**DATE**

2/9/23

**PATIENT**

Kiviaq Sirico

**SPECIES**

Ferret

**BREED****SEX**

Neutered Male

**AGE**

10/31/17

**WEIGHT**

3 Pounds

**INTERPRETED BY**Eric Lindquist, DMV  
DABVP, Cert. IVUSS**HOSPITAL NAME**

Bayside AMC

**REFERRING VET**

Dr. DeLozier

**INVOICE**

45022

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Insulinoma (currently well managed on 1mg/kg Prednisolone).

Current Medications: Enrofloxacin.

Date of Previous IntraPet Ultrasound: 1/26/23. See attached.

Sedation: Not required to complete full diagnostic ultrasound.

Stat Report: Not requested.

Imaging Performed By: Rachel Brillhart, RDMS.

**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 normal.

The **kidneys** revealed largely normal size and structure, corticomedullary definition and ratio (cortex 1/3 of medulla) were essentially maintained with some age-related loss of curvilinear patterns regarding the capsule and C/M junction. The cortices presented largely uniform texture with some increased echogenicity expected for his age patient. Medullary structure differed distinctly from that of the cortex and no evidence of pelvic dilation was present. The left kidney measured 3.67 cm. The right kidney measured 3.26 cm. Blood flow to the kidneys appeared to be adequate.

**Adrenal Glands**

The **right adrenal gland** was mineralized and measured 1.1 cm x 0.40 cm. The right adrenal did not appear to invade the vena cava, however it impinged upon it.

The **left adrenal gland** presented normal size and contour, measuring 0.75 cm x 0.30 cm.

**Spleen**

The **spleen** presented slight scalloping contour. Relatively unremarkable parenchyma otherwise.

**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 presented acceptably thin walls with primarily anechoic content. The cystic and common bile ducts were normal. No pathological hepatic lymphadenopathy was evident. No overt structural evidence of inflammatory, infiltrative or regenerative pathology was evident.

**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.

**Pancreas**

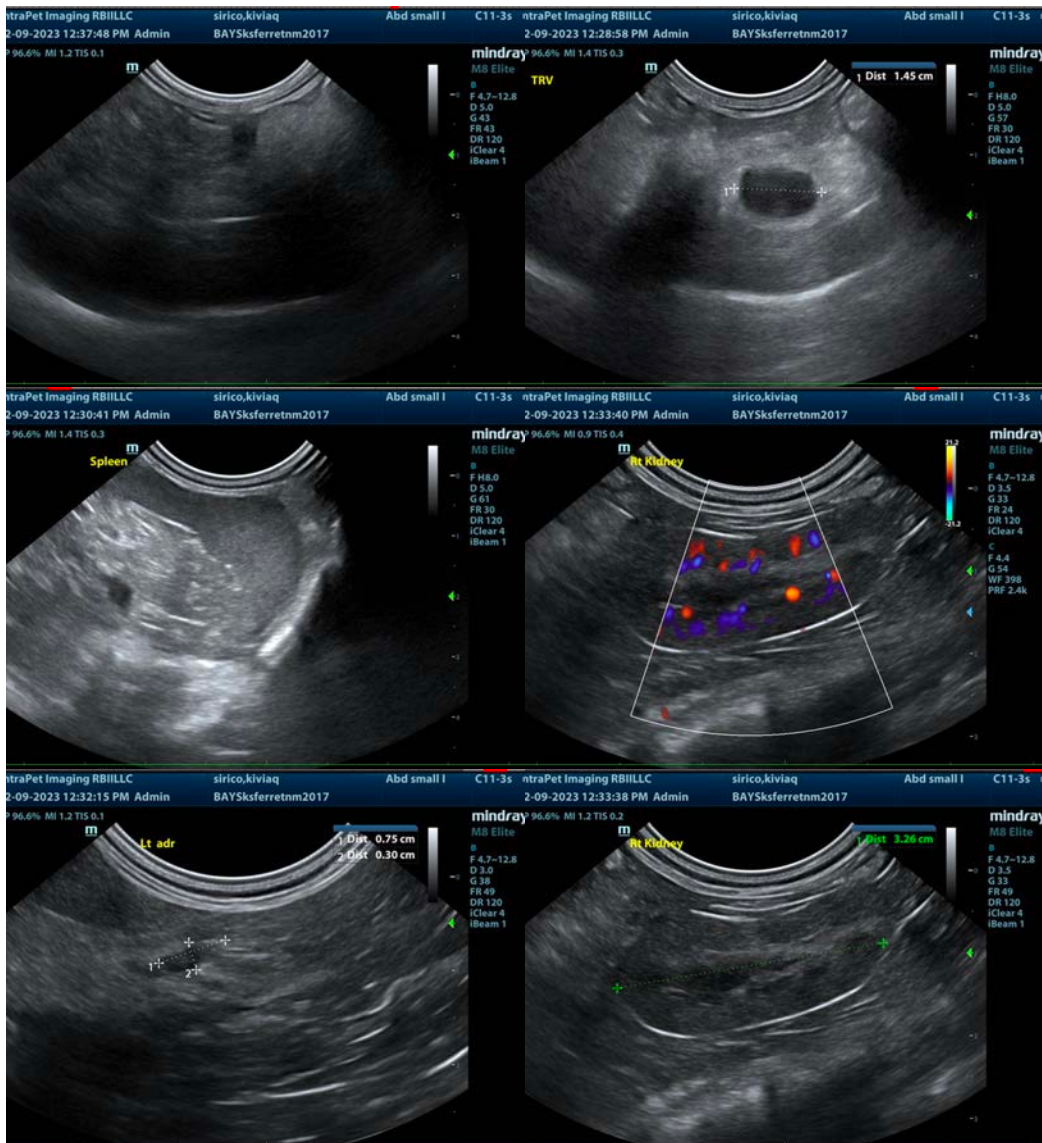
The **pancreatic** cyst or abscess is persistent at 1.45 cm with hyperechoic surrounding fat and echogenic debris. Suspect localized abscess. Some pancreatic remodeling noted.

## ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Mineralized, irregular right adrenal gland
- Persistent pancreatic cyst/abscess
- Minor splenic response
- Age related renal changes

## INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The adrenal gland appears potentially resectable. No obvious invasion noted, yet impingement upon the vena cava present. Right adrenalectomy and right cyst or abscess drainage and removal from a surgical standpoint would ideal.





**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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