

**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Khaleesi Bambi Zapp
History: Cat fell off of couch about 10 days ago and was nonweight bearing on RF. Has since improved somewhat but still limping.
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Reluctant to flex R elbow

SPECIES RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ELBOWS

Feline
Skeletal immaturity compatible with the given age is noted.
The bones are well mineralized, have a normal trabecular structure and smooth, continuous surfaces.

BREED

Sphynx Mix

Cortical-medullary development and differentiation of the long bones are physiological.

SEX

Spayed Female

Both radii are located lateral to the respective humeral condyles on the DV view of the cranial thorax and their path appears laterally deviated; on the lateral views the proximal third is located further caudally than the distal third. Antebrachio-carpal joint and paws are in a DP position whereas elbow and shoulder are in a lateral position.

AGE

7 Months

The normal anatomical relationship between radius, ulna and humeral condyles is lost bilaterally. Distal humeral growth plates are not identified on either leg and the distal radial growth plate of the left leg is not apparent. The distal ulnar growth plates of both legs appear deformed and partially closed.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**INTERPRETED BY**

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- Bilateral angular limb deformity (ALD)
- Bilateral lateral elbow luxation
- Possible premature growth plate closure of humeral and/or ulnar growth plates

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**HOSPITAL NAME**

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Considering the age of the cat and the bilateral expression of the disease the ALD appears to be congenital. I can see no fracture line, but the ALD is likely the cause for the persistent pain after the trauma. A CT examination will help identify the exact location of the bones to each other in case surgery is considered.

REFERRING VET

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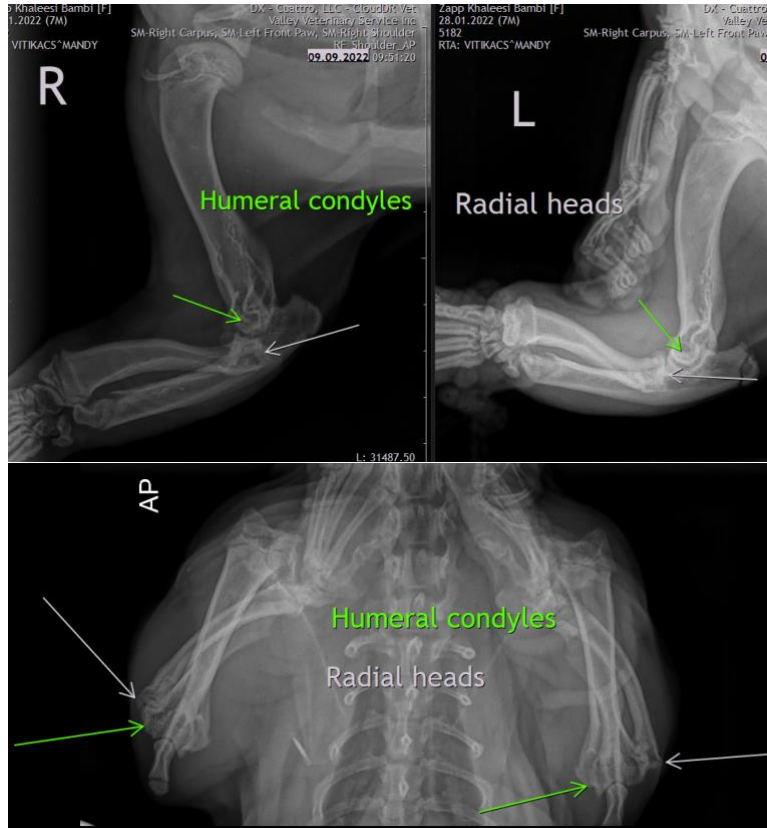
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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