



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Chilli Passfield Limping & Doesn't bear weight on her back left leg.

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE LEFT STIFLE**

**SPECIES**

Canine

Mediolateral and craniocaudal views of the left stifle totaling 4 images available for review.

Only jpg images were submitted. The transformation from DICOM to jpg only allows for limited manipulation of the image. For the best possible results we suggest submitting DICOM images in the future. Please do not hesitate to contact us should you need any help with the submission process.

**BREED**

Boxer X

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

**SEX**

Spayed Female

The left hind limb presents mild atrophy of its musculature. Mild articular swelling of the left stifle joint is seen. There appears to be a mild amount of periarticular osteophytes accentuating the cranial margin of the tibial plateau, the patella, and femoral trochlea. Position and exposure do not allow for assessment for the presence of tibial thrust in this study.

**AGE**

4 Years

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Mild left stifle osteoarthritis with mild disuse atrophy of the left hind limb musculature

**INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

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The radiographic findings are compatible with mild left stifle osteoarthritis. Degenerative joint disease, cruciate ligament injury, meniscopathy, and other arthropathy including immune mediated are potential differential diagnoses. Correlation with clinical palpation is recommended. Aspiration and analysis of synovia could be considered in case of doubt, as well as further imaging such as with MRI or ultrasound, should cruciate ligament injury be a primary suspicion.

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Dr. Yessa

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**PATIENT**

Chilli Passfield

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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