

## PATIENT

Decaf Bahrenfuss

## SPECIES

Feline

## BREED

Domestic Shorthair

## SEX

Neutered male

## AGE

13 years

## WEIGHT

15.98 lbs

## INTERPRETED BY

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## HOSPITAL NAME

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## REFERRING VET

Dr. Sutherland

## INVOICE

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## DATE

5/20/26

## PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History: V+ food ~2x/wk for the last ~2 months & mildly elevated fPL on labs. Some IBM & constipation.

Gaba given 2 hours prior to scan. Sedated w/ torb/midazolam/alfax + iso. Sensitive/reactive when scanning pancreatic area.

PE: BCS 9/9, no abnormalities on abdominal palpation. BW: Mildly elevated fPL on last 2 panels (10/18/25 & 4/2/26), otherwise unremarkable

## 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 was 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 left kidney measured 4.3 cm. The right kidney measured 4.6 cm.

### Adrenal Glands

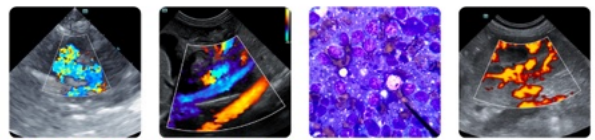
Both **adrenal glands** were visualized and recognized as having normal shape, size, position and echogenicity for this breed. The phrenic vasculature, glandular echogenicity and detail were unremarkable. Capsule, cortex, and medullary definition were normal for this age patient. The left and right adrenal gland measured 0.4 cm each.

### Spleen

The **spleen** was slightly enlarged and measured 1.2 cm.

### 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.



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## 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 **pancreas** was mildly heterogenous. Subxiphoid palpation is recommended in this patient.

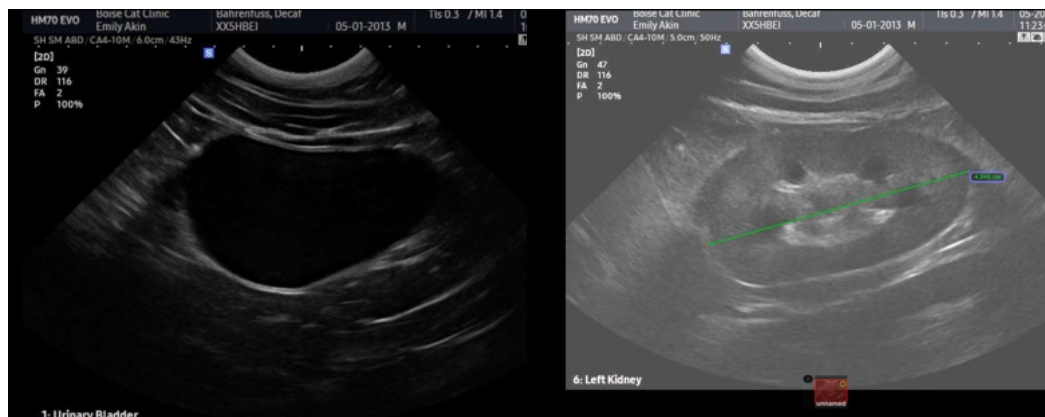
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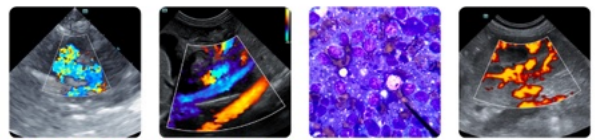
Structurally unremarkable abdomen.

Mild, heterogenous pancreas.

## INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Non-specific gastrointestinal upset with potential low-grade pancreatitis. Subxiphoid palpation is recommended in this patient to assess for pain in the region of the pancreas. Diet change to hydrolyzed diet, potential Prednisolone trial and parasitic management is all indicated.





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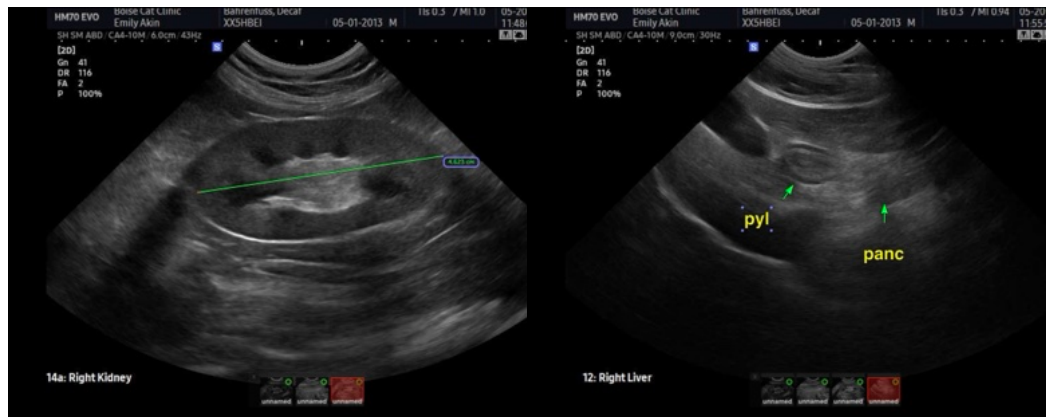
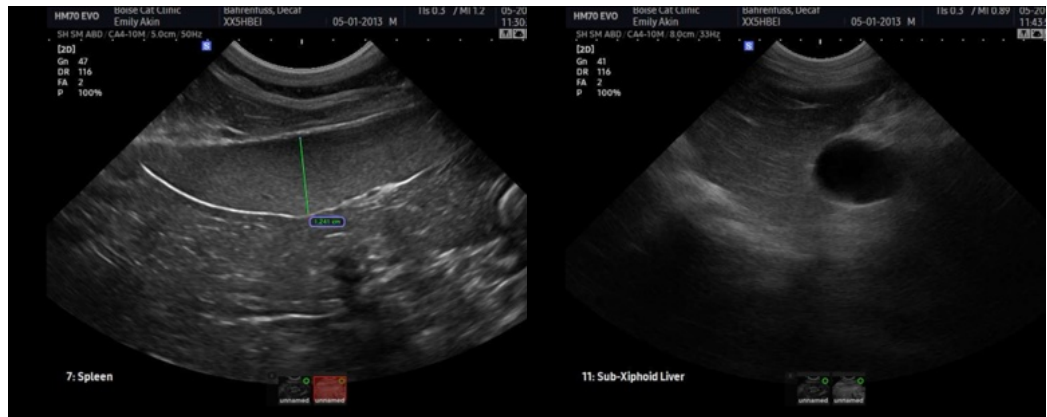
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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