



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Griffy Constantine O REPORTS TROUBLE / EXCESSIVE SWALLOWING.

SPECIES

Canine

FLUOROSCOPIC STUDY OF THE UPPER ESOPHAGUS

Full fluoroscopic studies comprising 118-305 images, respectively, including swallowing of hard and soft food as well as liquid, available for review.

FLUOROSCOPIC FINDINGS

BREED

Schnauzer X

The oropharyngeal phase of swallowing may be slightly prolonged. The bolus formation and bolus passage through the upper esophageal sphincter appear within normal limits. Primary and secondary peristaltic waves clear the boluses from the esophagus promptly and readily. There is no evidence of abnormal dilation or stenosis of the esophagus. Bolus propulsion is strictly craniocaudal. There is no evidence of bidirectional bolus transport, and no residual contrast media is seen within the esophagus after the 2nd peristaltic wave.

SEX

Neutered Male

FLUOROSCOPIC DIAGNOSIS

AGE

2 Years

- Normal upper esophageal swallowing phase following physiology
- Slightly prolonged bolus preparation with normal appearance of the oropharyngeal swallowing

INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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There is no deviation from the expected oropharyngeal swallowing processes noted direct. Nevertheless, the bolus preparation appears to be slightly prolonged. The upper esophageal sphincter and upper esophagus present the expected peristaltic activity with complete bolus clearing with hard and soft food as well as liquid.

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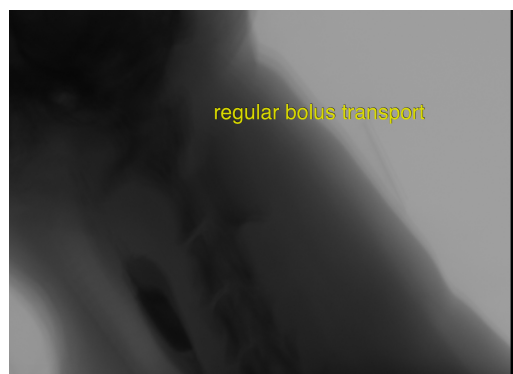
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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