



**PATIENT**

Aspen Deyo

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

HX left elbow hygroma repair. Sx site did heal fully. Last week patient was continuously licking at elbow and now there is a small ulcerative dermatitis present. Concern for underlying olecranon process disease vs neuropathy vs other. The **olecranon** process appears irregular vs right olecranon process. Pt is non painful on palpation and no lameness was reported at home.

**SPECIES**

Canine

**RADIOGRAPH OF THE ELBOWS**

R and L lateral

**BREED**

Hound Mix

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

The caudal aspect of the left tuber olecrani is straight, slightly angled cranially and sclerotic. The dorsal outline shows a small step in the region of the former physis. The soft tissue structures in the region of the triceps insertion appear patchy and a mild soft tissue thickening is present on the caudal aspect of the tuber olecrani.

**SEX**

Female

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Irregularly shaped left tuber olecrani
- Soft tissue changes in the region of
  - triceps insertion
  - origin of flexor carpi ulnaris

**AGE**

1 Year, 10 Months

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The changes suggest bone and tendon damage. The altered shape of the tuber olecrani may be the result of pressure due to the previously treated hygroma. An ultrasound examination of both legs may be able to detect fibre malalignment and small fluid accumulations. Contrast CT or MRI will be able to detect inflammation.

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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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