





**PATIENT**

Vinny Fidacaro

**SPECIES**

Canine

**BREED**

Lab X

**SEX**

Neutered Male

**AGE**

9 Years

**WEIGHT**

66 Pounds

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Rockway AH

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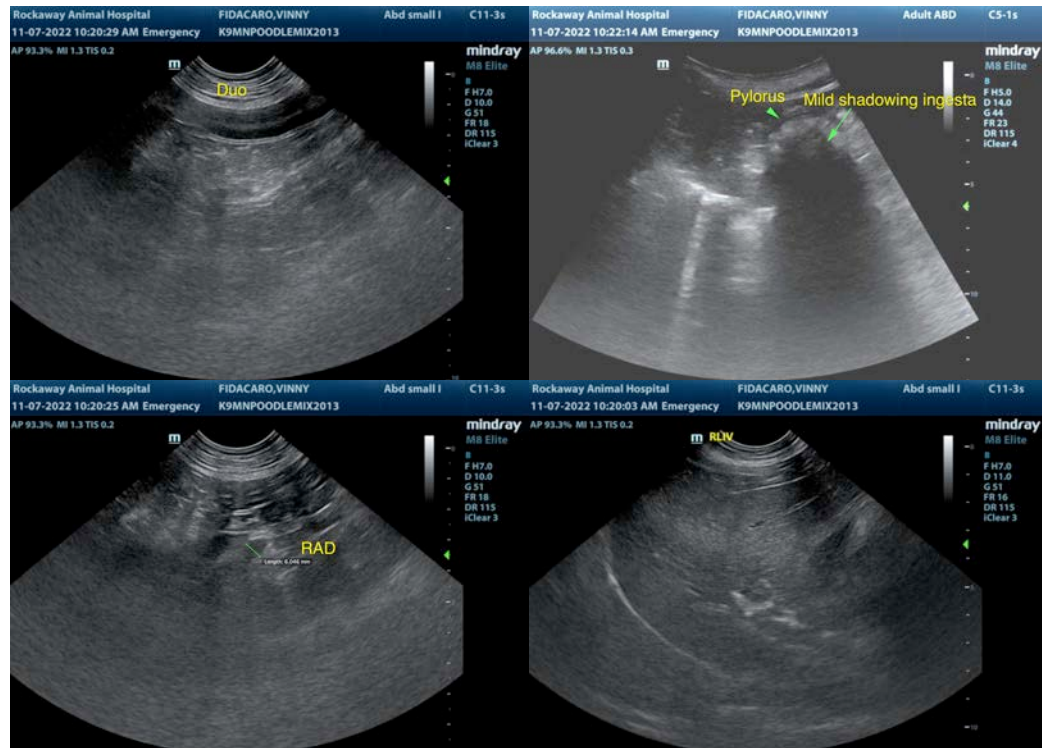
**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

- Persistent shadowing gastric ingesta
- Previously noted static, non-specific splenic nodule – hyperplasia, hematopoiesis, focal splenitis, or similar suspected. Neoplastic criteria considered unlikely but cannot be definitively excluded.
- Sonographically unremarkable visualized small bowel

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

Subjectively, the shadowing gastric ingesta exhibited essentially similar volume compared to the previous study. It did not overtly appear to be obstructive to the pyloric outflow. Assuming documented NPO, the persistent shadowing gastric ingesta may indicate metabolic gastric hypomotility or retained, overtly non-obstructive gastric foreign material. Correlation with current clinical signs (i.e., evidence of inappetence, vomiting, etc.) is recommended. If appropriate clinical signs and history that may suggest gastric foreign material, exploratory laparotomy and/or endoscopy, if available, warranted for further assessment. Gastrointestinal biopsies would be considered essential despite exploratory findings.

If surgery is elected, gross inspection of the spleen +/- screening splenic FNA cytology or splenectomy (depending upon gross inspection) could be considered.





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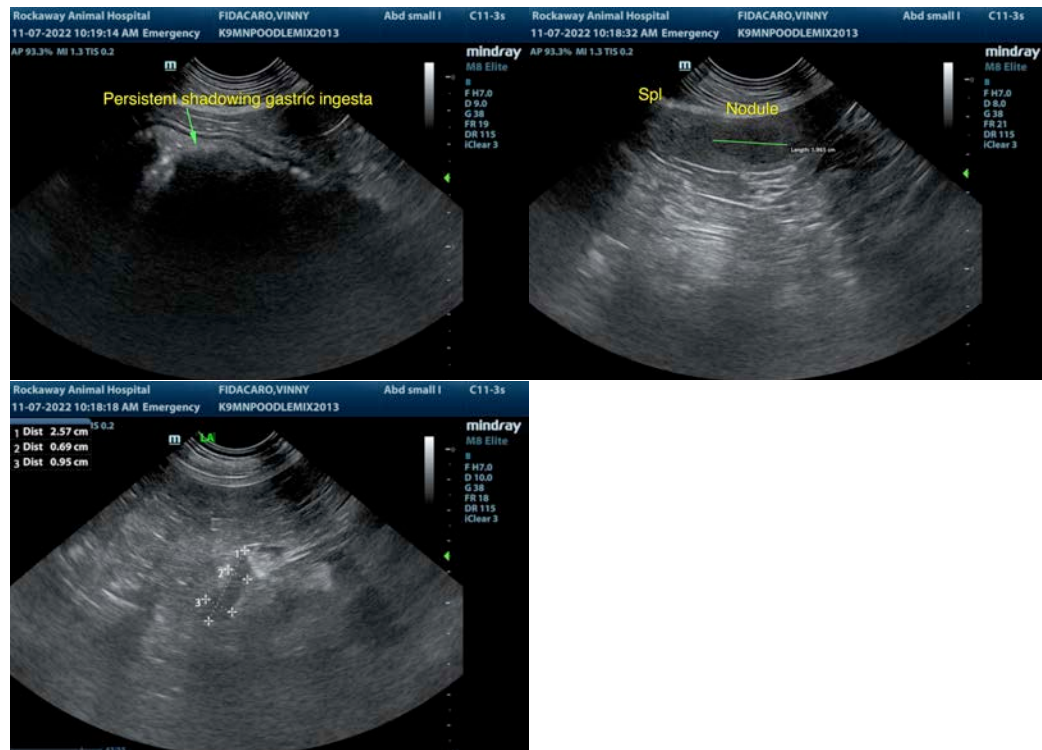
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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