



PATIENT

Dash Franklin

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Standard Poodle

SEX

Neutered Male

AGE

11 Years 6 Months

WEIGHT

56 lbs

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

P has hx of splenectomy; anemia and elevated ALT found on senior bw screening. Hx of splenectomy - after benign growth found by u/s; O opts for US to r/o neoplasia vs other; P was fasted for US scan, no sedation needed.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Attached, ALT 273

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

The **urinary bladder**, trigone, and pelvic urethra presented normal thicknesses and normal tone. The ureters were not visible which is normal. No uroliths or sediment were visualized and anechoic urine was present. No evidence of inflammatory or neoplastic changes were noted. Ureteral papillae were slightly thickened, not pathological.

The residual prostate measured 1.0 cm.

The **kidneys** revealed normal size and structure, corticomedullary definition and ratio for this age. The cortices presented largely uniform texture with normal echogenic relationship to liver and spleen. Medullary structure differed distinctly from the cortex and no evidence of pelvic dilation was present. The capsules were acceptably uniform without significant irregularities. The left kidney measured 5.86 cm. The right kidney measured 6.0 cm.

Adrenal Glands

The **left adrenal gland** was visualized and recognized as having normal shape, size, position and echogenicity for this breed. The phrenic vasculature, glandular echogenicity and detail were unremarkable. Capsule, cortex, and medullary definition were normal for this age patient. The left adrenal gland measured 0.60 cm.

The region of the **right adrenal gland** was imaged, no evident pathology.

Spleen

The **splenic fossa** was unremarkable. No residual splenic tissue present.

Liver

The **liver** images submitted revealed subjectively normal liver size, contour, and structure. Parenchymal echogenicity was naturally coarse and hypoechoic to the spleen. Vascular and biliary tracts were of normal volume with no evidence of congestion. The gallbladder revealed a polyp measuring 1.5 cm x 1.9 cm, stable.

Gastrointestinal

Examination of the **gastrointestinal tract** revealed a stomach and intestine free of stasis, of normal wall thickness, acceptable curvilinear mural detail, and peristaltic activity. Small and large intestine demonstrated normal luminal chyme and stool consistency respectively. No obstructive or overt infiltrative disease was noted. No associated abnormal lymphatic activity was noted.



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Pancreas

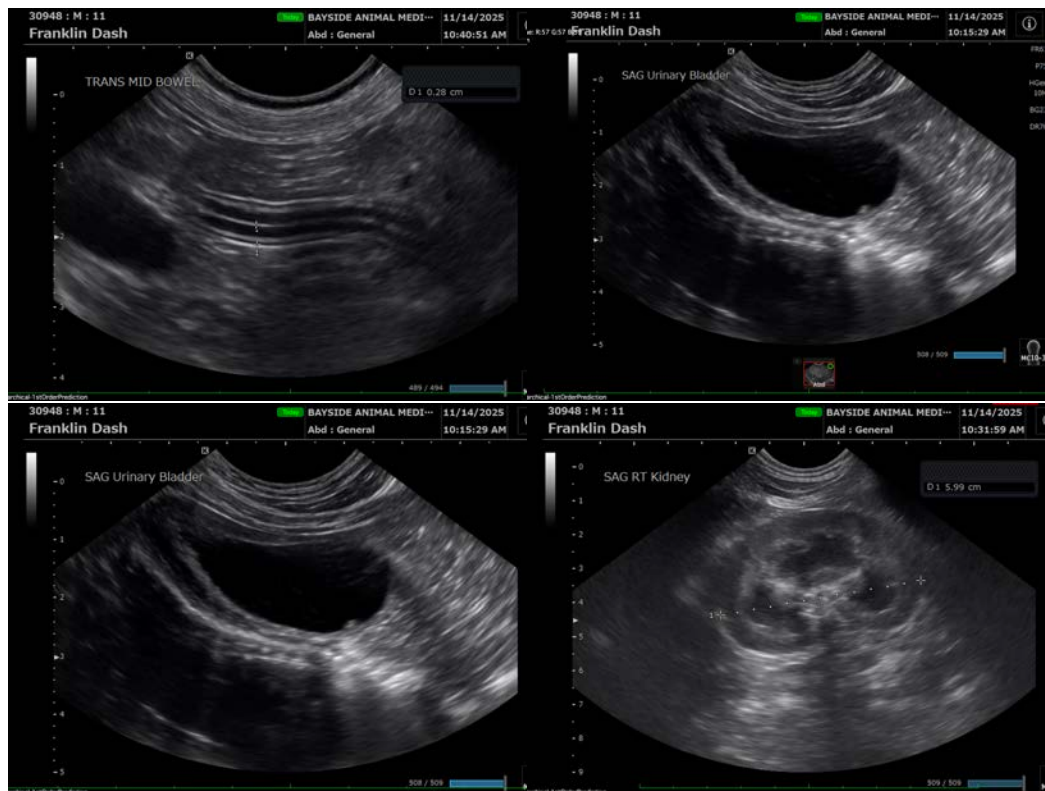
The base and limbs of the **pancreas** were observed to be largely isoechoic to surrounding omental fat. Pancreatic duct and capsular contour were acceptably normal and parenchyma respected normal curvilinear patterns. No overt evidence of active inflammatory or neoplastic disease was noted.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Gallbladder polyp, structurally unremarkable abdomen otherwise.
- Non-specific inflammatory hepatopathy.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The cause of anemia is unclear in this patient. CBC path review indicated +/- bone marrow aspirate. Even though structurally the GI tract was unremarkable, I cannot rule out the potential for GI blood loss. Empirical GI protectant protocol may be appropriate.





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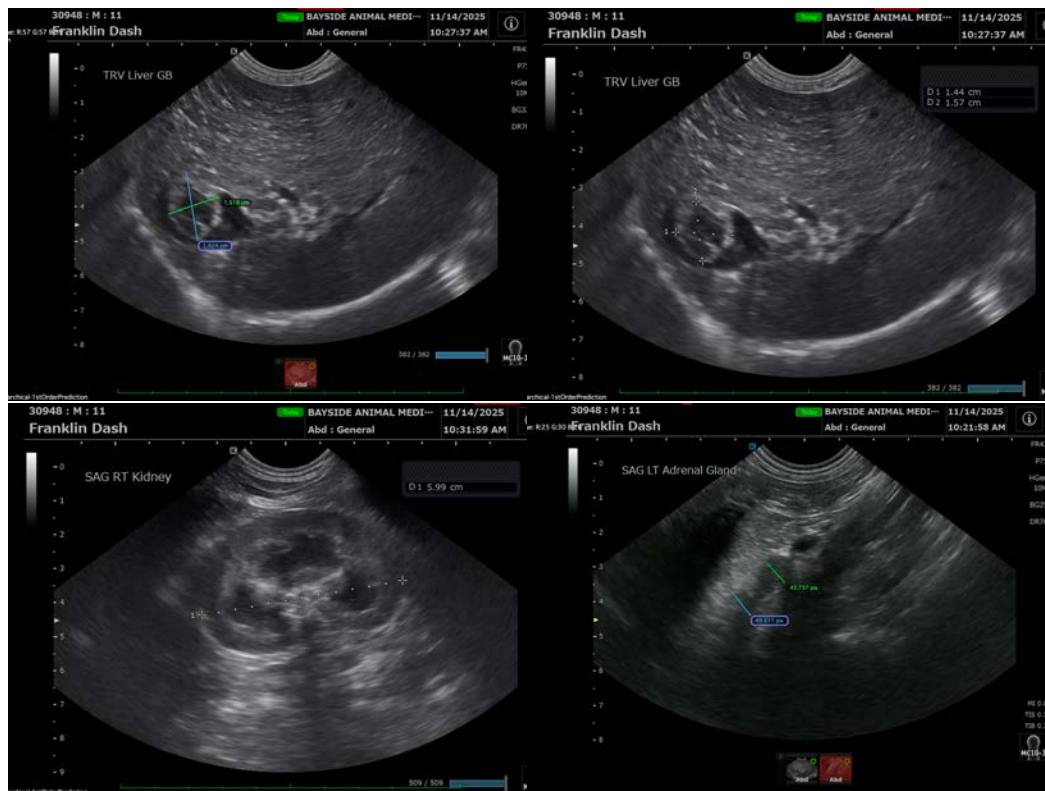
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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