



PATIENT

Bebeto Daghestani

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

Persian

SEX

Male

AGE

2 years

WEIGHT

3.4 kg

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History: Occasional dyspnea with open mouth breathing
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Normal

CYTOLOGY SUBMISSION

Bronchoalveolar lavage was performed and submitted

OBSERVATIONS

Bronchoalveolar lavage: Submitted are 2 excellent videos of excellent collections of cells from the bronchoalveolar lavage from Bebeto. The cellularity is very consistent with large numbers of neutrophils interspersed with mucus and rare other cells such as lymphocytes and macrophages. I looked at many of the neutrophils very closely for the presence of bacteria but I was unable to identify any bacteria. There is prominent mucus throughout the collection. Smudged nuclear debris is present in the smears. Scattered epithelial cells are present. Specific etiologic agents are not identified.

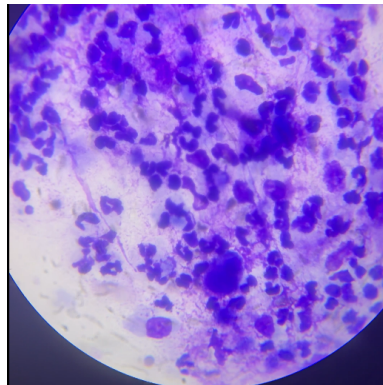
INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Bronchoalveolar lavage - Mucopurulent inflammation with no bacteria identified.

COMMENTS

The cellularity in this collection supports a chronic inflammatory process with prominent mucus secretions. There is very likely some type of bacterial or fungal infection but I was unable to identify it in this collection. There is no suggestion of allergic changes since eosinophils were not identified and there certainly are a large number of neutrophils present. There may have been allergic changes in the past and now this has become more inflammatory in a nonspecific manner. Hopefully culture was applied to the collection. A guarded prognosis is warranted since the underlying process has not been identified. There is definitely some type of chronic inflammation present.

CYTOLOGY IMAGE



This is an image of large numbers of neutrophils with rare other cells collected from the bronchoalveolar lavage collected from Bedeto. If bacteria are present, they are difficult to identify. Mucus is present in the background.



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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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