



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Mya Linz History: History of pancreatitis/diarrhea, and incontinence. Bloods pending.

**SPECIES ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN**

Canine *Urinary System*

**BREED** 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.

Portuguese Water Dog

**SEX**

Spayed Female

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. The capsules were acceptably uniform without significant irregularities. The right kidney measured 5.65 cm. The left kidney revealed slight pyelectasia.

**AGE**

13 years

*Adrenal Glands*

**WEIGHT**

The right **adrenal gland** was uniform and measured 2.33 x 0.77 cm at the caudal pole and 0.84 cm at the cranial pole. The left adrenal gland was slightly enlarged and measured 3.25 x 0.69 cm at the caudal pole and 1.22 cm at the cranial pole.

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*Spleen*

The **spleen** revealed subtle micronodular changes. This is consistent with hyperplasia.

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*Liver*

Exam of the cranial abdomen demonstrated excessive **liver** size and swollen contour. Nodular changes were noted and were non-expansive and non-disruptive. Mild, coarse architecture was noted with increased portal markings and minor parenchymal remodeling is suggestive of an inflammatory component. Multi-focal, hypoechoic nodular changes were noted. Gallbladder and common bile duct were unremarkable.

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*Gastrointestinal*

The **stomach** revealed multi-focal shadowing material with ingesta. A larger shadowing gastric structure was noted and measured 2.0 cm. The small intestines and colon were unremarkable.

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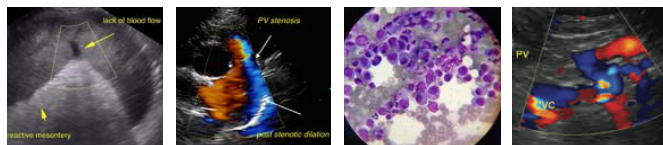
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*Pancreas*

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The **pancreas** was mildly heterogenous. This is consistent with remodeling or low-grade inflammation.



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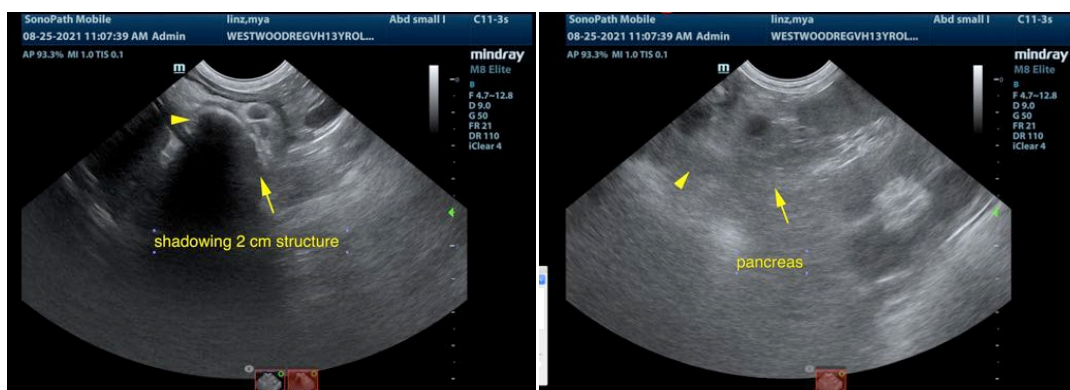
**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

Shadowing gastric structures with heterogenous pancreas. Suspect foreign matter.

Slightly enlarged left adrenal gland.

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

If the patient was n.p.o. at the time of the sonogram then gastrotomy is warranted. However, the patient should be imaged just prior to surgery to ensure that the material has not been eliminated or passed into the small intestine. Serial blood pressure measurements are recommended.



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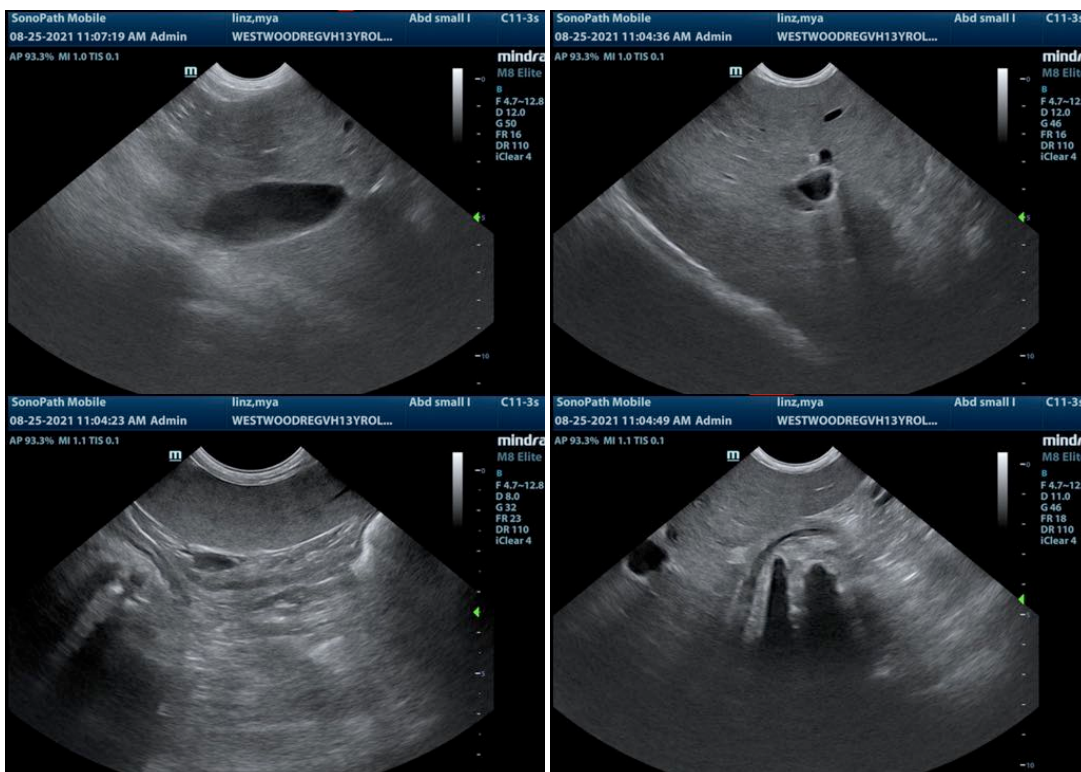
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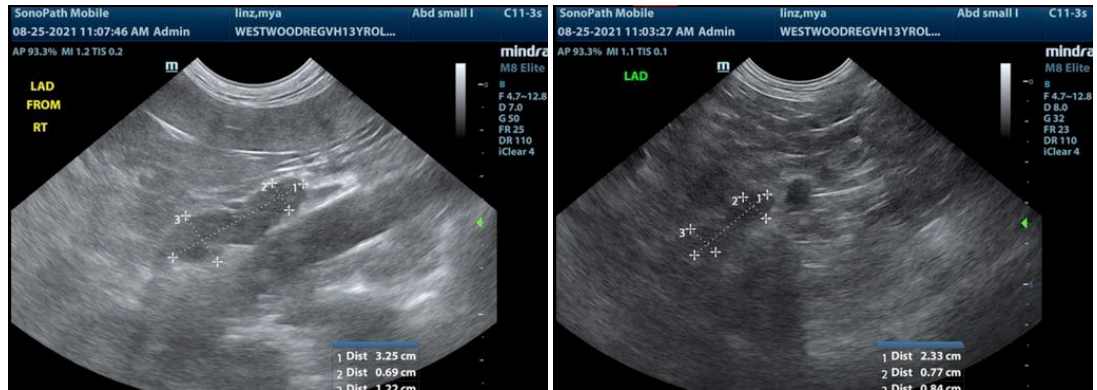
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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