



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Teddy Cox Hx of lameness of RH leg - started about 7-10 days ago PE initially showed pain localization to the right hip area Rads done - no obvious pathology seen Conservative tx elected. Responded well to NSAID, Tramadol and Gabapentin, however recently started favoring his RH leg again. He's still taking these meds. Today's PE - he is having weight bearing lameness, tippy toeing. He did not reveal any obvious source of pain, no joint swellings, no effusions, no cranial drawer sign, no medial buttressing, no patellar luxation, nails/pads look fine.
 Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Bloodwork WNL

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RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE STIFLES & PELVIS

Mediolateral views of both stifles and ventrodorsal hip extended and flexed views of the pelvis totaling 4 images available for review.

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RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Stifles

Both stifle joints present within normal limits. There is no evidence of articular swelling, cranial thrust of the tibia, subchondral bone defects, or osteophytes. No evidence of traumatic osseous injury or aggressive bone lesions is seen.

AGE

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A small cartilage remnant appears to be present in the proximal aspect of the tibial tuberosities in both stifle joints.

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The popliteal sesamoid bones are small which is a common anatomic variant.

Pelvis

The coxofemoral joints present within normal limits. No evidence of dysplasia, traumatic osseous injury, or osteoarthritis is seen. There is no evidence of aggressive osteolytic lesions.

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Moderate narrowing of the L6/L7 intervertebral disc space with vertebral end plate sclerosis is noted.

REFERRING VET

Dr. Singh

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Normal radiographic presentation of both stifle joints.
- Normal radiographic presentation of the coxofemoral joints.
- Radiographic evidence of intervertebral disc disease L6/7.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study is negative for right or left stifle arthropathy. There is no evidence of degenerative joint disease, patella luxation, cruciate ligament injury, trauma, or aggressive bone lesions.

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The changes of the L6/7 intervertebral disc space may reflect uncomplicated degenerative disc disease. Compressive or non-compressive disc hernia is a potential too. Further definition by means of cross sectional imaging could be considered in case of persisting or deteriorating clinical



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The radiographic study did not reveal evidence of coxofemoral joint pathology.

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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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