



**PATIENT**

Nala Cordero

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Here for check up, pet is drinking a lot of water. Started a few months ago, she stopped eating, also pet is sad from other pet passing away in Jan. P is eating better now. Other pet died, O concerned because other pet was sick with kidney issues, so she wants to make sure Nala doesn't have any of the same issues

**SPECIES**

Canine

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: cbc/chem/T4 Neu% 89.1, Lym% 6.7, RBC 9.93, HGB 21.4, HCT 62.1, Ca 14.8, Cre 1.5, K+ 3.4, TP 8.4 Leptospirosis L. Pomona 1:50, L. Gripp 1:50

**BREED**

German Shepherd  
Dog

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX & ABDOMEN**

Lateral and ventrodorsal views of the abdomen and thorax each totaling 6 images available for review.

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

**SEX**

Female

**Abdomen**

A large soft tissue opaque mass effect is seen in the sublumbar area measuring approximately 18 cm in length and 6 cm in height. Ventral deviation and compression of the descending colon is seen. The mass does not appear to extend through the pelvic canal.

**AGE**

7 Years

The urinary bladder is severely distended.

A short tubular soft tissue opacity is seen ventral of the descending colon superimposed onto the urinary bladder neck and abdominal portion of the urethra and considered compatible with the uterus.

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**Thorax**

Multiple soft tissue opaque nodules of varying size and up to 3 cm diameter are distributed throughout the parenchyma of all lung lobes.

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The trachea and cardiac silhouette present within normal limits.

No evidence of mediastinal lymphadenomegaly is seen.

**REFERRING VET**

Dr. Kristen Hellwarth

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Sublumbar soft tissue mass with mass effect onto the descending colon.
- Distended urinary bladder.
- Interstitial nodular lung pattern.

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The radiographic findings are unfortunately highly suggestive for metastasizing neoplastic disease with involvement of the sublumbar lymph nodes and metastatic disease of the lung.

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The sublumbar mass may represent metastatic disease of an unknown primary tumor in the lower urogenital tract or perineal area; however, this may also represent the primary tumor.



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The interstitial pulmonary nodules are highly likely to represent metastatic disease and should be considered so until proven otherwise.

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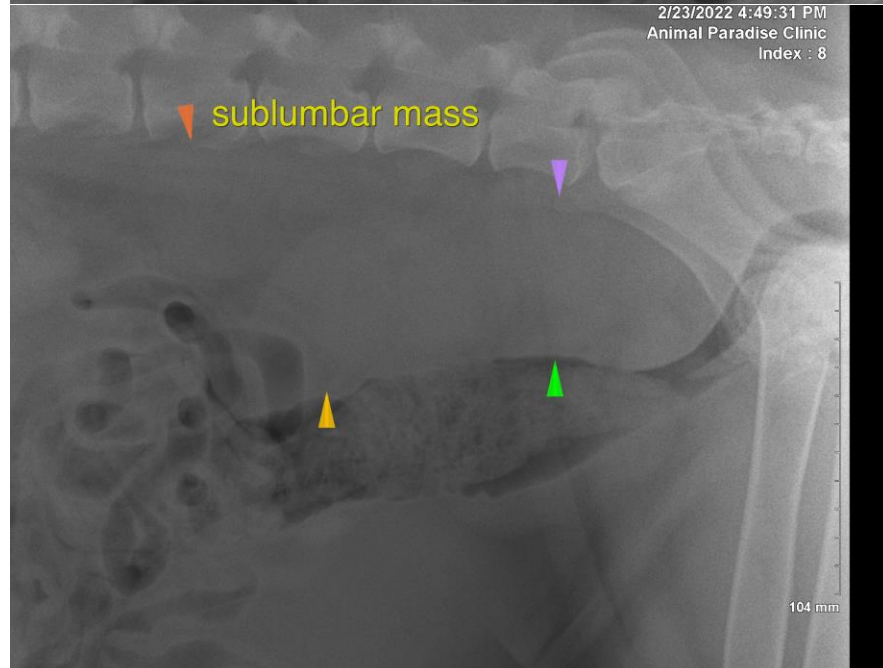
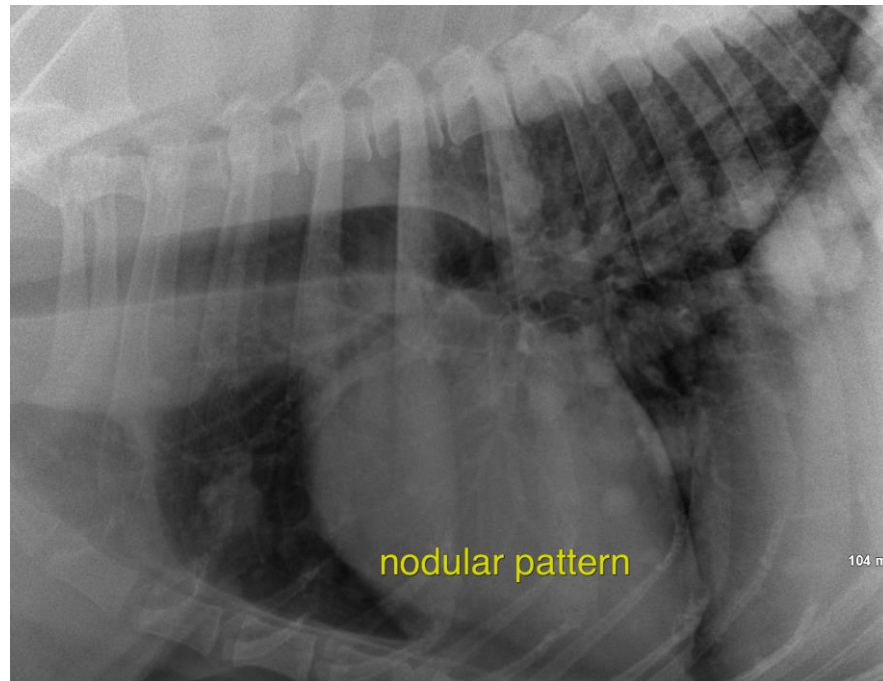
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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