



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Coco Gonzalez History: Painful when touched on left hind hip
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: BW:WNL

SPECIES RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF PELVIS AND STIFLES

Canine **Hind Leg**

The muscle mass is reduced on the left femur.

BREED

German Shepherd

Patches of increased opacity are present in both femora but are more obvious on the left.

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Female

The centre of both femoral heads is located lateral to the respective dorsal acetabular edge. The left cranial joint space is widened medially and laterally, and the cranial acetabular edge is straight and sclerotic. New bone formation surrounds femoral head and neck.

AGE

1 Year 10 Months

Both stifle joints have smooth subchondral bone surfaces, and the centre of the femoral condyles is in line with the intercondylar eminence. The cranial fat pad has a physiological size, and the caudal fascial plains are in a physiological position. New bone formation is not evident, and the patellae are located in their respective groove. Similar changes are present on the right as described for the left but less severe, the cranial joint space is narrow.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

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- Severe HD, bilateral
- Arthrosis: severe on left and moderate on right hip joint
- Panosteitis
- Muscle atrophy right hind

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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The pain on touching the hind legs is most likely due to the panosteitis which will disappear with time. NSAIDs will reduce the discomfort during this period; however, the disease may affect other long bones at a later stage. HD and arthrosis are severe for a dog this young. Depending on the clinical signs, THR may have to be considered later in the dog's life.

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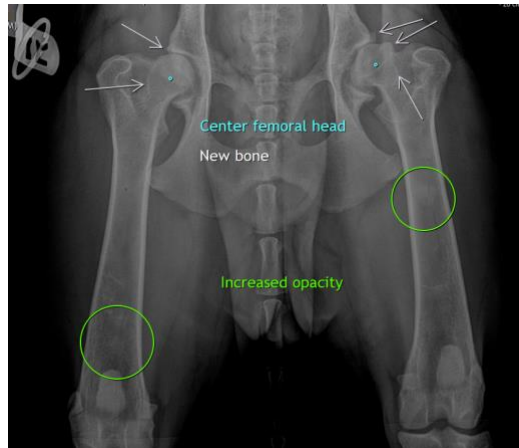
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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