



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Leia Rodriguez Escobar
 History: Uncomfortable upon thoracolumbar spinal palpation, intact reflexes on both hind limbs but ataxic. Plan STRICT rest, rimadyl-give with food, consult with Dr. Mongil, send radiology consult; gabapentin outside rx 100mg/mL: 0.8mL BID 10d

SPECIES RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE T- and L- SPINE

Canine
 Number and shape of the vertebrae are physiological; they are well mineralized and have smooth surfaces. No signs of aggressive osteolysis have been identified. An in situ calcified disc is present between L1/L2. The disc spaces appear to have a relatively even width.

BREED RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

Dachshund
 • L1/2: in situ calcified disc

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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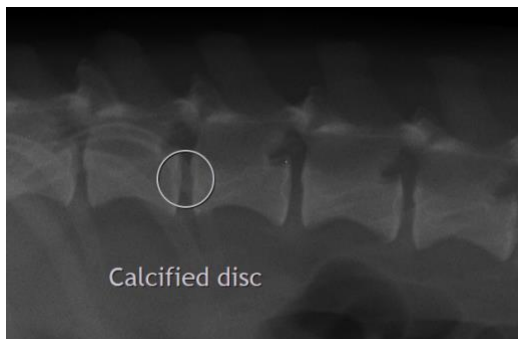
Spayed Female
 Accurate positioning of the spine is difficult, even under G.A., and cord compression can only be identified with myelography or in cross sectional imaging. Depending on the severity of the clinical signs, CT or MRI will be necessary in case an extruded disc needs to be removed.

AGE

14 Years

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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.

REFERRING VET

Dra. Garcia

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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