



PATIENT

Minia Umana Diaz

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

DMH

SEX

Spayed Female

AGE

18 Years

WEIGHT

3.4 kg

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Weight loss, GI signs. Presented for distended hard abdomen. Has been on prednisolone for suspected IBD

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

The **urinary bladder**, trigone, and pelvic urethra to a depth of 1.0 cm 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 moderate 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. Dystrophic mineralization was noted and non-obstructive at this time. The left kidney measured 3.75 cm in length.

Adrenal Glands

Both **adrenal glands** were not visualized.

Spleen

The **spleen** presented nodular and irregular.

Liver

The **liver** was severely enlarged with multiple coalescing masses and nodular changes. The gallbladder was unremarkable other than a minor amount of calculi. The liver pathology extended into the cranial abdomen and enveloped portions of the upper gastrointestinal tract.

Gastrointestinal

The **gastrointestinal tract** was not clearly visualized.

Pancreas

The **pancreas** was not clearly visualized.

Free Abdomen

Large amount of **free fluid** was noted with coalescing cystic omental changes.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Diffuse hepatic neoplasia.
- Free fluid.
- Age-related renal changes.
- Nodular spleen.



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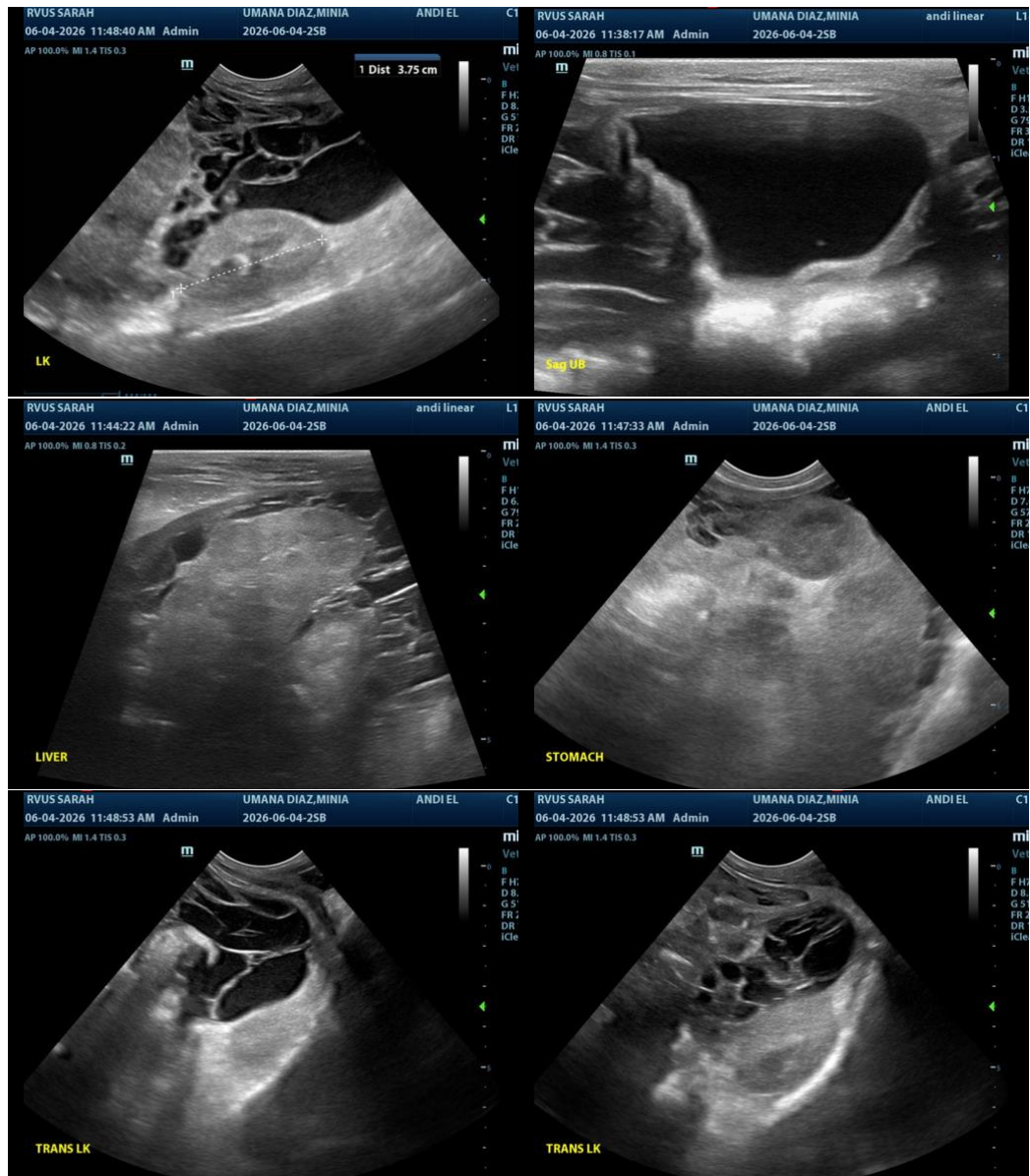
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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Prognosis is poor. FNA of the hepatic nodular changes and masses should prove effective regarding a definitive diagnosis.





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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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