



PATIENT

Chai Briney

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

DSH

SEX

Spayed Female

AGE

6 Years

WEIGHT

5.95 kg

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Patient presented as a recheck as she had been constipated 2 days prior to presentation, Chai has had small bowel movements, is not eating or drinking. After further conversations with the owner the concern for foreign material ingestion was raised.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Patient is uncomfortable on abdominal palpation, radiographs where performed and colon contained large amount of feces in the color all the way to the ascending colon.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

Urinary bladder is adequately distended. It has a normal uniform wall thickness. Contents include primarily anechoic fluid with a large amount of echogenic non-shadowing debris, most consistent with exfoliated cells, crystals, mucous and/or small blood clots likely combined with incidental suspended lipid. Both sterile inflammation as well as urinary tract infection can present with echogenic debris. No masses or definitive cystoliths are observed. The trigone and visible pelvic urethra are normal in thickness with a smooth mucosal surface.

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 (4.0 cm) with normal shape and architecture. Normal corticomedullary distinction. No pyelectasia, ureteral dilation or nephrolithiasis.

Adrenal Glands

The right adrenal gland was not clearly visualized.

The left adrenal gland was not seen on this exam.

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.

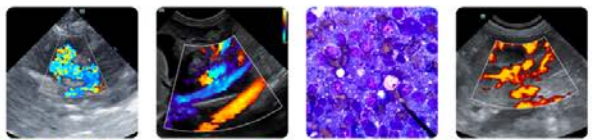
The gallbladder presents normal size with anechoic contents. Normal gallbladder wall. No evidence of bile duct distention or obstruction.

Gastrointestinal

The stomach and small intestines have normal wall layering and thickness. Colon contains markedly firm stool. The colon wall appears normal in thickness. No evidence of GI foreign material.

Pancreas

No pathology seen in the area of the left pancreas. The right pancreas appears normal.



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Free Abdomen

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

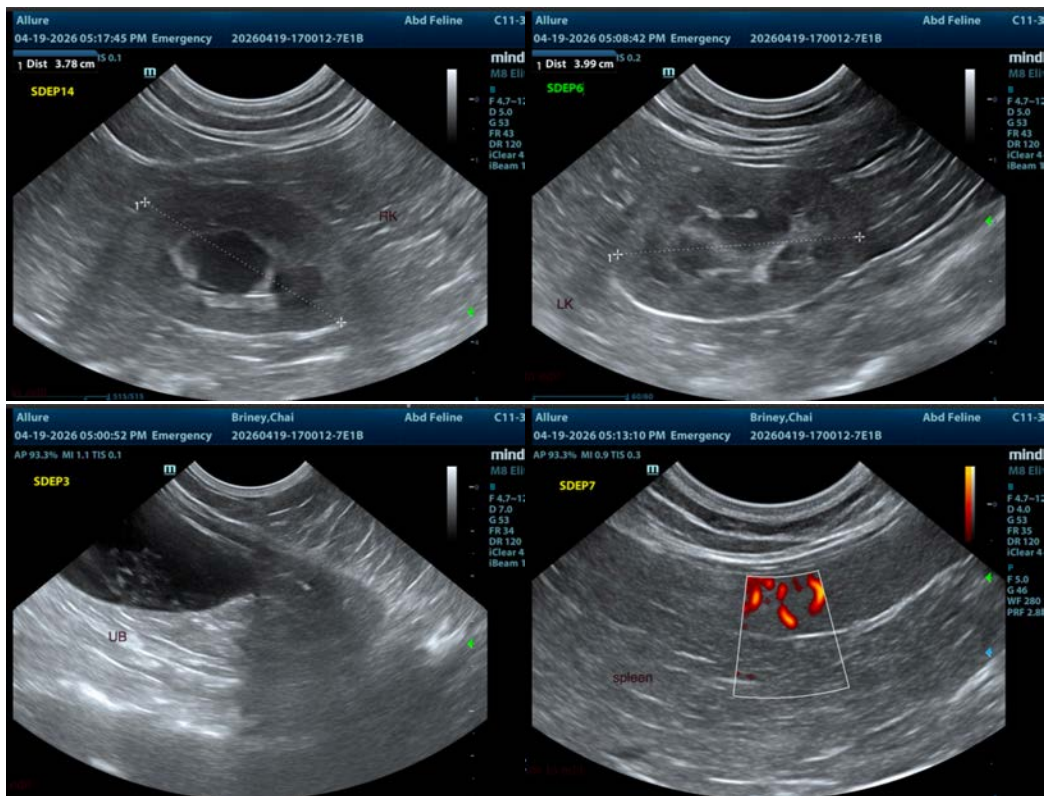
ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Urinary bladder debris.
- Markedly firm stool in the colon.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

No obvious cause for the patient's constipation seen on this exam. Consider submitting a Texas A&M GI panel to screen the patient further for possible occult pancreatic or occult small bowel disease.

Recommend screening for urinary tract infection. Recommend urine culture. If patient is diagnosed with a urinary tract infection, this could be cause of the constipation.





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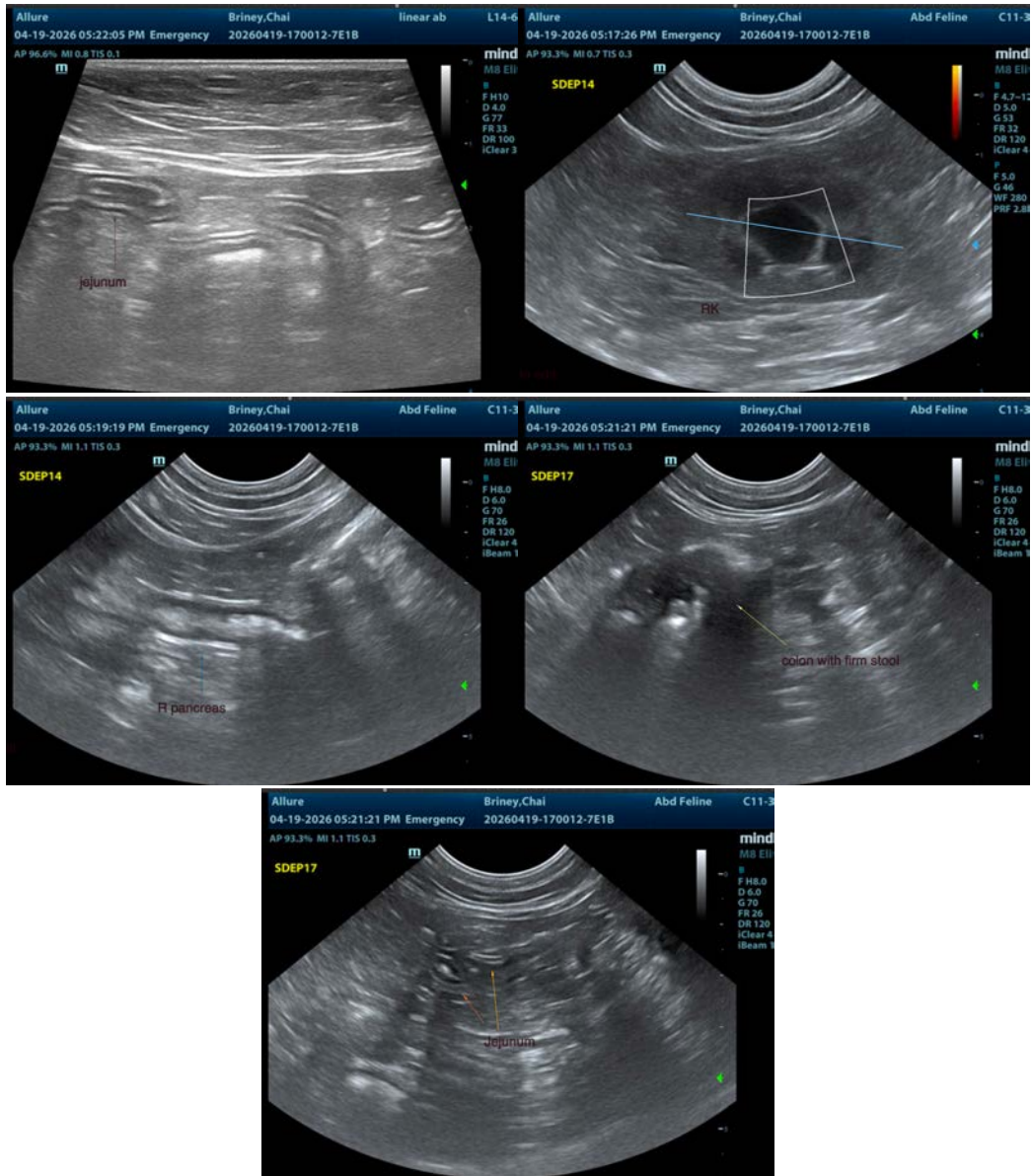
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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