



PATIENT

Sara Rostkowski

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Mix

SEX

Female Spayed

AGE

11

WEIGHT

21lbs

INTERPRETED BY

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DATE

12-15-25

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

since November, the patient as developed a progressive mass on the dorsal aspect of the right forelimb, accompanied by swelling of the paw. Patient began limpin on RF x 3 weeks. Patient improved while on rimadyl. Once tx finished the limp returned. Please disregard the other case that was sent for Sara.

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE RIGHT FRONT PAW

Mediolateral and craniocaudal views of the right front paw are available for review.

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The radiographic study reveals a discrete soft tissue mass on the dorsal aspect of the 2nd and 3rd metacarpophalangeal joints. The mass appears to be ovoid, well defined, and confined to the soft tissues. Evidence of underlying osseous involvement, joint disruption, or bone proliferation is not directly seen. There are no radiographic signs of periosteal reaction or mineralization within the mass.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Soft tissue mass over the dorsal aspect of the 2nd and 3rd metacarpophalangeal joints of the right front paw.
- No radiographic evidence of bony involvement.

INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study reveals a soft tissue mass over the dorsal aspect of the 2nd and 3rd metacarpophalangeal joints of the right front paw. Differential diagnosis includes benign soft tissue mass such as lipoma, fibroma, granuloma, hygroma, as well as neoplasia such as soft tissue sarcoma, synovial tumor, and less likely hematoma or foreign body reaction. The absence of bony involvement makes aggressive bone disease or metastatic disease less likely. Cytology or biopsy are required for a definitive diagnosis.



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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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