



PATIENT

Fantasia Porter

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

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SEX

Spayed Female

AGE

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WEIGHT

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Vomiting bile, inappetence other than treats, small intestinal GI inflammation suspected on rads
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: K 3.4

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

The urinary bladder is mildly to moderately distended with urine. In the dependent portion of the urinary bladder there is some focal shadowing debris most consistent with mineralized debris. Some of this material appears to be extending into the proximal urethra. The bladder wall appears mildly thickened and slightly irregular. No focal mass lesions are visualized.

The left kidney has a normal shape and size (3.89 cm). Overall echogenicity is normal with adequate corticomedullary distinction and a typical 1:3 cortex:medulla ratio. There is no evidence of focal perinephric inflammation or effusion. There is no evidence of pyelectasia, nephroliths, infarcts or hydroureter. Renal vasculature is normal.

The right kidney has a normal shape and size (4.04 cm). Overall echogenicity is normal with adequate corticomedullary distinction and a typical 1:3 cortex:medulla ratio. There is no evidence of focal perinephric inflammation or effusion. There is no evidence of pyelectasia, nephroliths, infarcts or hydroureter. Renal vasculature is normal.

Adrenal Glands

The region of left adrenal (Cranial to left renal artery) is unremarkable but the adrenal is not distinctly visualized. No evidence of a mass effect is visualized.

The region of the right adrenal (between right cranial kidney and vena cava) is unremarkable, but the adrenal is not distinctly visualized. No evidence of a mass effect is visualized.

Spleen

The spleen is subjectively normal in size (0.84 cm), echotexture is homogenous, and the splenic capsule is smooth with no irregularities. The blood flow through the hilus and splenic parenchyma appears normal. No focal parenchymal abnormalities are visualized.

Liver

The liver is subjectively normal in size, and echogenicity with smooth peripheral margins. The parenchyma is homogenous echotexture. The visible portions of the vasculature and biliary tract appear normal. No focal nodules or cystic lesions are observed.

The gall bladder lumen is moderately distended. The wall of the gall bladder is not thickened and has a smooth mucosal surface. Luminal contents are mild and likely incidental at this time. The cystic and common bile ducts are normal/not visible.



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Gastrointestinal

The stomach contains mild fluid and gas. It measures at a normal thickness of <0.36cm with some variability due to the presence of rugal folds. The distinction of the gastric wall layers is adequate and there is no impression of reduced peristaltic activity. No masses or focal lesions were observed.

The visualized areas of duodenum, jejunum and ileum have a relatively uniform diameter with minimal fluid distension. Wall thickness is normal. Bowel loops follow a curvilinear path with distinct wall layering maintaining the typical 1:3 muscularis:mucosa layer ratio. Jejunum wall measures 0.20 cm. Duodenum wall measures 0.30 cm. Visualized peristalsis appears appropriate. There were no focal lesions consistent with obstruction or a mass effect observed.

Sections of colon are visualized with formed fecal material and gas shadowing distally. There is no observed focal or generalized colon wall thickening or loss of layering.

Pancreas

The pancreas is normal and isoechoic to surrounding mesentery. There is no evidence of nodules or cystic lesions. There is no evidence of regional mesenteric inflammation or fluid.

Free Abdomen

Evaluation of the peritoneal cavity did not reveal any evidence of effusion. There is no evidence of a diffuse lymphadenopathy. There is a prominent lymph node in the cranial abdomen measuring 0.45 cm x 0.86 cm.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Dependent sandy/mineralized debris visualized in the urinary bladder and proximal urethra – Recommend a urinalysis +/- culture and radiographs to further evaluate.
- Prominent cranial abdominal lymph node – This likely represents a reactive lymph node.
- Small amount of shadowing ingesta and gas visualized within the stomach – This is likely incidental. No evidence of an obstruction is visualized.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

No focal lesions are visualized associated with the GI tract to explain the vomiting and inappetence reported. There is a small amount of shadowing ingesta visualized within the stomach. There is no evidence of an obstructive lesion, although small ingested foreign material cannot be definitively ruled out. If lab work is normal and a primary enteropathy is strongly suspected, you could consider the following:

- Consider a novel protein/hydrolyzed protein diet (exclusively at least 4-6 weeks)
- Consider a GI panel to Texas A&M for evaluation of B12 levels, folate, PLI/TLI etc.. to further evaluate for pancreatic/small intestinal disease.
- Recommend chronic probiotic therapy.



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If these symptoms are acute, recommend empirical treatment for gastroenteritis. If a PLI level is significantly elevated, concurrent treatment for pancreatitis could be considered despite a relatively normal appearing pancreas.

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If symptoms are persistent despite these steps, consider repeat imaging, looking for the development of a new lesion. Biopsies of the GI tract may eventually be warranted.

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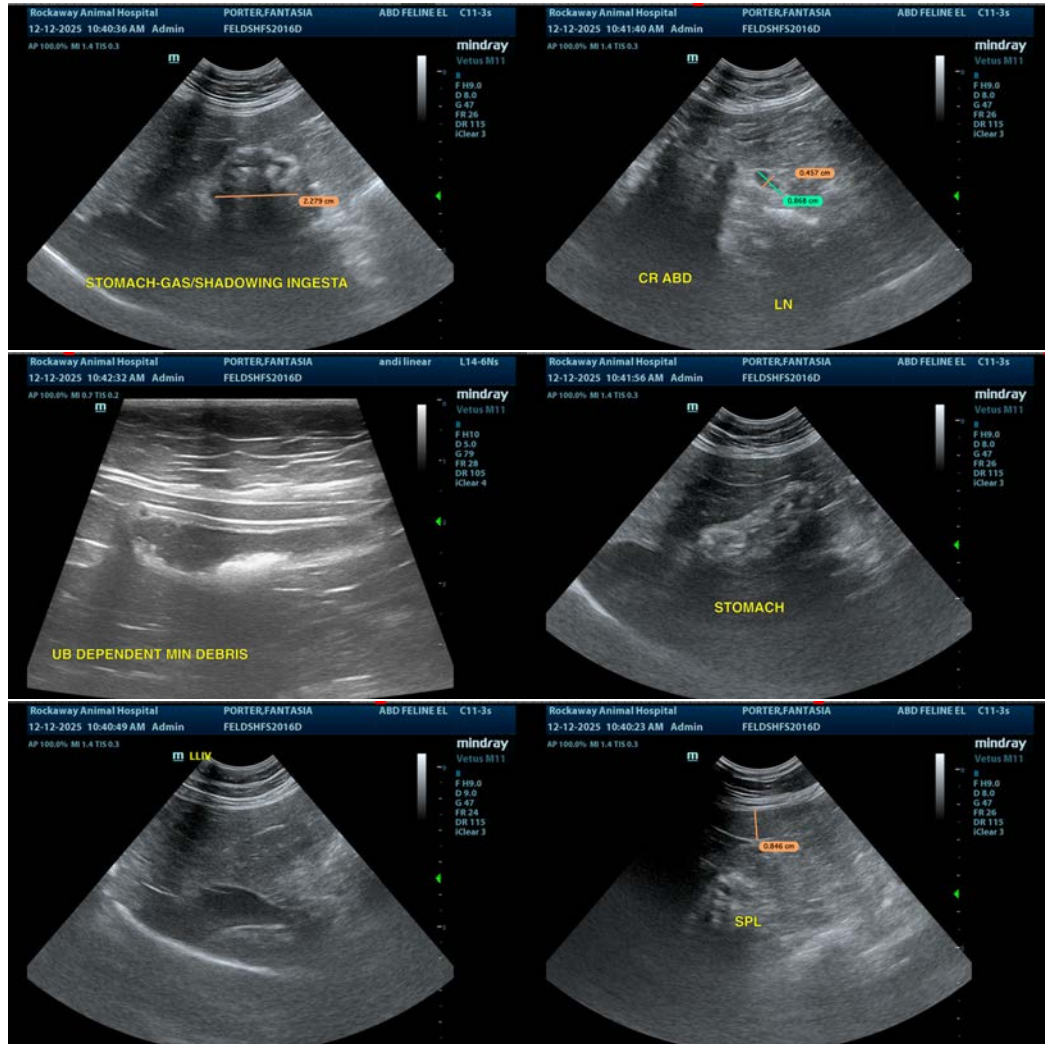
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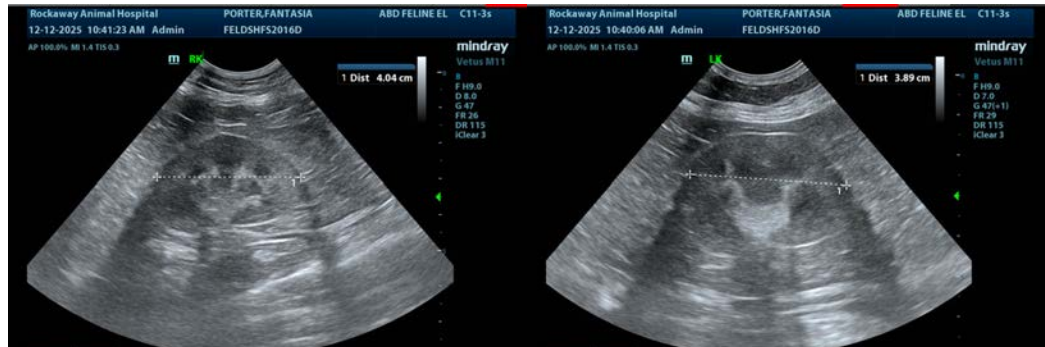
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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