



PATIENT

Lilly Ruz-Mora

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History: APPROX 1YR OLD FEMALE AUSSIE PRESENTED TO RECHECK THE EARS, BUT EARLY THIS AM PET STARTED TO HAVE MULTIPLE BOUTS OF DIARRHEA AND HAS VOMITED TWICE. PET STILL PRETTY BAR.

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Canine

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Physical Examination Key -- (N= Normal, A= Abnormal)
 Hydration: Appropriately hydrated Mentation: BAR EENT: No nasal discharge; clear no discharge OU; clean no debris AU; No cough on tracheal palpation. Oral Cavity: No dental tartar present
 Lymph Nodes: Symmetrical, no changes in size, shape, consistency Skin: Good hair coat, no signs of ectoparasites. No lesions noted. CV/Respiratory: No murmur or crackles/wheezing auscultated. Synchronous pulses, normal rate. Normal bronchovesicular sounds. Abd/GI: Soft non painful abdomen, no organomegaly, no abnormalities on abdominal palpation Uro/Perineum: N
 Musculoskeletal: Ambulatory x4, no lameness noted. No pain on palpation of limbs. BCS 5/9
 Neurological: Appropriate Fecal:

BREED

Australian Shepherd,
Mini

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN

SEX

Female

Right lateral and ventrodorsal views totaling 2 images available for review.

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

AGE

1 Year, 2 Months

The surrounding bony structures are within normal limits.

No abnormalities of the extraabdominal soft tissues are noted. The abdominal wall is smooth and thin.

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The serosal detail is maintained throughout the peritoneal and retroperitoneal space.

The liver is appropriate in position, size and presents uniform opacity.

The splenic head is in the anticipated position and within normal limits for size and opacity. The splenic body and tail are considered normal for position, size, shape and opacity.

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Both kidneys are seen and present with normal size, shape, delineation and opacity. The urinary bladder is in its anticipated position. No radiopaque calculi are noted throughout the upper and lower urinary tract.

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Dr. White

The stomach contains a mild amount of gas. No abnormal content is seen within the stomach.

The small intestinal loops contain a moderate amount of gas. There is no evidence of abnormal dilation, plication, or radiopaque foreign material. The small intestinal loops however are turgid in appearance.

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The cecum and colon are empty except for a moderate amount of gas content as well. Mild spasticity of the descending colon is seen on the orthogonal view.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

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- Gastrointestinal maldigestion pattern with no evidence of mechanical ileus.



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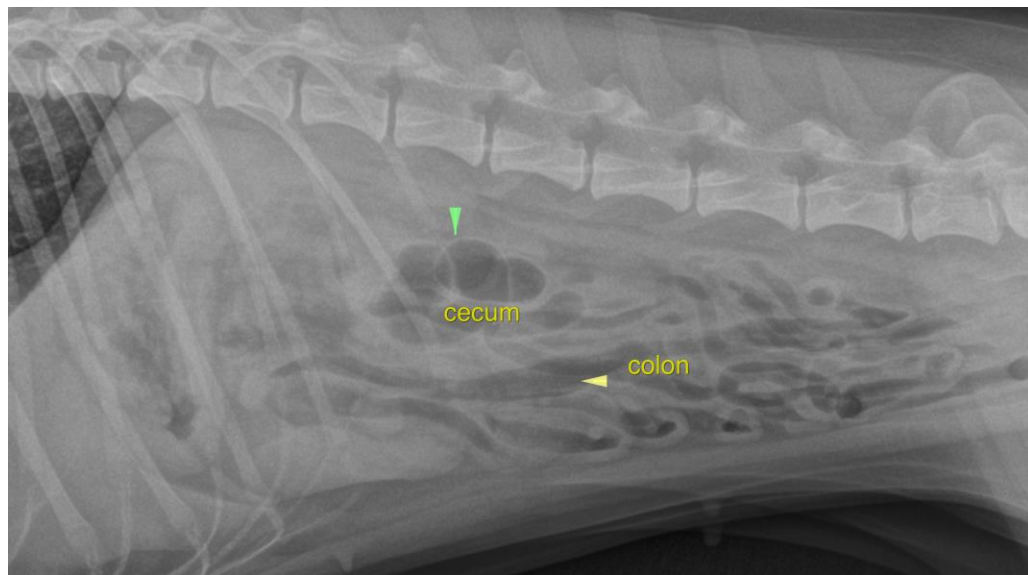
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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study reveals no direct signs for mechanical gastrointestinal ileus. Functional ileus is considered likely based on the radiographic presentation. Consider further clinical monitoring and empirical management. Full abdominal ultrasound could be considered in case of persisting clinical signs.



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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