



PATIENT

Bella Cavallair

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

DSH

SEX

Spayed Female

AGE

12

WEIGHT

8.6

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

- Mild hypertrophic obstructive cardiomyopathy, Mild aortic insufficiency. The patient on
- atenolol 25 mg quarter tablet once a day
- Weigh loss

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Bw-Azotemia, CKD stage 3, Mid Anemia

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE HEART

FELINE CARDIAC PARAMETERS	BODY WEIGHT	HR (BPM)	IVSd (cm)	LVIDd (cm)	LVWd (cm)	FS (%)	EF (%)
NORMAL PARAMETER	-----	150-240	0.3-0.6	1.0-2.1	0.25-0.6	35-67	80-100
PATIENT	8.6	NM	0.45	1.4	0.47	48	82
FELINE CARDIAC PARAMETERS	LA/AO (M-mode)	LA/AO HEART BASE (Sisson)	LAD LA MAX 4 Chamber		LVOT VEL. (m/s)	RVOT VEL. (m/s)	IVRT (m/)
NORMAL PARAMETER	<1.5	1.6	0.7-1.7		<1.6	<1.3	40-60
PATIENT	--	1.2	1.3		--	1.6	NM
Adapted from June Boon, Veterinary Echocardiography, 1998							
Sisson D et al. JVIM 1991; 5: 232, Jacobs et al. Am J Vet Res 1985; 46:1705							

Cardiac Presentation

The echocardiogram in this patient demonstrated normal **left atrial** dimension based on 2 separate LA measurements. The cranial and caudal **mitral** valve leaflets presented normal linear structure and kinetics. No overt MR or current evidence of systolic anterior motion (SAM). The **left ventricle** presented normal thicknesses with linear contour and was not dilated nor restricted. The **myocardium** presented normal echogenicity without subjective evidence of significant fibrotic or ischemic disease. **Contractility** of the ventricular walls was adequate and in normal range for this patient evidenced by the fractional shortening measurement and subjective evaluation of the different regions and angles of the myocardium. The **left ventricular outflow** tract demonstrated normal laminar flow and subjective structural integrity. The **right atrium** and auricle revealed normal size, structure and content. No evidence of masses was noted or chamber overload. **Tricuspid** valvular assessment demonstrated adequate linear morphology and kinetics. The **right ventricle** was of normal size (1/3 diameter of LV), chordae structure, myocardial echogenicity and thickness. **Pulmonic** tract assessment revealed normal valve structure, laminar flow, and diameter (approx. 1:1 pa/ao ratio). Normal measured RVOT velocity. No visible **pericardial** or free pleura fluid was noted or extra cardiac pathology in the visible planes. The cranial **mediastinum and pericardial regions** were free of masses in the visible window.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS



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- Normal cardiac structure/function.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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No current clinical issues such as left or right heart chamber enlargement, LV systolic dysfunction, HCM criteria, or previously noted probable SAM. Regardless of classification, the continued lack of left atrium or generalized chamber enlargement indicates the current and future risk of complication is low. No indication for cardiac medication. No anesthetic contraindications. Sonographic monitoring is advised as needed. Recheck echo is suggested in 8 to 12 months, sooner if clinically indicated.

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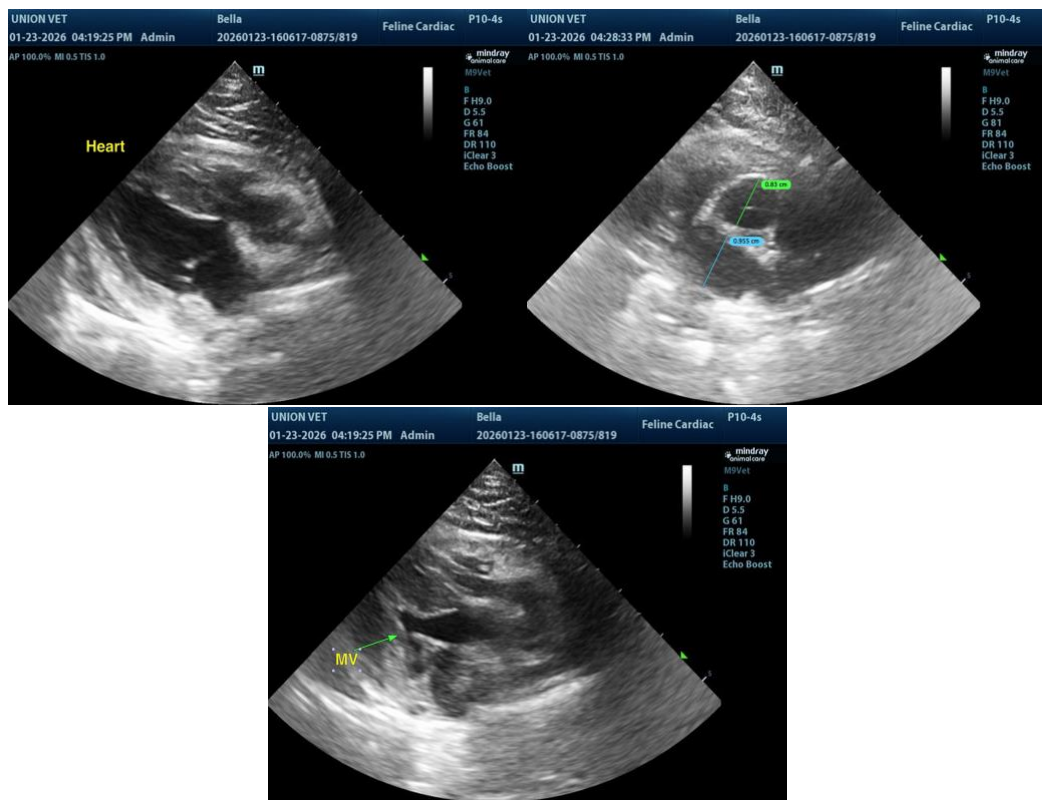
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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