



PATIENT

AMMY SCOTT

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Chief Complaint: hip pain? urinary infection? History: 2 WEEKS AGO AMMY FELL DOWN STAIRS AND WAS TAKEN TO LEADER FOR LIMPING/LAME. OVER THE PAST 3 DAYS O NOTICED FREQUENCY TO URINATE, CRIES OUT WHEN POSTURING TO URINATE. O CONCERNED IS IT STILL HIP PAIN OR URINARY INFECTION NO LAMENESS, GETS UP AFTER SLEEPING WITH EASE. THE ONLY THING HE IS SEEING IS URINATING SMALL AMTS FREQUENTLY.

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Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Mentation: HIGH STRUNG, ANXIOUS, LITTLE HARD TO RESTRAIN, LITTLE REACTIVE BUT OVERALL DID WELL Uro/Perineum: URINARY BLADDER SMALL, NO PALPABLE STONES. VULVA SLIGHTLY ENLARGED, NO VAGINAL DISCHARGE Musculoskeletal: NORMAL GAIT, DECREASED MUSCLE MASS REAR LEGS, SLIGHTLY REDUCED ROM BOTH REAR LEGS, NO DRAWER EITHER STIFLE, NO CP DEFICITS Neurological: N Diagnostic Testing Needed: UA (FREE CATCH...CYSTO WOULD BE HARD WITHOUT SEDATION): RODS, 34 WBC'S, >50 RBC'S, USG 1.037 - R/O UTI

BREED

Samoyed

SEX

Female

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN

2x lateral, 1x VD

AGE

6 Years, 3 Months

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The body condition score is 7-8/9 with smooth alternating layers of fat and soft tissue opacity.

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A moderate amount of new bone is just visible on both femoral necks.

The abdominal detail is good; diaphragm and abdominal wall are intact.

The caudo-ventral liver lobe is superimposed onto the normal sized tail of the spleen.

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The stomach contains some air and food. The gas filled small intestinal loops occupy the central abdomen and appear of homogeneous and physiological size. Colon and rectum contain mixture of gas and fecal matter.

Both renal shadows are difficult to see but appear to have a physiological size. The bladder is located in the abdominal cavity and contains a small amount of homogeneous fluid opacity.

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The gap between bladder/urethra and colon is occupied by a tubular soft tissue opacity.

The region of the sublumbar lymph nodes appears physiological.

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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Possible uterine body enlargement
- Hip OA, bilateral

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The prominent uterine body may be an incidental finding but should be investigated further to rule out a closed pyometra. A persistently small bladder with frequent urination could be the result of cystitis and ultrasound can help assess bladder wall and urethra for abnormalities. A



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urine sample should be obtained vis cystocentesis to ensure that bacterial growth is coming from the urinary tract and not from inflammation in the vulva. The hip OA may be contributing to the discomfort, but disc disease may also be present. Should the neurological examination reveal deficits, cross sectional imaging is recommended.

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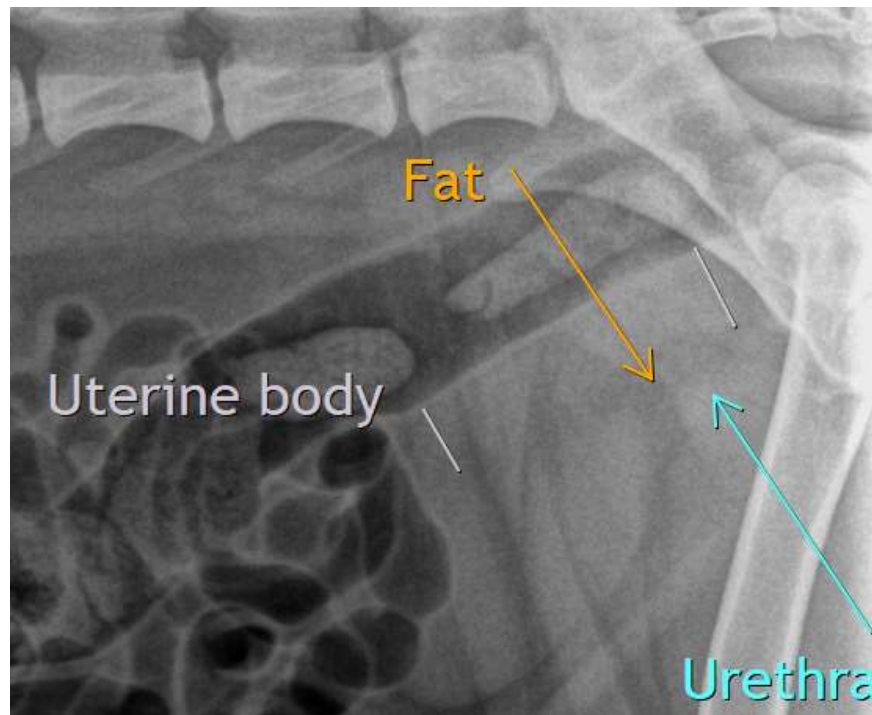
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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