



**PATIENT**

Jasper Ehrie

**SPECIES**

Canine

**BREED**

Dachshund

**SEX**

MN

**AGE**

8 years

**WEIGHT**

28 lbs.

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**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Anal gland mass. R/O AGACA - Look for mets. No current meds.

**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN**

**Urinary System**

The urinary bladder, trigone, cystourethral junction, and visible pelvic urethra to a depth of 3.0 cm exhibited normal thickness and tone. Anechoic urine was present in the lumen with no uroliths or sediment. The ureteral papillae were normal. The ureters were not visible which is normal. No evidence of inflammatory or neoplastic changes was noted.

The residual prostate was symmetrically normal in size with uniform parenchyma and slight coarse echotexture.

No evidence of medial Iliac or sublumbar lymphadenopathy/masses.

Normal size and margination were present in the kidneys. A normal 1:3 cortex / medulla ratio was maintained with minor indistinct corticomedullary border demarcation. The medulla and cortices were uniform in texture with some increased echogenicity. No evidence of pelvic dilation was present. The left kidney measured 6.0 cm in length. The right kidney measured 6.5 cm in length.

**Adrenal Glands**

The left adrenal gland was uniform in size and contour with a uniformly hypoechoic parenchyma. The left adrenal gland measured 2.3 cm length x 0.60 cm width at the caudal pole. The right adrenal gland was uniform in size and contour with a uniformly hypoechoic parenchyma. The right adrenal gland measured 2.2 cm length x 0.59 cm width at the caudal pole.

**Spleen**

The spleen exhibited a finely textured and homogenous parenchyma which was hyperechoic to the liver and renal cortical parenchyma. The capsule was smooth and regular without apparent expansion. The splenic vasculature at the hilus was normal in volume with no evidence of congestion or thrombosis. Acute to chronic inflammatory, neoplastic, or benign parenchyma changes were not noted.

**Liver/ Gallbladder**

The liver presented subjective mild enlarged size. The parenchyma of the liver was subjectively normal in echogenicity compared to the spleen and renal cortices. The liver parenchyma was uniform with a mildly coarse echotexture. The capsule of the liver was symmetrically rounded to mildly swollen in margination. The hepatic and portal vasculature were normal in appearance without signs of congestion. The gallbladder was non-distended in size containing primarily anechoic content with minor gallbladder sediment. The cystic and common bile ducts were normal.

**Gastrointestinal**

The stomach presented intact wall layering with a normal wall layer ratio. The lumen of the stomach was empty with no signs of ileus, obstruction, or foreign material.

The small intestine presented intact wall layering with 1:3 muscularis/mucosa ratio. The lumen of the small intestine was empty with no signs of ileus, obstruction, or foreign material.



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Normal visible colon wall layers were present with apparent formed feces in lumen.

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**Pancreas**

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The parenchyma of the left limb, body, and right limb of the pancreas presented isoechoic to the adjacent omental fat. A normal curvilinear capsule contour of the pancreas was present. The visible pancreatic duct was normal. No signs of active inflammation or neoplastic disease were evident.

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**Free Abdomen**

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No omental masses, lymphadenopathy, or evidence of peritoneal free fluid were noted.

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**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

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- Minor to early age-related renal changes
- Mild hepatomegaly - sonographically benign
- Minor gallbladder sediment

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

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There was no evidence of significant visceral pathology, including no evidence of peritoneal or retroperitoneal primary or metastatic neoplastic criteria.

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A full CBC/Chemistry Panel and urinalysis are suggested if not done. Sonographic monitoring of the abdominal cavity, if anal sac adenocarcinoma is confirmed and based on oncology recommendations, is recommended.

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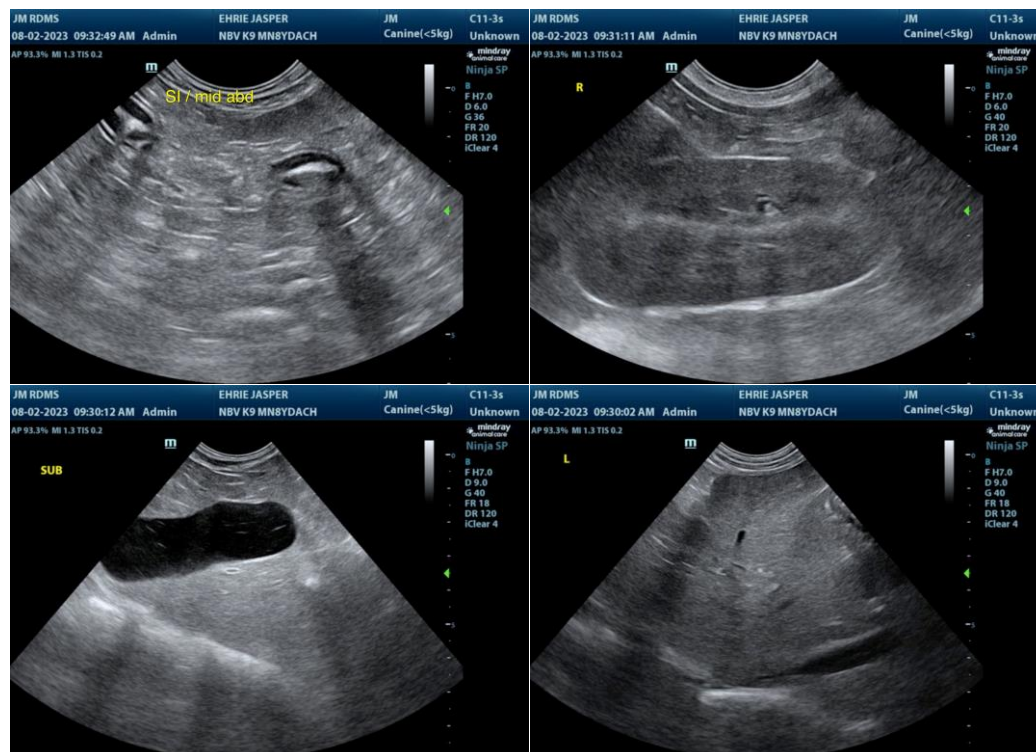
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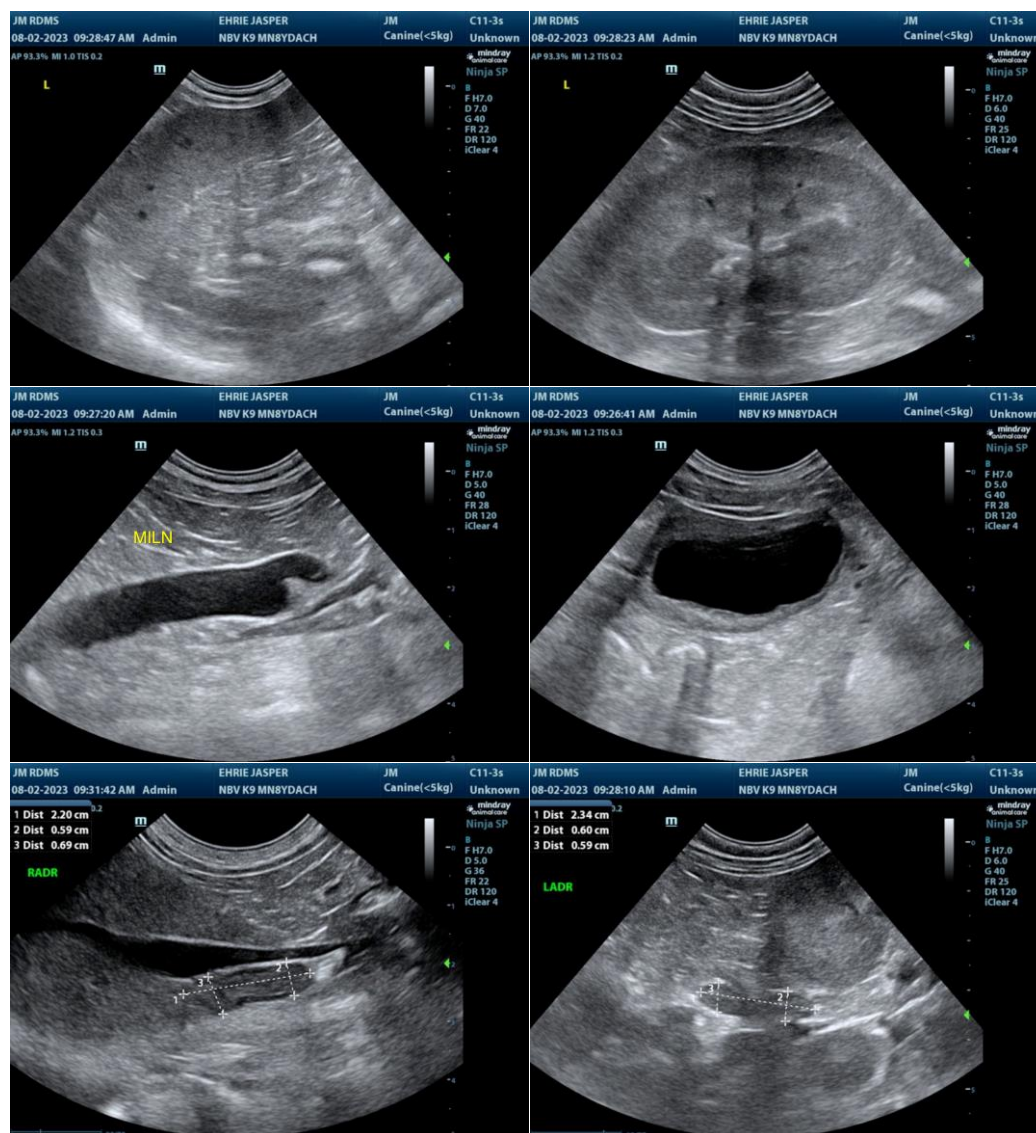
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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