



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Rosie Seong

History:

SPECIES

Canine

- Hacking cough, vomiting, diarrhea, grade 2 HM. Rads show R side of heart enlarged, possible fluid in lungs.

BREED

Pug

SEX

Female Spayed

AGE

6y 9m

WEIGHT

16 lbs

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE HEART

CANINE CARDIAC PARAMETERS	MR VMAX (m/s)	TR VMAX (m/s)	LA/AO (M-Mode)	LA/AO (Heart Base; Swe)	FS (%)	EF (%)	EPSS (cm)
NORMAL PARAMETER	4.5-5.5	<2.7	1.3	Up to 1.6	28-40	40-100	<0.6
PATIENT	--	--	--	1.0	45	78	0.1
CANINE CARDIAC PARAMETERS	HR (BPM)	AV VMAX (m/s)	PV MAX (m/s)	BODY WEIGHT (kg)	LAD LA MAX 4 Chamber	LVIDd Avg; 2D and m-mode short axis (cm)	LVIDs Avg; 2D and m-mode short axis (cm)
NORMAL PARAMETER	50-100	0.7-1.7	0.7-1.6				
PATIENT	NM	1.2	0.8	--	2.3	2.3	--

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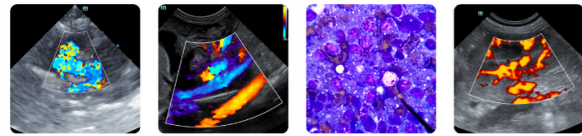
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Cardiac Presentation

The echocardiogram in this patient demonstrated normal **left atrial** size based on 2 separate methods of LA evaluation. The cranial and caudal **mitral** valve leaflets presented normal linear structure, extension in systole, and union in diastole with normal kinesis. No evidence of MR noted on doppler. The **left ventricle** presented 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 of the myocardium. The **left ventricular outflow** tract demonstrated normal laminar flow and subjective structural integrity. Normal measured LVOT velocity noted. The **right atrium** and auricle revealed normal size, structure and content. No evidence of masses was noted. **Tricuspid** valvular assessment demonstrated adequate linear morphology and kinesis. No overt significant TR noted on doppler. The **right ventricle** was of normal size (1/3 diameter of LV), chordae structure, myocardial echogenicity and thickness. **Pulmonary outflow** tract assessment revealed normal valve structure, laminar flow, and diameter (approx.1:1 pa/ao ratio). Normal measured RVOT velocity noted. No visible **pericardial** or free pleura fluid was noted. The cranial **mediastinum and pericardial and extra-cardiac regions** were free of masses in the visible window. No evidence of arrhythmia or hepatic congestion.



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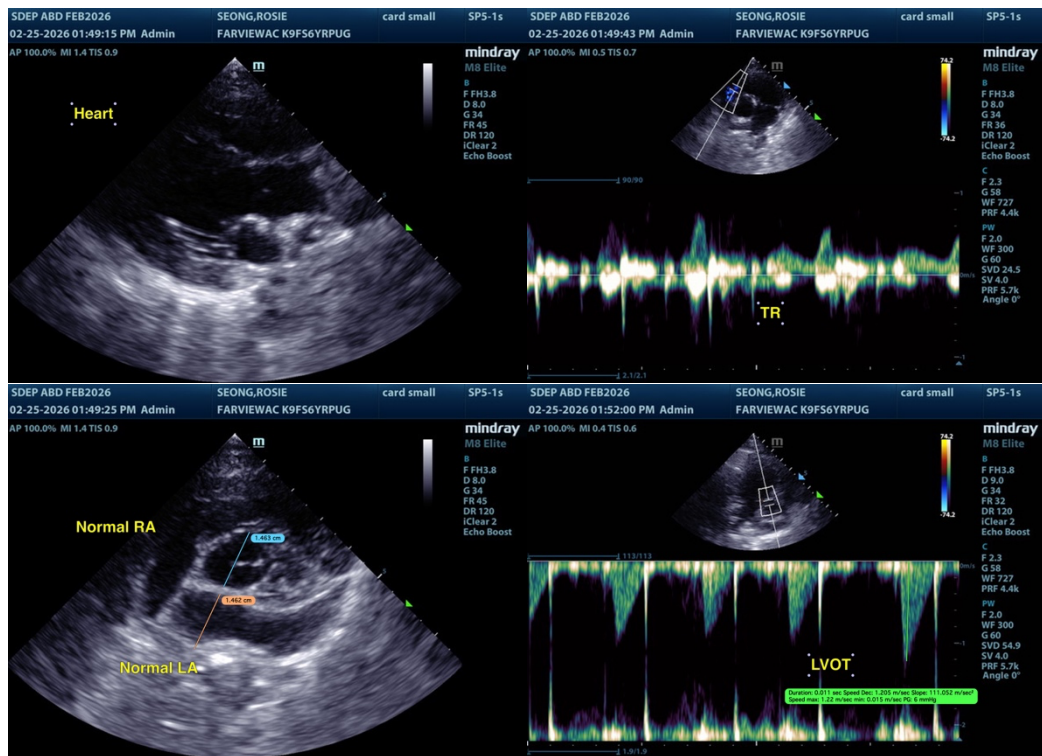
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ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Normal cardiac structure/function

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

No evidence of clinical issues such as left or right heart chamber enlargement, LV systolic dysfunction, arrhythmia or overt clinical pulmonary hypertension as a cardiogenic contributing factor to the patient's clinical signs. The hemodynamic effects of the nonspecific murmur are low. No indication for cardiac medication. Respiratory support and empirical therapy for nonspecific lower airway disease based on radiographic presentation is recommend. Conservative monitoring of the murmur is advised. Recheck echo suggested in 6 months, sooner if increase in murmur intensity or progressive respiratory signs. Cardiac anesthetic risk is considered mild. Suggested anesthetic protocol may include opioid or Benzodiazepine pre-med, induction with Propofol or Alfaxalone, and appropriate gas anesthesia with avoidance of alpha 2 agonists.





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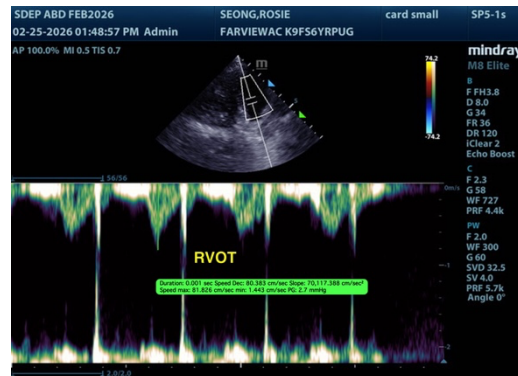
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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