

**PATIENT**

Ruby Bingham

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

11/16/21: 1 week of hacking, otherwise normal. Rads revealed pneumonia L cranial lung lobe, put on Clavamox for a week. 12/3/21: Recheck rads, not improving. Progressed to abnormal consolidation and smaller patchy/nodular pattern. Today 12/7/21: Recheck rads, patient doing well, slightly improved radiographs

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RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX

Right/left lateral and ventrodorsal views totaling 3 images available for review.

BREED

Dachshund

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The degree of pulmonary inflation is deep. There is mild volume loss of the left cranial lung lobe with diffuse increase in interstitial opacity. The increase in opacity appears to be accentuate the peribronchial region of the pulmonary interstitium. The remainder of the lung presents within normal limits and well inflated.

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There is no evidence of abnormal mediastinal widening.

AGE

4 Years

The radiographic presentation of the cardiac silhouette is within normal limits.

Visible osseous and abdominal structures are in breed and age related normal limits.

INTERPRETED BY

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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- History of lobar pneumonia with resolving radiographic infiltrate of the left cranial lung lobe.
- Mild to moderate diffuse residual interstitial infiltrate within the left cranial lung lobe with concurrent atelectasis.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Both the atelectasis as well as residual infiltrate may influence the radiographic presentation of the left cranial lung lobe. However, the pattern and distribution of the changes suggests potential for residual inflammatory / infectious infiltrate that appears to be partially responsive to antimicrobial treatment. Consider continuation of the medial treatment with radiographic recheck in 10-14 days unless clinical signs occur or reoccur sooner.

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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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