



PATIENT

Zelda Barbiero

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

DSH

SEX

Spayed Female

AGE

13 Years

WEIGHT

6.2 lbs

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Abdominal mass palpated and seen on radiograph

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. No papillae seen. There is a scant pocket of free fluid surrounding the ventral aspect of the urinary bladder.

The right kidney presents normal size (3.8 cm) with normal shape and architecture. Normal corticomedullary distinction. No pyelectasia, ureteral dilation or nephrolithiasis.

The left kidney presents normal size (3.9 cm) with normal shape and architecture. Normal corticomedullary distinction. No pyelectasia, ureteral dilation or nephrolithiasis.

Adrenal Glands

The right adrenal gland is not clearly seen on this exam.

The left adrenal gland presents normal shape and homogenous parenchyma. The phrenic vasculature is unremarkable. The left adrenal gland measures 4.1 mm in width.

Spleen

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

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. No evidence of metastatic disease seen within the liver.

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

Gastrointestinal

The gastric wall is diffusely thickened, with an intraluminal mass lesion that measures up to 1.1 cm in width with no normal layering present. The gastric lumen contains a mild to moderate amount of gas and fluid. This gastric lesion is irregular in shape. There is a moderate amount of hyperechoic fat surrounding the stomach. The intestines have normal wall layering and thickness. Colon contains normal contents with normal wall thickness.

Pancreas

The pancreas is not clearly visualized on this exam.

Free Abdomen

There are no enlarged abdominal lymph nodes seen on this exam.

There are other multiple pockets of scant/mild free fluid present throughout the abdomen.



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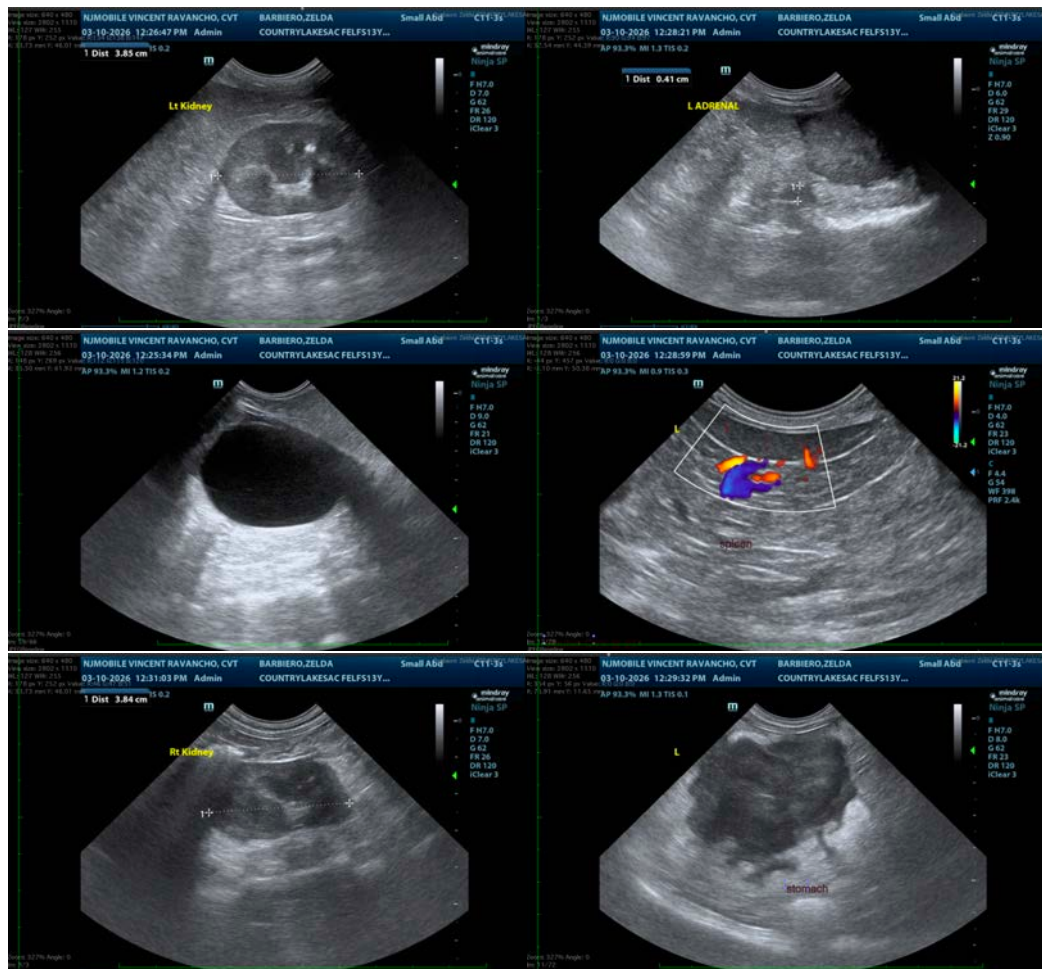
ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Gastric mass – Suggestive of neoplasia such as lymphoma or adenocarcinoma or leiomyosarcoma. A benign etiology is not suspected.
- Free fluid – Most likely has a neoplastic origin.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommend fine needle aspirate of the gastric mass and submission for cytology. If cytology is inconclusive, consider either surgical or endoscopic biopsies of the gastric mass lesion to determine etiology and formulate an appropriate treatment plan.

Recommend attempting fine needle aspirate sampling of abdominal free fluid and submission for cytology and fluid analysis to rule out carcinomatosis and also to rule out septic abdomen, which is unlikely but possible.





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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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