



PATIENT

Chelly Arrocha

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Chihuahua

SEX

Female

AGE

8Y

WEIGHT

11lbs

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

intact female patient presented with a caudal mammary mass. the owner reports a long standing history of coughing, although no active coughing was observed during the consultation. Pulmonary congestion abnormal lung sounds were detected on auscultation, prompting the decision to perform thoracic radiographs and bloodwork prior to a planned biopsy of the mammary mass. the patient has a temperature of 103,5, which is the only parameter outside the normal range; all other vital signs and clinical parameters are within normal limits.

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX & ABDOMEN

Right/left lateral and ventrodorsal whole body views totaling 3 images available for review in jpg format.

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Thorax

Mild to moderate diffuse bronchial lung pattern is noted. No evidence of interstitial pulmonary nodules, masses, or consolidations is identified.

The cardiac silhouette presents within normal limits. No radiographic evidence of cardiomegaly or congestive changes is seen. The VHS is 10.3.

Cervical tracheal collapse is noted in the left lateral view.

Increased cranial excursion of the diaphragm compatible with upper airway restriction is seen. The caudal part of the ribcage is expanded and funnel shaped.

The pleura and mediastinum are within normal limits.

Abdomen

Prominence of the mammary glands and mamils is seen.

The uterine body is radiographically visible. No overt uterine horn enlargement can be identified.

The stomach is postprandial. The gastrointestinal tract is otherwise unremarkable.

The liver, spleen, kidneys, and urinary bladder are normal in appearance.

Mild stifle osteoarthritis is noted.

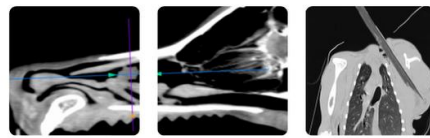
Elevated body condition score.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Mild to moderate bronchial lung pattern.
- Radiographic evidence of dynamic tracheal disease.
- Upper airway restriction suggested by diaphragmatic excursion and shape of the ribcage.
- No thoracic nodules or evidence of metastatic disease detected.

INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The thoracic findings suggest chronic airway changes likely related to longer standing coughing



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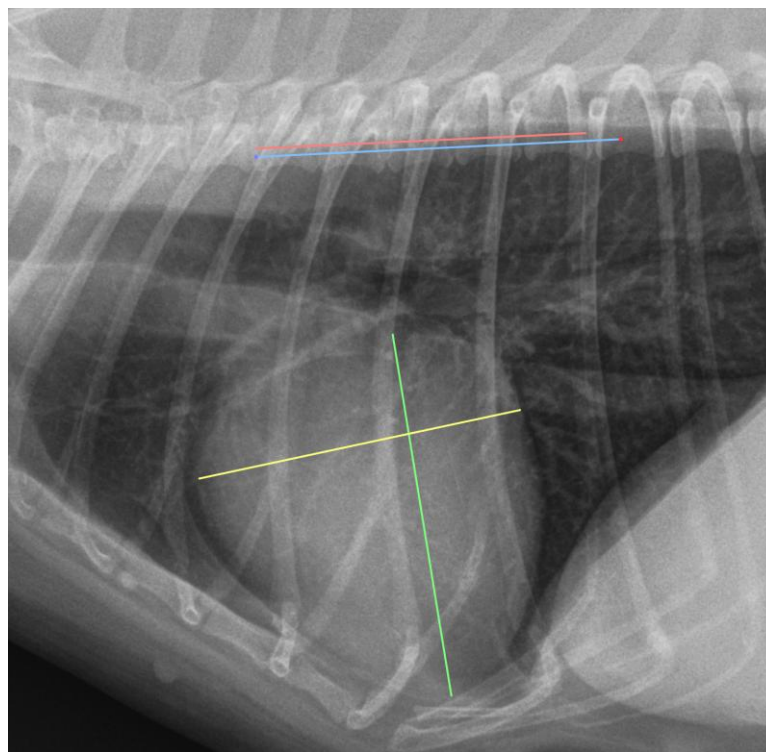
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history. Underlying irritant or allergic bronchitis and less likely infectious bronchitis may be present.

Note the presence of dynamic tracheal collapse which typically is associated with chronic degenerative bronchomalacia and explains the diaphragmatic position as well as the shape of the ribcage.

No evidence of metastatic thoracic disease is radiographically apparent.

The visibility of the uterine body may be cycle dependent. Underlying pathologic enlargement such as due to hyperplasia, abnormal content, infiltrate, or inflammation cannot be ruled out. Correlate with clinical presentation and consider ultrasound if indicated.





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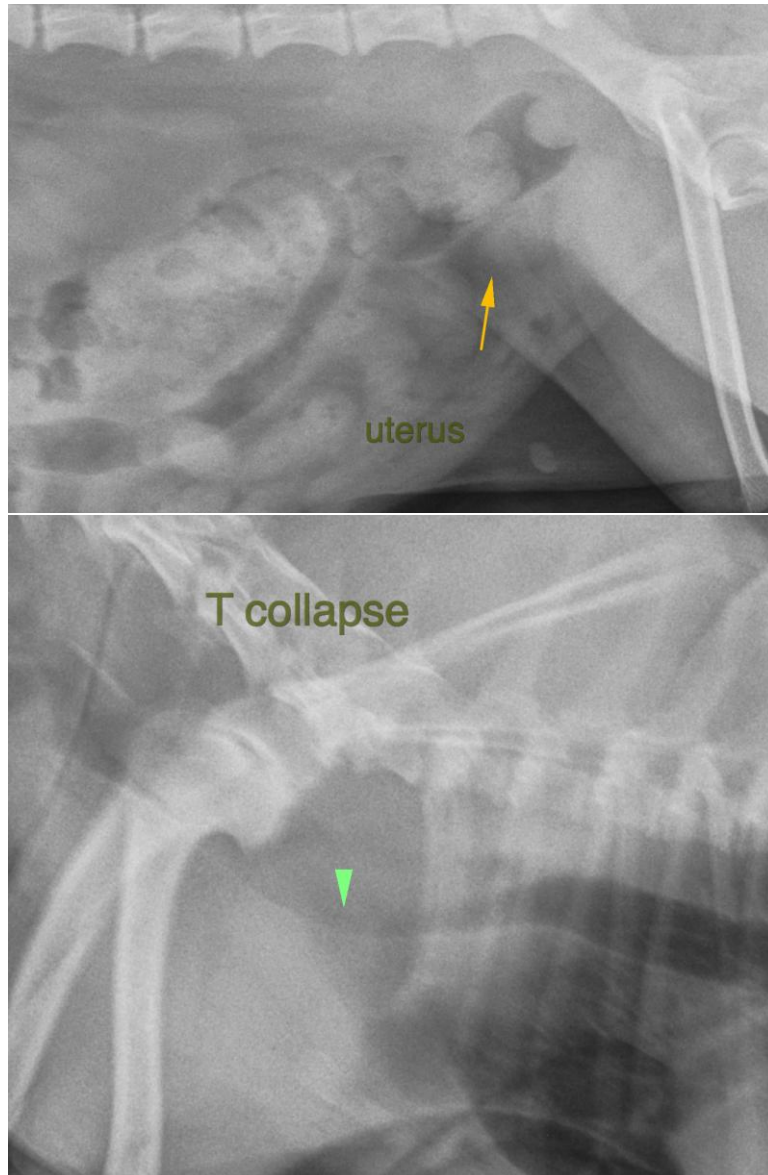
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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