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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Large mass in Right axilla, CT to check for metastasis, extent of tumor and surgical options/resectability. JP drain placed post CT to drain surrounding fluid. TruCut biopsy performed and sent out at time of CT - results pending.

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COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX

Plain and post contrast studies available for review.

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COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The CT study reveals a large ovoid soft tissue attenuating mass in the right axillary region. The mass is extending beyond the limits of the collimated field of view. The mass measures approximately 15 cm in length, 12 cm in height, and 10 cm in width. A significant mass effect in the right axillary region is seen. The mass causes medial deviation of the right cranial ribs with no evidence of intracranial or mediastinal extension and dorsal deviation of the right scapula. Extensive intralesional cavitation with multiple large fluid attenuating areas and predominance of peripheral and septation enhancement is seen. There is no evidence of osseous involvement of the right humerus, right scapula, or adjacent ribs. The right axillary lymph node cannot be seen separately from the mass.

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AGE

8.5 Years

Three small intermuscular lipomas are seen in the right pre-sternal and one smaller intermuscular lipoma can be seen in the left pre-sternal musculature.

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No evidence of pulmonary nodules or masses is seen.

The mediastinal lymph nodes present within normal limits.

The cardiovascular structures present within normal limits.

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A hypoenhancing expansile mass of 4.5 cm diameter is seen in the central division of the liver.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Large cavitating right axillary soft tissue mass.
- Normal age related CT presentation of the lung with no evidence of metastatic disease.
- Hypoenhancing expansile central divisional liver mass.

REFERRING VET

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The CT study reveals a large cavitating mass in the right axillary region. Tumor with central tumoral necrosis or intralesional hemorrhage is a primary differential diagnosis with soft tissue sarcoma being considered most likely. Lymphomatous neoplasia, organizing hematoma, granuloma, and abscess cannot be ruled out entirely as differential diagnoses but are all thought by far less likely. Correlation with the sampling recommended.

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Neoplasia including primary neoplasia as well as secondary neoplasia such as metastatic disease is a primary differential diagnosis for the central divisional liver mass. Hematoma, regenerative nodule, and benign nodular hyperplasia cannot be ruled out entirely but are thought less likely. Final diagnosis will require histology. Full abdominal ultrasound could be considered in order to

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complete the screening if not performed already and may be combined with sampling of the liver mass.

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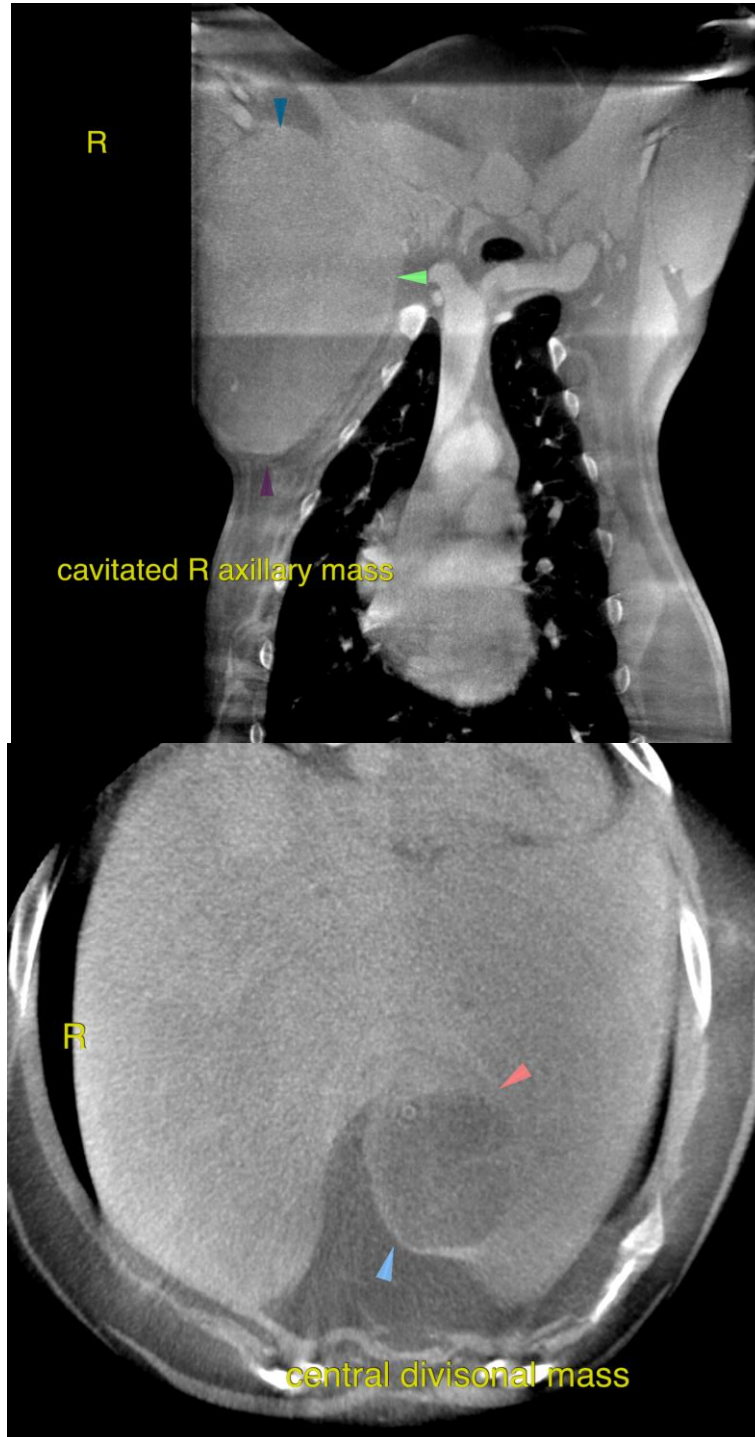
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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