



## PATIENT

Jean Luc Snyder

## SPECIES

Canine

## BREED

Standard Poodle

## SEX

Neutered Male

## AGE

8 Years

## WEIGHT

18.55

## INTERPRETED BY

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## PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History: Acute onset of anorexia and lethargy starting last week. Based on the initial Dx findings, rDVM suspect lymphoma and the dog was started on 25 mg Pred SID on April 20; was on mirtazapine and cernia but not currently; has been hosp on IVF the last few days; eats better with the pred and possibly with the mirtazapine but wasn't on it long term.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Dx at rDVM: azotemia, hypercalcemia; lymphadenopathy identified in the abdomen on x-rays and chest Malignancy test - pending Dx performed today at Vetcetera: NuQ 23 (normal); Trurapid - faint positive for anaplasmosis, all other were negative FNA of spleen, liver and LN pending.

## 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 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 right kidney measured 5.2 cm. The left kidney measured 5.6 cm.

### *Adrenal Glands*

Both **adrenal glands** were 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 right adrenal gland measured 0.79 cm at the cranial pole and 0.49 cm at the caudal pole. The left adrenal gland measured 0.54 cm at the caudal pole and 0.53 cm at the cranial pole.

### *Spleen*

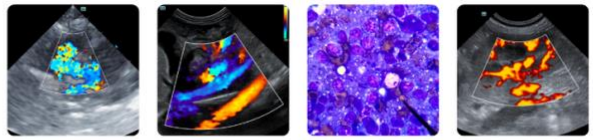
The **spleen** revealed mild uniform enlargement with no evidence of disruption of architecture. Caudal folding of the spleen was noted, uniform.

### *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



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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 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.

### *Free Abdomen*

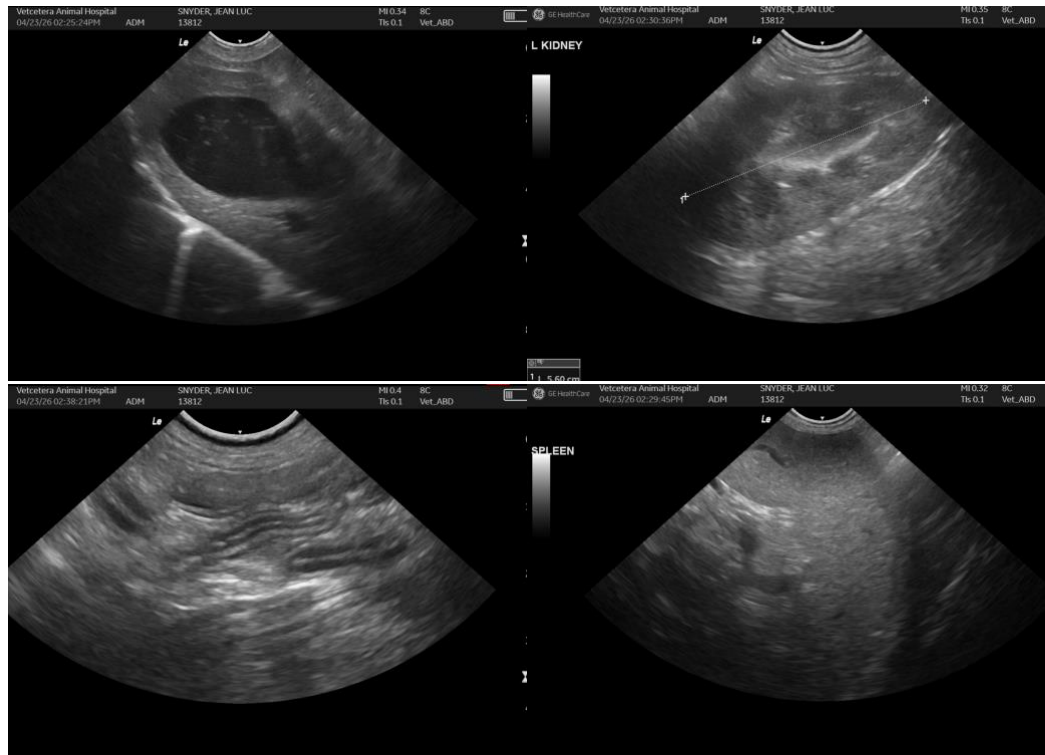
The mesenteric **lymph nodes** (up to 2.0 cm x 0.8 cm) presented normal length to width ratio with slight, swollen contour. There was no loss of parenchymal detail. This is most consistent with reactive lymphadenitis or lymphatic hyperplasia.

## ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Minor reactive mesenteric lymph nodes
- Minor splenic enlargement
- Unremarkable abdomen otherwise

## INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Even though the adrenals appear normal, screening for Addison's is indicated with baseline cortisol. No overt evidence of round cell neoplasia except for possibly in the spleen.





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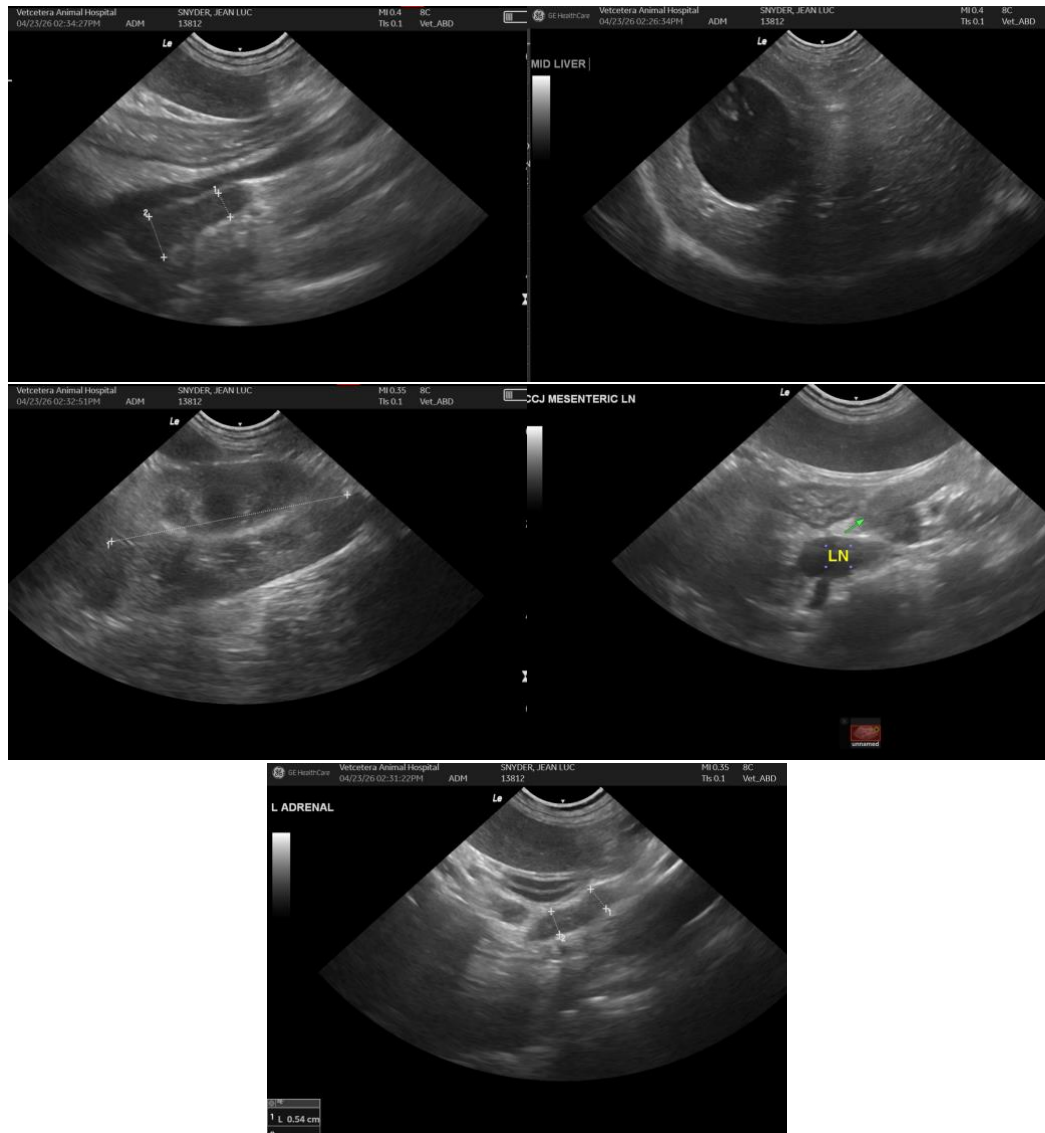
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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