



PATIENT

Maisy Monteith

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Maisy is still limping on her left rear leg. Sometimes she doesn't put any weight on it, other times she runs on all four limbs. On no medications or joint supplements. Exam unremarkable. Slight medial buttress on left hind. No pain or decreased range of motion felt.

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Canine

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE PELVIS & STIFLES

Lateral and ventrodorsal views of the pelvis and mediolateral and craniocaudal views of both stifles totaling 12 images available for review.

BREED

German Shepherd

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Left Stifle

SEX

Spayed Female

Moderate articular swelling of the left stifle joint is seen. There appears to be mild cranial thrust of the tibia with respect to the femoral condyles. A moderate amount of periarticular osteophytes are present accentuating the distal pole of the patella, cranial margin of the tibial plateau, and femoral trochlea.

AGE

3 Years, 11 Months

Right Stifle

Mild osseous remodeling of the distal pole of the patella and femoral trochlea are noted. No significant articular swelling and no cranial thrust of the tibia appears to be present.

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Pelvis

The coxofemoral joints present within normal limits. No evidence of dysplasia or osteoarthritis is seen.

There is no evidence of lumbosacral junction abnormality at this point.

HOSPITAL NAME

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Hospital

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Moderate left stifle osteoarthritis with radiographic potential for cranial cruciate ligament injury.

REFERRING VET

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study indicates potential for cranial cruciate ligament injury in the left stifle which would correlate well with the moderate signs of osteoarthritis in the left stifle. Correlate with the clinical palpation and consider surgical intervention in case of clinical laxity in order to prevent further damage to the articular structures.

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The mild osseous remodeling of the right stifle may be an expression of early osteoarthritis. Note that cranial cruciate ligament pathology with degenerative joint disease of the stifles is commonly a bilateral entity.

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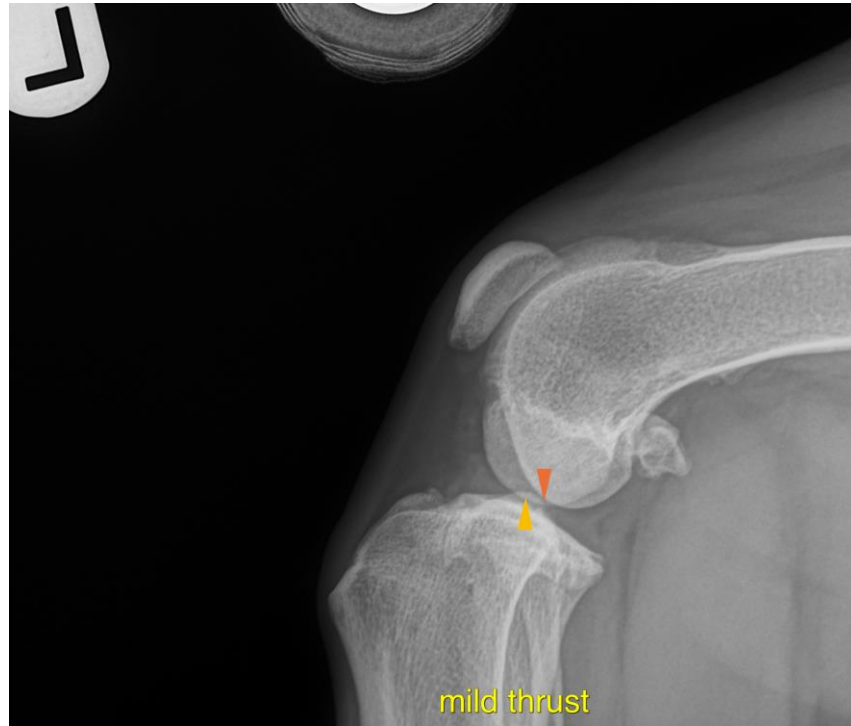
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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