

**PATIENT**

Scar Face Nyx

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

P presents for intermittent lameness on hind end. O states that P cannot climb with hind legs, will use front legs to drag himself up. No pain on flexion or extension of hind legs or on palpation of spine. P was sent home with Gabapentin last time this occurred (May 2022), but did not help.

**SPECIES**

Feline

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE PELVIS & STIFLES**

Mediolateral views of both stifles and lateral and ventrodorsal views of the pelvis totaling 5 images available for review.

**BREED**

DSH

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

The coxofemoral joints and pelvic bones present within normal limits. No evidence of dysplasia or traumatic osseous injury is seen.

**SEX**

Neutered Male

The volume of the musculature is symmetric and adequate in both hind limbs.

The patellae are in situ.

**AGE**

5 Years, 6 Months

No evidence of articular swelling of the stifle joints is seen. The periarticular margins are smooth.

Meniscal ossicles are noted which are an incidental finding in feline patients.

The femur, tibia, and fibula present within normal limits.

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The tarsal joints present within age related normal limits.

Number, alignment, and anatomy of the lumbar vertebrae and the lumbosacral junction present within normal limits.

**HOSPITAL NAME**The Pet Hospital of  
Stratford**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Normal radiographic presentation of the pelvis and stifle joints.

**REFERRING VET**

Dr. Claudia Giuliani

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

No evidence of articular or osseous abnormality is noted in the radiographic examination of the lumbar, pelvis, and hind limbs that would correlate with the patient's clinical signs. The odds of orthopedic disease are considered low with the pertinent negative radiographic findings. Systemic disease and/or neurologic disease appear to be potential considerations in this patient.

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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.

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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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