



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

PATIENT Boo Hammerel
PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS Chronic sneezing/coughing on/off x 2 years, stertorous breathing more recently. Some nasal discharge-usually clear per O. Azithromycin & Convenia made no improvement. Has been treating for Diabetes with oral medication.

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Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Jan 7, 2026 PE: severe sterdor audible on inspiration. Increased effort on inspiration & expiration. Has had increased glucose previously and has been on oral medication for diabetes since fall 2025, chemistry and CBC were within normal limits today.

BREED COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE HEAD

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Plain and post contrast studies are available for review.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

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An ill-defined soft tissue opacity is noted at the floor of the nasal cavities, with extension into the nasal fundus, predominantly on the right side. The right nasal cavity and both presphenoidal sinuses are completely filled with fluid-attenuating material. The left nasal cavity and left frontal sinus present partial fluid-attenuating content.

AGE

13yr

Mild bilateral retropharyngeal and mandibular lymph node enlargement is noted.

The left thyroid lobe is partially included within the scan field. Slight enlargement cannot be excluded.

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Early lysis of the right hard palate and right bony orbit is seen.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Ill-defined, predominantly right-sided bilateral ventral nasal soft tissue mass with extension into the nasal fundus.
- Bilateral rhinosinusitis.
- Mild bilateral retropharyngeal and mandibular lymphadenomegaly.

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INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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The CT study findings are highly suggestive for nasal neoplasia with secondary rhinosinusitis. Chronic rhinitis with inflammatory mass cannot be ruled out entirely as a differential diagnosis but is considered less likely.

The mild lymphadenopathy is likely reactive. Early metastatic disease is considered unlikely but cannot be completely excluded.

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Rhinoscopic examination with biopsy and culture is recommended for definitive diagnosis. FNA of the regional lymph nodes could be considered to further define as well.

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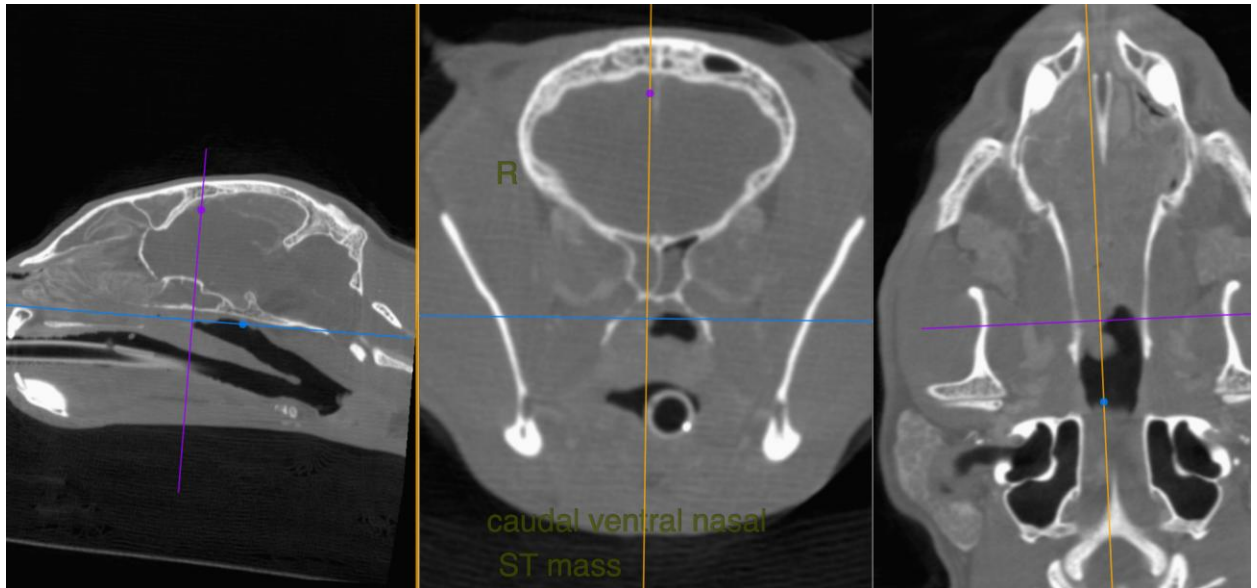
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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