



PATIENT

Misty Silverman

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Romanian Carpathian

SEX

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AGE

6Y, 5M

WEIGHT

11.8kg

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History:

- Referral
- O first noticed small mass on point of elbow 09/2025
- VS - Differential likely to be hygroma on lateral side of R elbow.
- Feeling discomfort on front leg where elbow mass is lifting it up time to time
- CT before mass removal to see margins/planning

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Liver enzymes elevated

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ELBOWS

Plain study of the left elbow and plain and post contrast studies of the right elbow are available for review.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Right Elbow

A 3.5 x 2.7 x 2.5 cm sized soft tissue dense mass is present lateral to the right elbow. The mass has ill-defined margins and shows uniform contrast enhancement. No aggressive osteolysis, periosteal reaction, or cortical destruction of the adjacent humerus and ulna is identified. The attenuation characteristics and internal appearance are not consistent with a hygroma as the lesion does not contain fluid equivalent material and does not show a cystic structure. Mild regional mass effect on adjacent soft tissues is present. There is no evidence of elbow arthropathy.

Left Elbow

The left elbow presents within normal limits. Osseous structures and periarticular soft tissues are considered within normal limits.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Right lateral elbow soft tissue mass solid and contrast enhancing with features atypical of hygroma.
- No CT evidence of bone invasion at this time.
- Normal CT presentation of the left elbow.

INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Although clinically suspected to represent a hygroma, the solid attenuation and uniform enhancement make this diagnosis unlikely. Imaging features are most suggestive of a soft tissue mass such as benign or malignant neoplasia including sarcoma and other and less likely chronic inflammatory/proliferative process. The absence of aggressive bone changes is favorable with regards to surgical planning. Surgical excision or incisional biopsy is recommended for definitive diagnosis. Histopathological examination is required to determine the nature of the mass.



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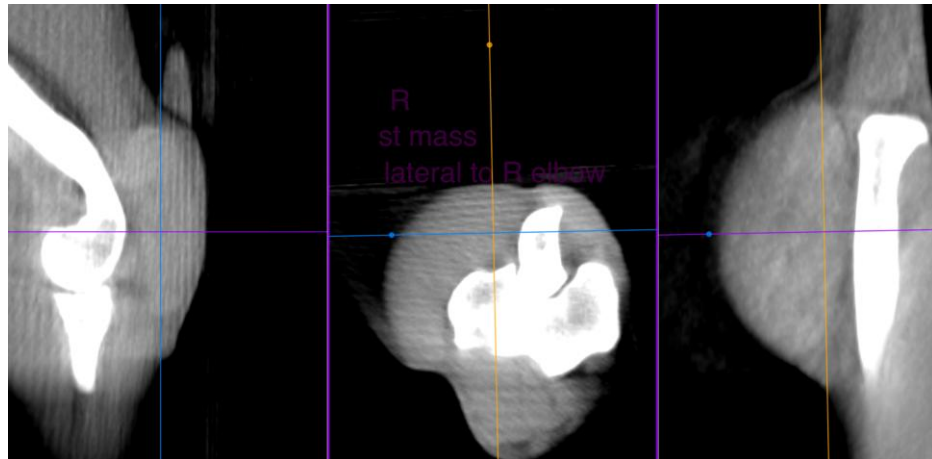
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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