



## PATIENT

Kymani Leff

## SPECIES

Canine

## BREED

Pitbull Mix

## SEX

Spayed Female

## AGE

10 Years

## WEIGHT

58 Pounds

## INTERPRETED BY

Greg Kuhlman, DVM,  
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## IMAGING PERFORMED BY

Julia Bakker, DVM

## HOSPITAL NAME

Orange Blossom VI

## REFERRING VET

Eric Steinberg, DVM

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## PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Doctor: Gregory M. Kuhlman, DVM, DACVIM (SAIM)

Request type: Routine

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Referring Veterinarian: Eric Steinberg, DVM

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Notes to the Specialist:

Patient Name: Kymani Leff

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History:

- One-week hx of inappetence, no V/D. Bloodwork and Radiographs unremarkable (02/24/26). Tried entyce, discussed possible stressors. Want to R/o neoplasia vs. atypical Addison's.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results:

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## 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 right kidney presents normal size (7.2 cm) with normal shape and architecture. Normal corticomedullary distinction. No pyelectasia, ureteral dilation or nephrolithiasis.

The left kidney presents normal size (6.8 cm) with normal shape and architecture. Normal corticomedullary distinction. No pyelectasia, ureteral dilation or nephrolithiasis.

### Adrenal Glands

The right adrenal gland presents normal shape and homogenous parenchyma. The phrenic vasculature is unremarkable. The cranial pole measures 5.2 mm and the caudal pole measures 3.5 mm.

The left adrenal gland presents normal shape and homogenous parenchyma. The phrenic vasculature is unremarkable. The cranial pole measures 7.0 mm and the caudal pole measures 4.4 mm.

### Spleen

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



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## 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

Diffusely the stomach wall is hypoechoic with loss of layering and thickened with sections measuring up to 1.1 cm in width. The gastric findings are consistent most likely with diffuse gastritis of a benign origin, although neoplasia cannot be ruled out. Changes seen to the stomach may be due to lymphoma, or less likely adenocarcinoma or leiomyosarcoma. The intestines have normal wall layering and thickness. Colon contains normal contents with normal wall thickness.

## Pancreas

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

## Free Abdomen

There are numerous moderately to markedly enlarged mesenteric lymph nodes present. Four of these nodes are measured and found to be 1.3 cm x 2.49 cm, 1.2 cm x 2.6 cm, 1.0 cm x 2.1 cm in size. There is moderate surrounding hyperechoic fat around these lymph nodes. The nodes themselves are hypoechoic and have an irregular shape to them. The appearance of these lymph nodes is they are most certainly enlarged due to neoplasia, most likely round cell neoplasia (either lymphoma or mast cell disease). Histiocytic sarcoma is also possible.

No free abdominal fluid is seen.

## ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Thickened gastric wall- Gastritis secondary to disease causing lymph node enlargement vs same disease causing lymph node enlargement (round cell neoplasia suspected).
- Numerous moderately to markedly enlarged mesenteric lymph

## INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The patient's clinical signs are most likely attributed to the cause of the moderately to markedly enlarged hypoechoic irregularly shaped abdominal lymph nodes found throughout the abdomen. Recommend fine needle aspirate of one or multiple of these enlarged lymph nodes and submission for cytology to determine exact etiology causing lymph node enlargement and to formulate appropriate treatment plan. If fine needle aspirate of abdominal lymph nodes does not provide a diagnosis, then recommend lymph node biopsy.

Determine cause of enlarged abdominal lymph nodes and begin treatment for these enlarged lymph nodes. Treat gastric findings supportively with antiemetics and antacids. Rechecks gastric wall via ultrasound (and enlarged abdominal lymph nodes) in one month after starting treatment. If gastric wall



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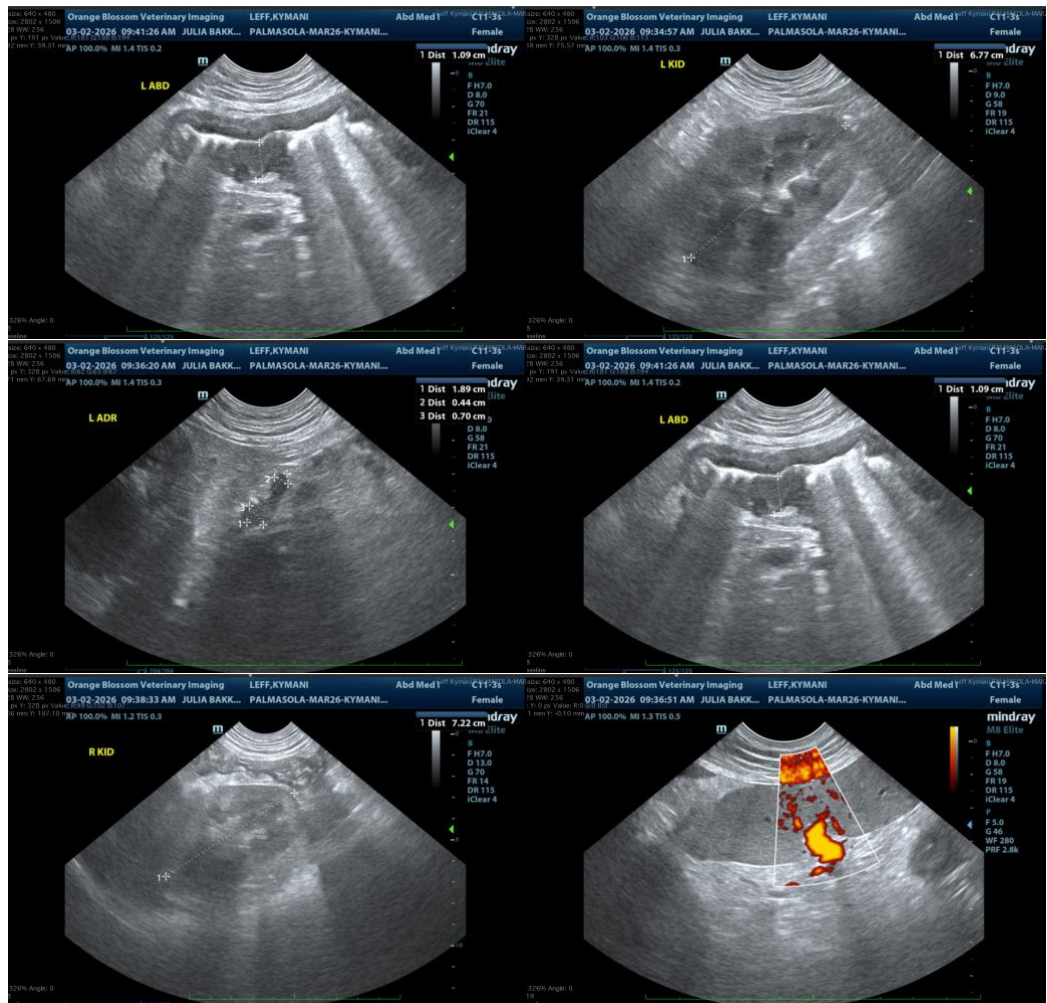
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findings do not improve/resolve with treatment, then recommend either surgical or endoscopic (preferred) gastric wall biopsies for histopathology.

Prognosis is guarded pending a determination as to the etiology of the lymph node enlargement





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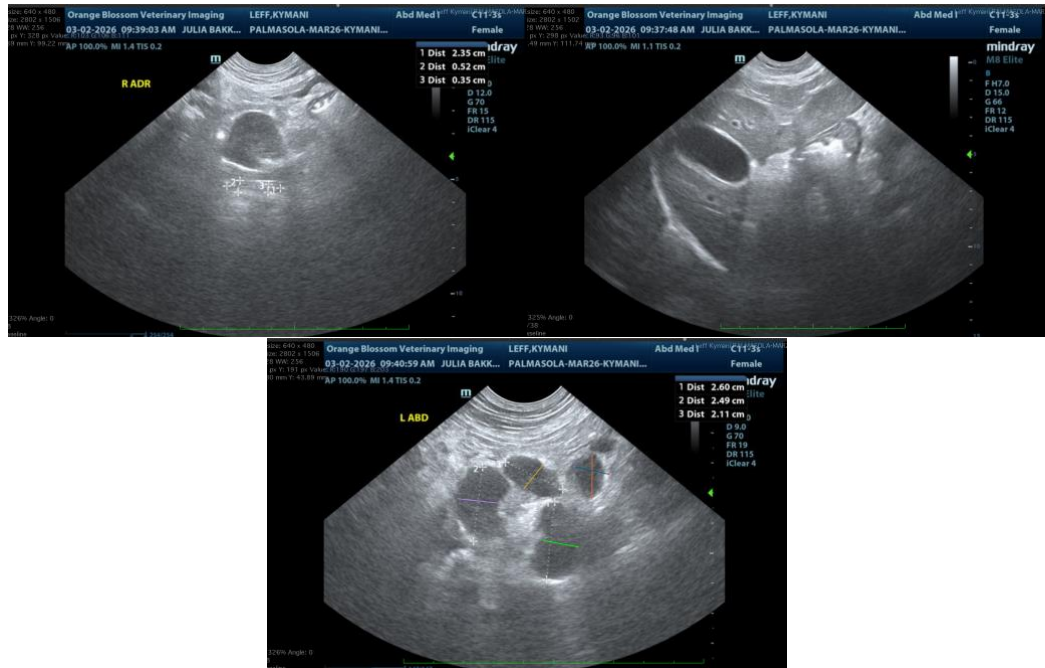
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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