



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

**Toby Pinedo**  
Reason for Visit: limping LH History: 12m old M DSH presents for limping LH since Thursday. This cat was abandoned by Mrs' neighbor a bit ago and she's been feeding him twice daily. Wednesday he didn't come around and Thursday found him limping on Left rear leg. Friday she took him inside her home and has been keeping him separate from her own house-cat. She cannot afford to keep Toby.

**SPECIES**

**Feline**  
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: CV/Respiratory: Normal heart rate and rhythm, no murmur, pulses strong and synchronous, normal bronchovesicular sounds. EENT: Clear OU and AU. No nasal discharge. No cough on tracheal palpation. Oral cavity: N Musculoskeletal: BCS = 4/9. Ambulatory x 3. LH- grade 5/5 lameness, firm swelling at distal tibia, very painful on palpation. Scab palpated at medial aspect of distal tibia. Uro/Perineum: Intact male Abd/GI: Soft, non-painful. No masses or fluid wave palpated Lymph Nodes: No peripheral lymphadenopathy Neurological: Alert and appropriate. No significant abnormalities Skin: Good hair coat. No ectoparasites seen Mentation: BAR Hydration: N

**BREED**

**DSH**

**SEX**

**Male**

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE LEFT HIND LIMB**

Mediolateral and craniocaudal views of the left hind limb totaling 2 images available for review.

**AGE**

**12 Months**

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

A short spiraling fracture of the left tibia is seen within its distal diaphyseal half. The fibula appears to be intact. Moderate circumferential soft tissue swelling is noted. The distal fracture fragment presents mild lateral and proximal displacement. A small cortical bone splinter is isolated and superimposed onto the proximal fracture fragment.

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No evidence of concurrent stifle or tarsal arthropathy is seen.

Enlargement of the popliteal lymph node is noted.

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**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Acute traumatic complete diaphyseal fracture of the left tibia with mild displacement.

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

**REFERRING VET**

**Dr. Rivera**

The radiographic study reveals acute traumatic osseous injury of the left tibia with a short spiraling tibial fracture. The fibula appears to be intact. Conservative management and open reduction and internal fixation can be weighed against each other provided this is a noninfected closed fracture.

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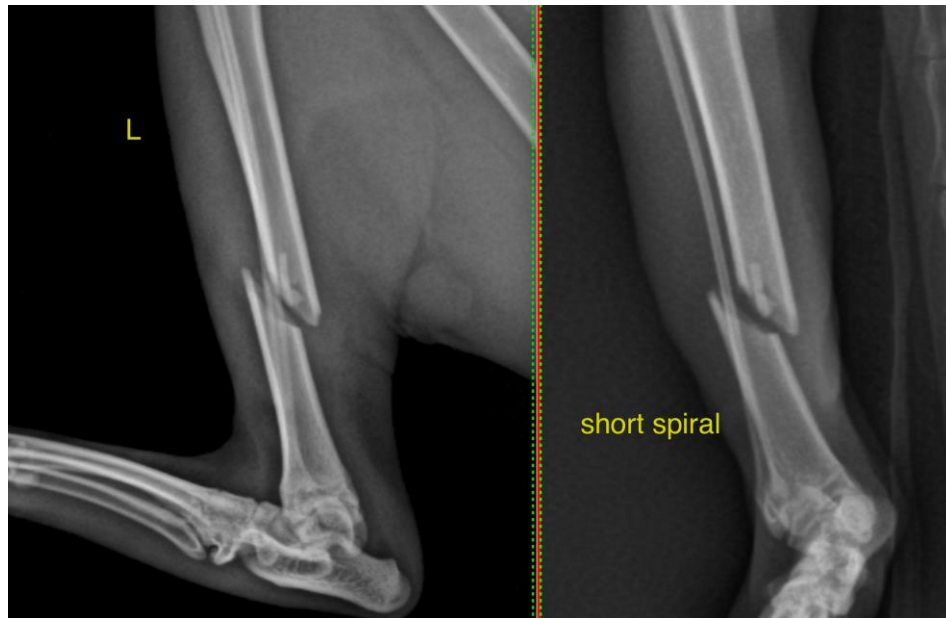
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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