



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Lelu Nims History: P is BAR. O found a soft ball sized mass on base of throat that appeared on 12/10, P coughs if pressed on.
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Did FNA w/cytology, no abnormal findings

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

American Staffordshire Terrier

SEX

Spayed Female

AGE

13 years

WEIGHT

43 lbs

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION

A 6.0+ cm, undifferentiated mixed hypoechoic and hyperechoic microcystic mass was noted. There was significant disorganization and expansion upon regional tissues. This appears to be deriving from the esophagus as separation from the esophageal lumen into the mass was not present through capsular division. A stricturing portion of the mass appeared to be present and expanded into a cauliflower type mass into the regional tissues occupying the right and left cervical regions. Tracheal deviation was also noted along with regional inflammation. Some residual thyroid tissue was identified; however, the entire region is occupied by this disorganized mass. There is a possibility that this is thyroid derived; however, normal thyroid tissue was found and I would expect this mass to be ectopic thyroid if thyroid derived. However, I am fairly certain that this is esophageal derived given the pattern. The mass appears to stricture the esophageal lumen. I would expect a history of regurgitation in this patient as well as coughing upon solicitation given the deviation of the trachea and larynx.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Mass that appears to be deriving from the esophagus.

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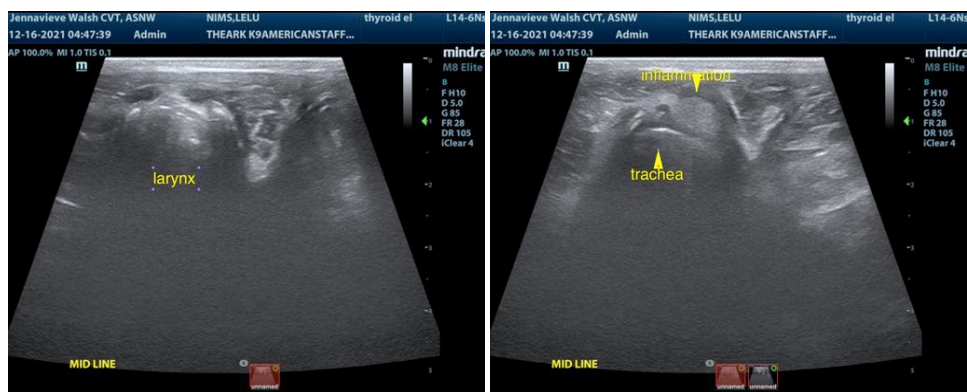
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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Ultrasound-guided FNA of the stricturing portion of the mass is recommended (see attached images and different techniques in order to obtain a definitive cytological diagnosis. CT evaluation would be recommended. Multi-focal areas of mineralization were noted within the mass. This is suggestive of carcinoma.





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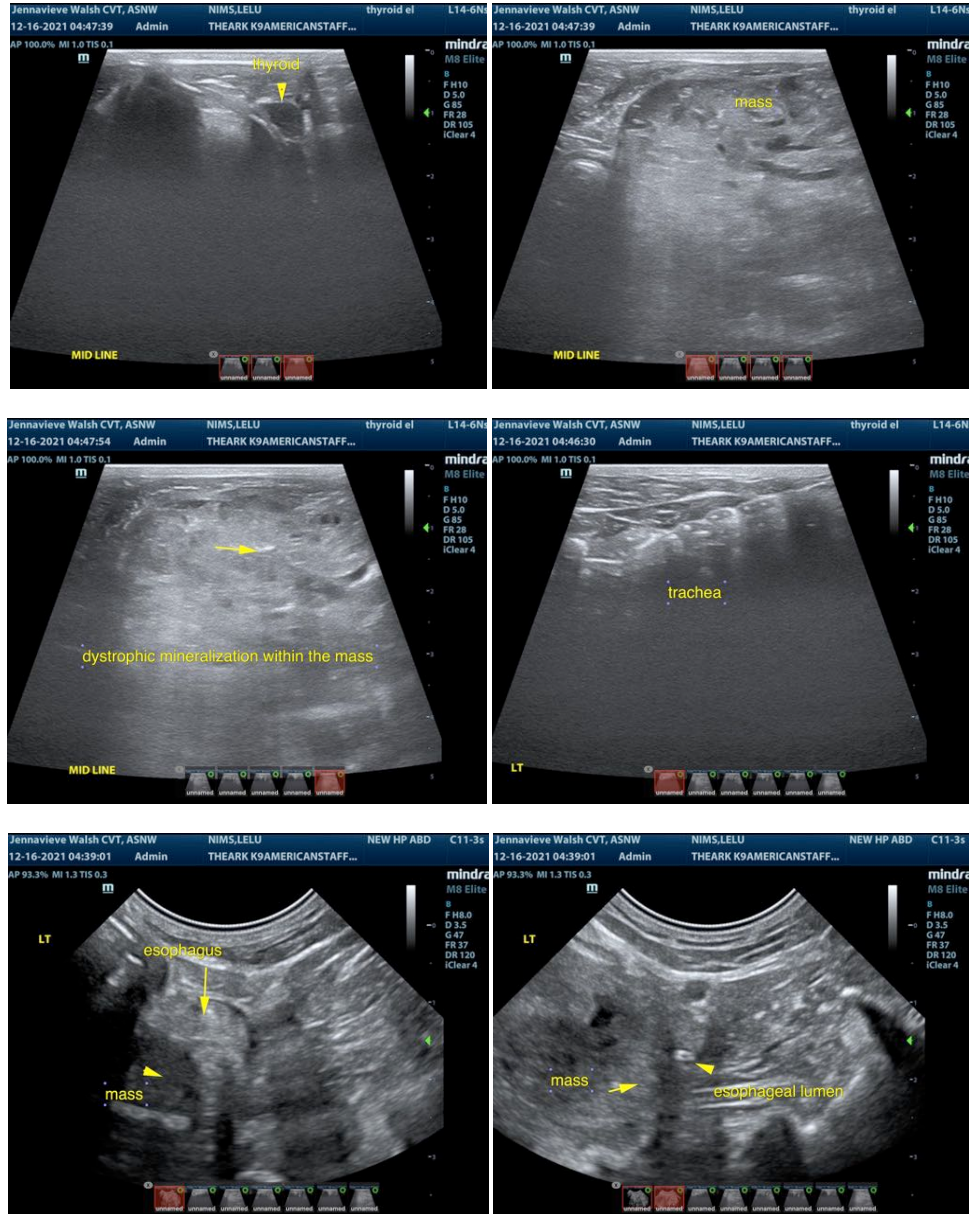
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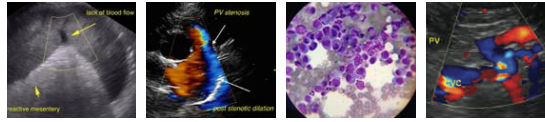
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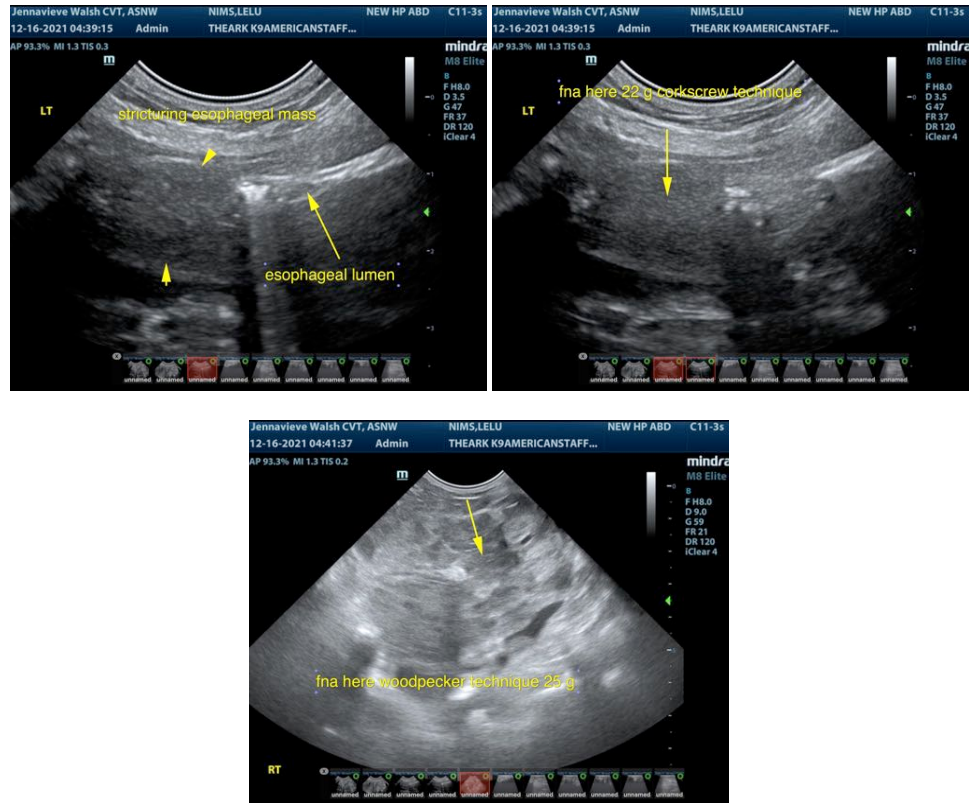
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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