

PATIENT

Trevor Blue Trigona

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Golden Retriever

SEX

Neutered Male

AGE

9.4 Years

WEIGHT

114.2 pounds

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

- has been restless at night (lots of sighing and whining) the last two weeks and seems to be clingier. has been doing more whining in general as well
- intermittent bouts of polydipsia followed by heavy breathing (not after exercise/activity)
- BCS - 8/9

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Bloodwork pending

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

The bladder is moderately distended with anechoic urine. No uroliths are seen. The bladder wall is normal in appearance and thickness. No masses are seen.

The left kidney presents normal size with normal shape and architecture. Normal corticomedullary distinction. No pyelectasia, ureteral dilation or nephrolithiasis. The left kidney measured 7.3 cm in length.

The right kidney presents normal size with normal shape and architecture. Normal corticomedullary distinction. No pyelectasia, ureteral dilation or nephrolithiasis. The right kidney measured 5.0 cm in length.

Adrenal Glands

The left adrenal gland presents normal shape and homogenous parenchyma. The phrenic vasculature is unremarkable. The cranial pole measures 5.1 mm and the caudal pole measures 4.8 mm.

The right adrenal gland is not seen on this exam.

Spleen

The spleen is normal in size, shape, margination and echogenicity. No masses are seen.

Liver

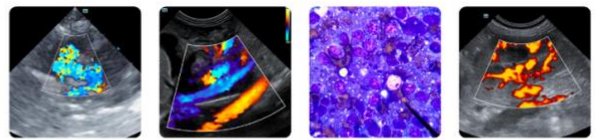
The liver presents normal size and shape with smooth lobar margins. The parenchyma has normal echogenicity with normal echotexture. No focal lesions are seen. Intrahepatic bile ducts are normal. Normal vascular pattern.

The gallbladder presents normal size with anechoic contents. Normal gallbladder wall. No evidence of bile duct distention or obstruction.

Gastrointestinal

The stomach wall appears diffusely abnormal in thickness measuring 3.3 mm in width. It appears the patient may not be fully fasted for this exam or there could potentially be mild delayed gastric emptying. Colon contains normal contents with normal wall thickness. The stomach contains a moderate amount of ingesta.

Pancreas



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The visible pancreas is normal in size with normal echogenic parenchyma and surrounded by normal peri-pancreatic mesentery.

Free Abdomen

There are no enlarged abdominal lymph nodes seen on this exam. No free abdominal fluid is seen.

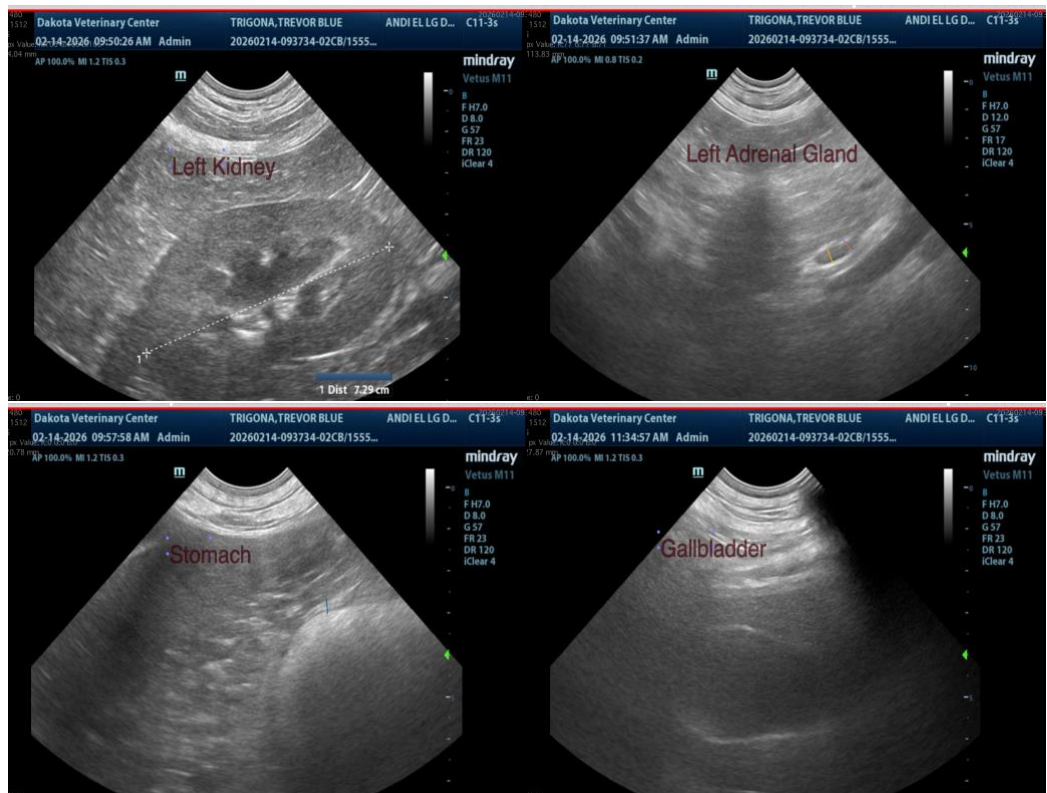
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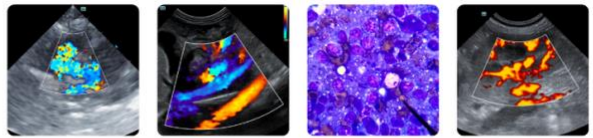
- Normal abdominal ultrasound.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

No cause for the patient's clinical signs is seen on this exam. Recommend any further diagnostics be considered after evaluating the patient's blood work which are reported to be pending at this time.

One consideration would be to submit a Texas A&M GI panel and screen the patient for occult gastrointestinal disease and specifically, to screen the patient for occult pancreatic disease which could be the cause of the suspected discomfort.





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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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