



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Toodles Hari History: 15YR OLD NEUTERED DSH PRESENTED FOR HEAVIER ABDOMINAL BREATHING NOTED FOR THE PAST 2 DAYS. INDOOR ONLY CAT. PET HAS ALSO BEEN A LITTLE MORE AFFECTIONATE THAN AS OF LATE.

SPECIES Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Physical Examination Key -- (N= Normal, A= Abnormal)
 Hydration: Mild loss of skin turgor. Mentation: BAR but pet had mild irritation in exam room with tail flicking. Eyes/Ears/Nose/Throat: NAD to inner pinnae or external ear openings. NAD to eyes or surrounding structures. No nasal discharge. Oral Cavity: Pet has distal half of both 104 & 204 fractured. Lymph Nodes: NAD on peripheral lymphnodes. Skin: Full, healthy haircoat.
BREED Cardiovascular/Respiratory: Normal on auscultation but pet has tachypnea. Abdomen/GI: Normal on palpation. Urogenital/Perineum: NAD. Musculoskeletal: BCS 4.5/9. Mildly poor muscle mass. Ambulatory on all four legs. Neurological: NAD on hands off exam.

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RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX

SEX Right/left lateral and ventrodorsal views of the thorax totaling 3 images available for review.

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RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

An isolated ossicle of one infraglenoid tubercle is seen in one of the shoulders.

AGE

15 Years, 4 Months

The degree of pulmonary inflation is deep. The lumbodiaphragmatic angles are wide. The diaphragmatic cupola is flat. The ribcage is expanded which all indicate potential air trapping.

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A moderate generalized bronchial lung pattern with mild caudodorsal accentuation is seen.

The cardiac silhouette presents no overall enlargement with a vertebral heart score of 7.6, reference range up to 8.5. However, mild valentine shape is seen in the orthogonal view level with the atria.

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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Generalized bronchial lung pattern with air trapping.
- Projection artifact versus mild enlargement of the left (and right) atrium.

REFERRING VET

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study suggests presence of lower airway disease such as allergic lower airway syndrome or infectious bronchitis including viral, bacterial, or parasitic. Feline asthma would be the most common underlying cause of the pertinent radiographic changes. The radiographic changes are relatively subtle and clinical correlation is required in order to determine their clinical significance as well as to plan further diagnostic workup or a clinical trial of treatment for feline asthma.

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The mild enlargement of the cardiac silhouette on the orthogonal view level with the atria is more likely to display a positioning artifact however mild atrial enlargement and underlying causes such as occult cardiomyopathy cannot be ruled out entirely.

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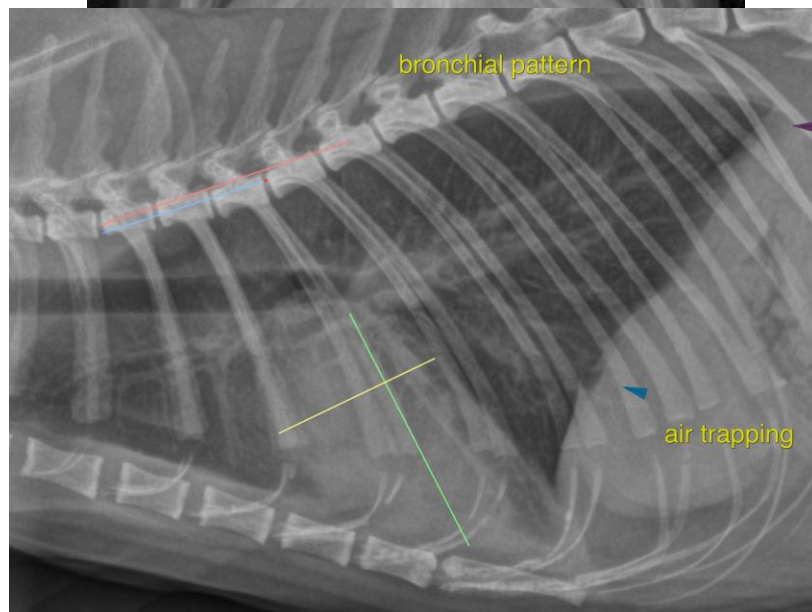
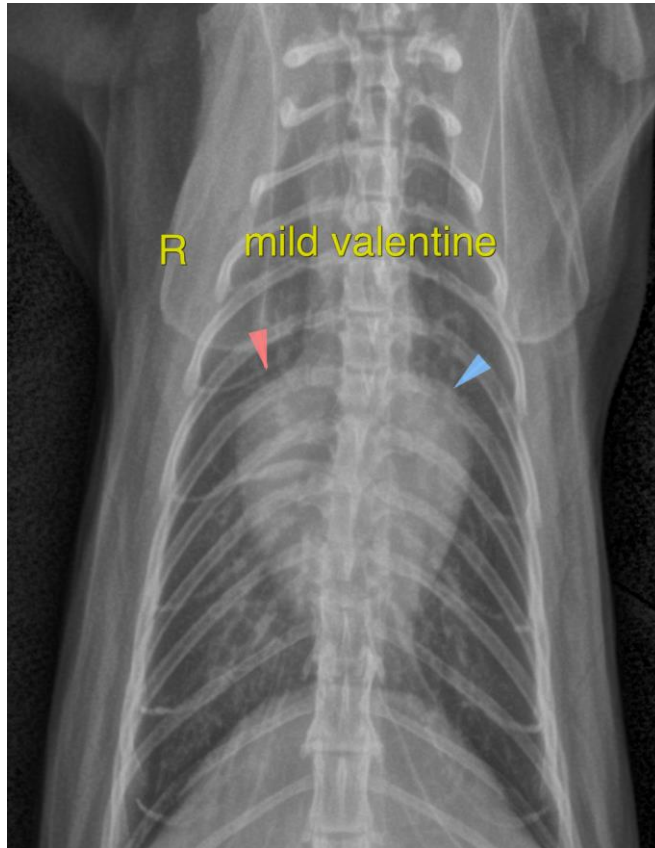
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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