



PATIENT

Rocco Lauver

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Pit Mix

SEX

Neutered male

AGE

9 years

WEIGHT

70 lbs

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History: Recent HX chronic hematuria; Culture pending; no symptoms; x-rays did not reveal any stones. Able to slide red rubber catheter the whole way without resistance. X-ray did not reveal any abnormalities.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: See attached UA and BW

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

The **urinary bladder** revealed slight polypoid changes at the apex. Otherwise, anechoic urine was noted otherwise. The pelvic urethra was imaged 1.0 cm beyond the cystourethral junction and appeared 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. An anechoic cyst was noted at the caudal pole of the left kidney measured 0.5 cm. The kidneys measured 5.0 cm each.

Adrenal Glands

The regions of the **adrenal glands** were imaged with no overt pathology, yet were not overtly visible.

Spleen

The **spleen** in this patient was mildly enlarged with uniform parenchyma and was folded upon itself. This is a positional variant and is not pathological. There was no evidence of significant disease.

Liver

The **liver** images from right and left intercostal as well as subcostal views revealed subjectively normal liver size, contour, and structure. Some age-related parenchymal remodeling was noted but likely not clinically significant at this time. Vascular and biliary tracts were of normal volume and no evidence of congestion was noted. The gallbladder presented some dependent debris with essentially normal contour. The cystic and common bile ducts were normal. No overt evidence of active inflammatory, infiltrative or regenerative pathology was noted but should be paired with current or past LE elevations regarding any clinical significance to this presentation. The hepatic lymph nodes were unremarkable.

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.



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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

Minor apical bladder polyps.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The cause of hematuria is unclear in this patient. Structurally the abdomen appears unremarkable. Occult UTI, idiopathic cystitis is all possible. No specific therapy is warranted other than antibiotic trial or anti-inflammatory such as Deramax to empirically treat polypoid hyperplasia. However, the changes were miniscule.

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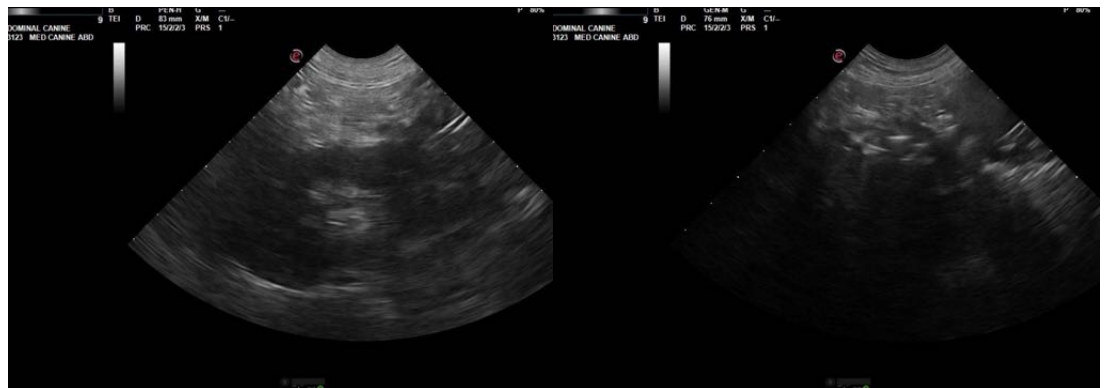
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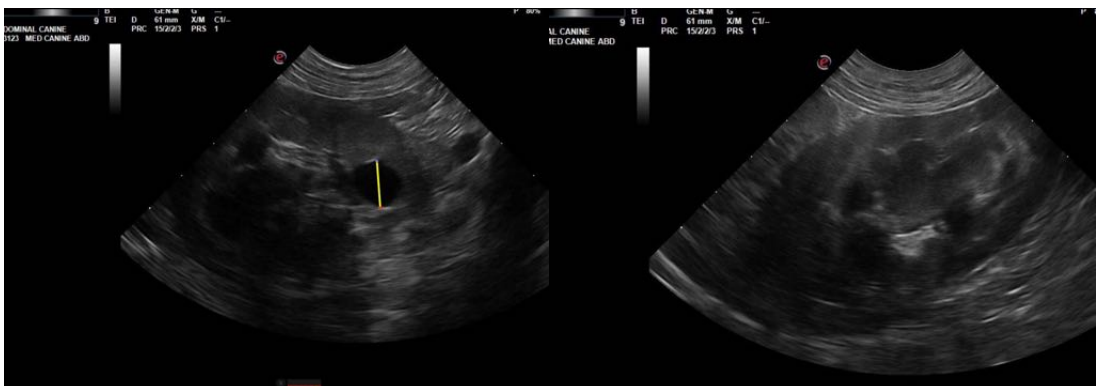


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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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