



PATIENT

Benny Lemin

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History: ALT 165 ALP 182 Acting normal, no behavioral change. E/ D normal, No c/s/v/d. BM/U normal.

SPECIES

Canine

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

BREED

Pomeranian

The **urinary bladder** revealed a minimal amount of urine present in the bladder. A minor amount of apical wall thickening was noted.

SEX

Neutered male

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.

AGE

12 years

Adrenal Glands

WEIGHT

18 lbs

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 left adrenal gland measured 1.88 x 0.7 cm. The right adrenal gland measured 2.0 x 0.8 cm.

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Spleen

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The **spleen** presented a smooth homogeneous parenchyma hyperechoic to liver and renal cortical parenchyma. The capsule was smooth without noticeable expansion or deviation from within the spleen or adjacent pathology. The splenic vasculature demonstrated normal volume without signs of congestion or thrombosis. No sonographic evidence of acute or chronic inflammatory, neoplastic, or infarctual changes was noted.

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Liver

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The **liver** presented heterogenous parenchyma with increased portal markings and coarse architecture. Slight undulating capsular contour was noted. The gallbladder and common bile duct were unremarkable. This is consistent with chronic inflammatory hepatopathy.

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Gastrointestinal

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The **gastric** wall revealed a prominent mucosa with echogenic remodeling. There was no loss of mural detail. The small intestine and colon were unremarkable.



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Pancreas

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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.

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ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

BREED

Pomeranian

Mild, non-specific, gastric wall thickening.

Low-grade chronic inflammatory hepatopathy.

Otherwise, the abdomen was unremarkable.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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FNA of the liver could be considered for inflammatory cell type. Diet change may be appropriate as underlying chronic reactive hepatopathy may be playing a role. There is no evidence or suspicion of neoplasia.

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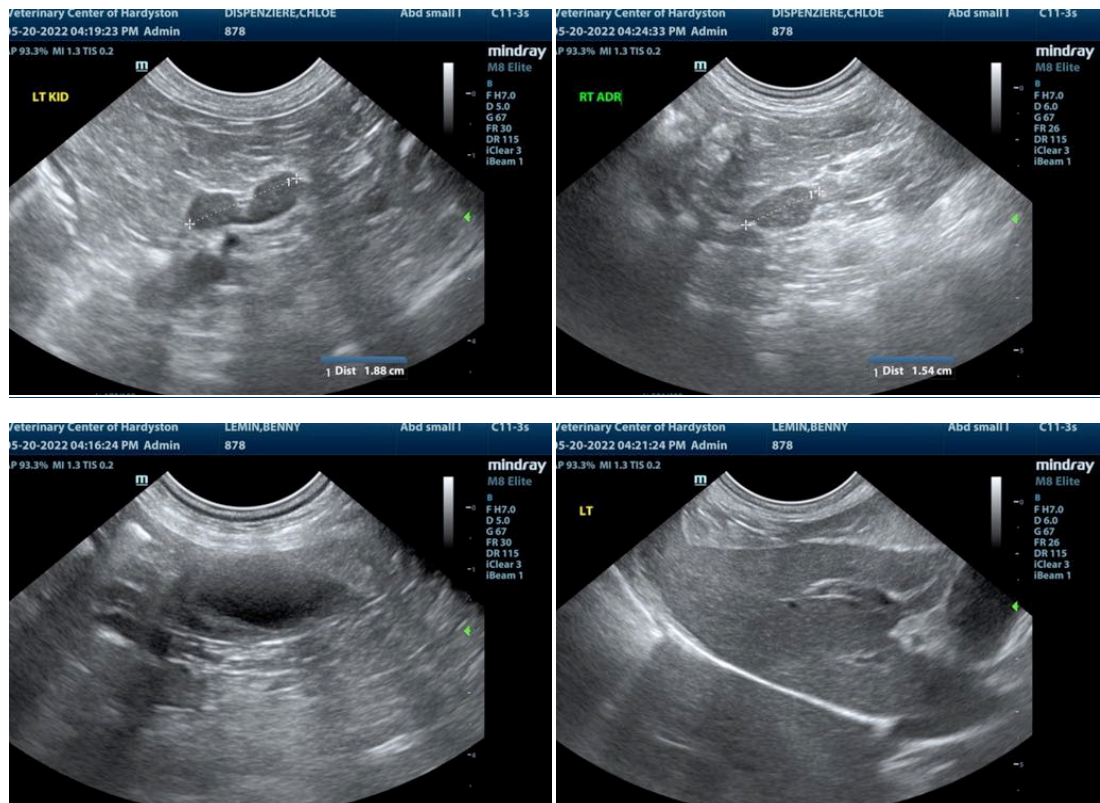
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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