

**PATIENT**

Maise Shepherd

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Vomiting since yesterday, not eating well, rule out foreign body

**SPECIES**

Feline

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN**

Right/left lateral and ventrodorsal views totaling 4 images available for review.

**BREED**

Tabby

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

The surrounding bony structures are within normal limits.

**SEX**

Female Spayed

Small gas opacities appear to be superimposed onto the layers of the right lateral abdominal wall muscles (see image below), which may be the result of prior injection.

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

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

**AGE**

17 Months

The splenic head is in the anticipated position and within normal limits for size and opacity. The splenic tail is not seen.

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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The stomach contains a mild amount of gas.

The small intestinal loops are evenly distributed throughout the mid abdomen without evidence of abnormal dilation, plication, or radiopaque foreign material.

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The ascending and transverse colon contain a mild amount of fecal material. Mineral opaque foreign material is seen at the transition between the transverse and the descending colon. The descending colon contains gas.

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- Large intestinal foreign material.
- No evidence of small intestinal foreign material or mechanical ileus.
- Gas opacities in the right abdominal wall - likely iatrogenic.

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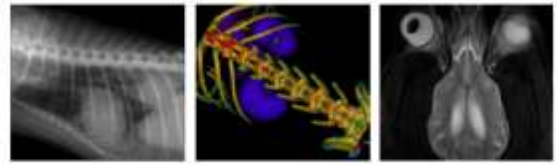
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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The radiographic study is negative for obstructive small intestinal ileus. There appears to be foreign material within the gastrointestinal tract which, however, has passed the small intestine already and is now at the transition zone between the transverse and descending colon so it should be able to pass the natural way.

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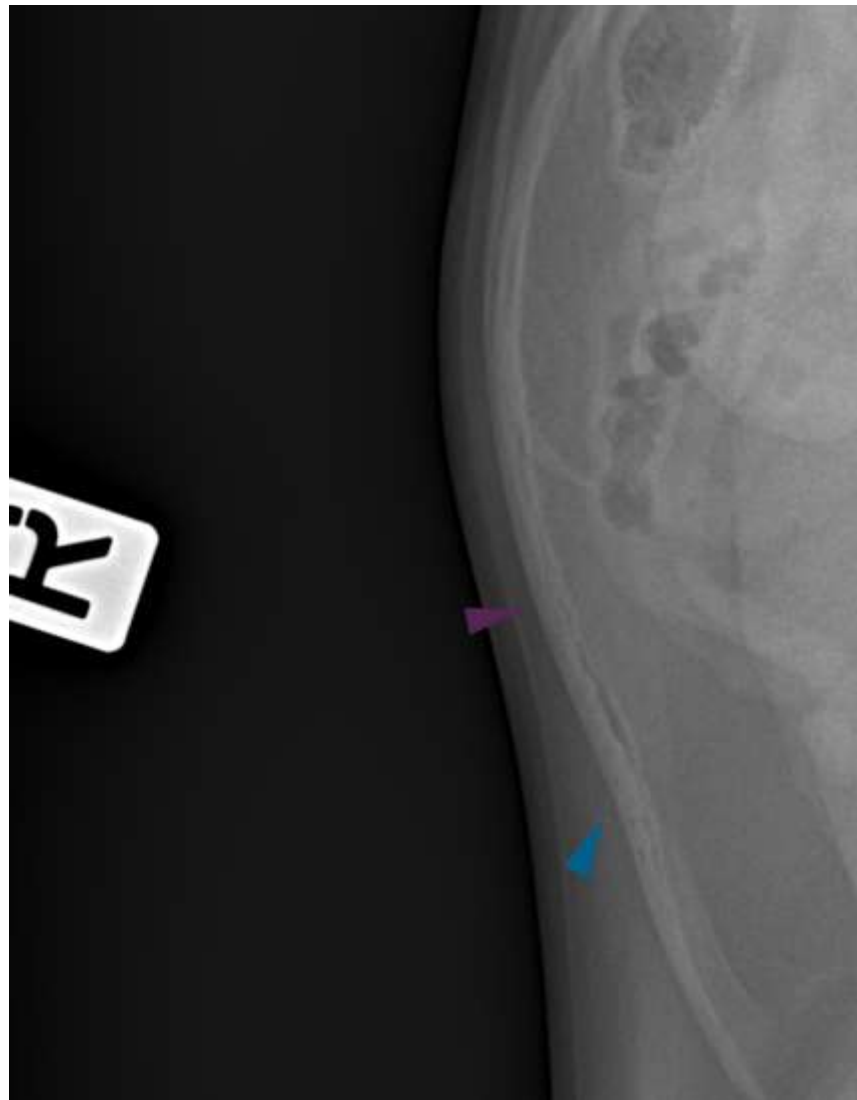
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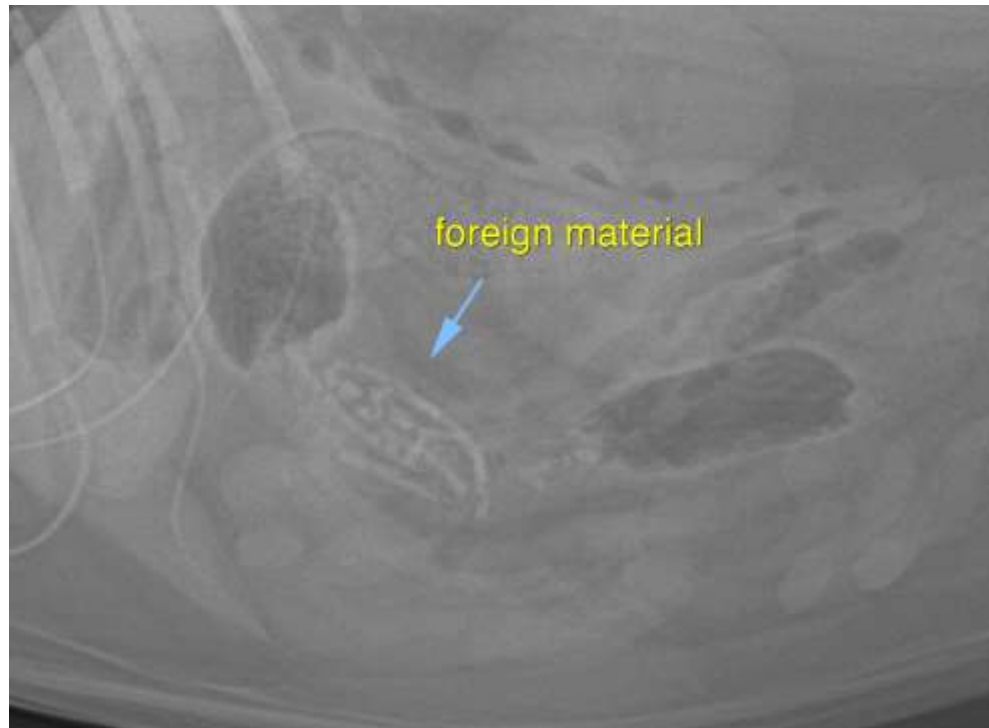
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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