

**PATIENT**

Bella Maglione

**SPECIES**

Canine

**BREED**

Australian Shepherd

**SEX**

Spayed Female

**AGE**

13 Years 8 Months

**WEIGHT**

11 Pounds

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**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

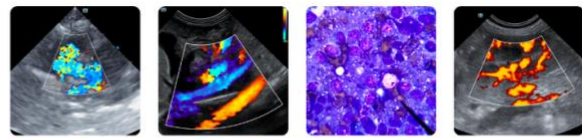
- Hx of prev. GI pyloric thickening Endoscopy and Bx performed, Gastric mass- polypoid fibroepithelial hyperplasia
- Hx of cardiac murmur grade 2-3
- Meds: Metoclopramide, Omeprazole, Gabapentin, Pred 5 mg SID, Cerenia, Vetmedin 2.5 mg BID
- Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: BP 129/101. 139/108, ALT 123, ALP 150, GGT 34, WBC 25.7 Albumin 2.5, USG 1.035

**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE HEART**

<b>CANINE CARDIAC PARAMETERS</b>	<b>MR VMAX</b> (m/s)	<b>TR VMAX</b> (m/s)	<b>LA/AO</b> (M-Mode)	<b>LA/AO</b> (Heart Base; Swe)	<b>FS</b> (%)	<b>EF</b> (%)	<b>EPSS</b> (cm)
<b>NORMAL PARAMETER</b>	4.5-5.5	<2.7	1.3	Up to 1.6	28-40	40-100	<0.6
<b>PATIENT</b>	6.17	2.20	NM	1.54	37	68	--
<b>CANINE CARDIAC PARAMETERS</b>	<b>HR</b> (BPM)	<b>AV VMAX</b> (m/s)	<b>PV MAX</b> (m/s)	<b>BODY WEIGHT</b> (lbs)	<b>LAD</b> LA MAX 4 Chamber	<b>LVIDd</b> Avg; 2D and m-mode short axis (cm)	<b>LVIDs</b> Avg; 2D and m-mode short axis (cm)
<b>NORMAL PARAMETER</b>	50-100	0.7-1.7	0.7-1.6				
<b>PATIENT</b>	--	1.25	0.63	11 lbs	26 mm	2.80	1.78

**Cardiac Presentation**

The mitral valve leaflets are mildly thickened with severe mitral regurgitation posteriorly directed. There is no prolapse of the mitral valve leaflet. The left atrial size is normal. Left ventricular internal dimensions during diastole are within normal limits and systolic function is preserved in the face of mitral regurgitation. There is normal right atrial size with mild tricuspid regurgitation. There is no prolapse of the tricuspid valve leaflets and no evidence of pulmonary hypertension based upon tricuspid regurgitant velocities. The right ventricle subjectively appears normal in structure and function. The aortic and pulmonic valves have normal morphology and the corresponding outflow velocities are within normal limits. There is no evidence of pulmonic or aortic insufficiency. The aorta appears normal. The pulmonary artery and associated branches appear normal. There is no evidence of pleural effusion, pericardial effusion, or intracardiac masses.



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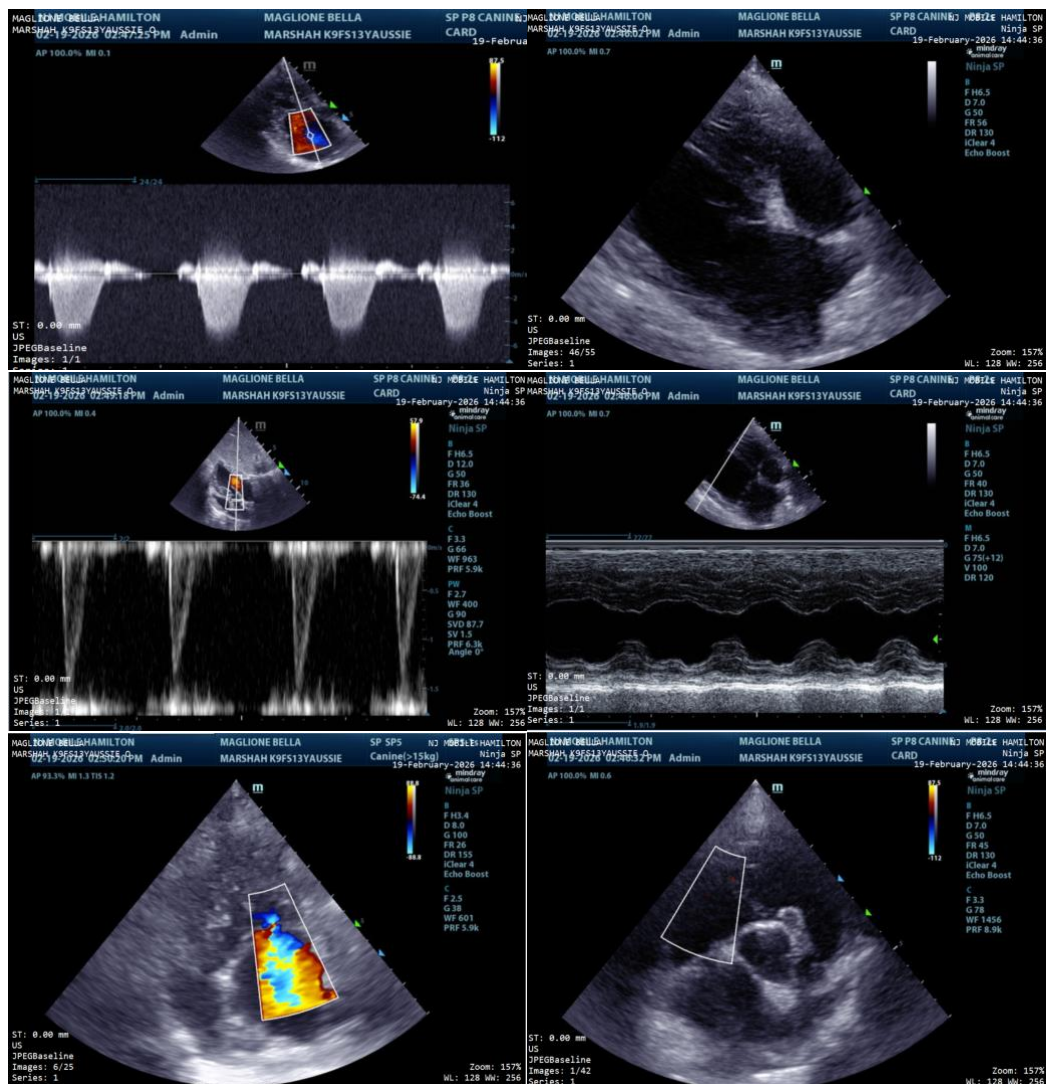
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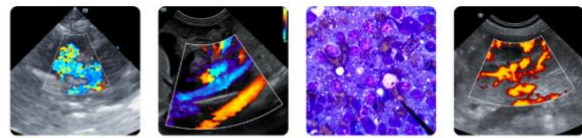
**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

- Myxomatous mitral valve disease, stage B-1
- Severe mitral regurgitation
- Concurrent mild tricuspid valve regurgitation

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

No medications are necessary. Annual recheck is recommended, unless there are any concerns prior.





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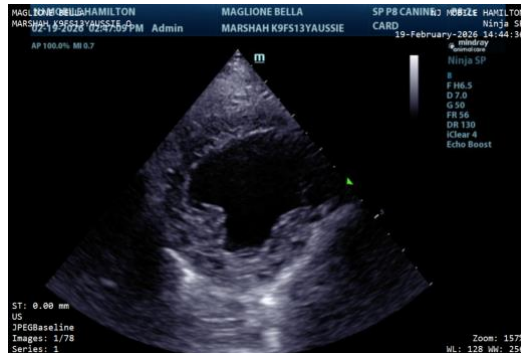
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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