lymphadenopathy

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Depending on where the reportedly removed mast cell tumor was, a fine needle aspirate of the sublumber lymph nodes could be considered if they can be safely reached and patients coagulation status is appropriate. If a fine needle aspirate is elected, premedication with diphenhydramine is recommended. Otherwise, especially given the most likely reactive appearance of the lymph nodes, proceeding with mast cell tumor scar revision, etc., as planned, is appropriate. There is no evidence of metastatic disease elsewhere.





The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. 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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