



## PATIENT

Arlo Ruberti

## SPECIES

Canine

## BREED

Lab

## SEX

MN

## AGE

3Y

## WEIGHT

69lbs

## INTERPRETED BY

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## REFERRING VET

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## DATE

3-12-26

## PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Limping R hind, knee R painful, cranial draw possible partial rupture acl R knee

## ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

### Right Stifle

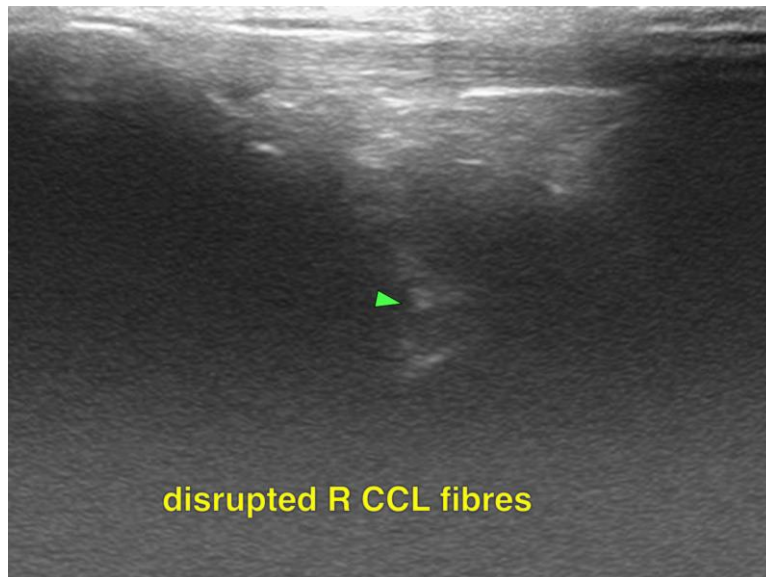
The ultrasonographic study reveals moderate thickening of the right stifle joint's synovium with moderate anechoic effusion. A mild to moderate amount of periarticular osteophytes is seen. The cranial cruciate ligament presents disrupted hyperechoic fibers surrounded by a halo of anechoic effusion at the intercondylar eminence of tibia. No definitive meniscal tear is identified. However, evaluation was limited.

## ULTRASONOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- CCL injury, moderate synovitis, effusion, and mild osteoarthritis of the right stifle joint.

## INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The ultrasound findings are definitive for CCL injury. Near complete rupture of the CCL is considered likely based on the ultrasonographic presentation. A meniscal tear was not seen, however, because the meniscal evaluation was limited, a tear cannot be fully excluded. Orthopedic consultation for surgical stabilization such as TPLO, TTA, or other method based on surgeon's preference is recommended. Intraoperative assessment of the medial meniscus should be considered as well.





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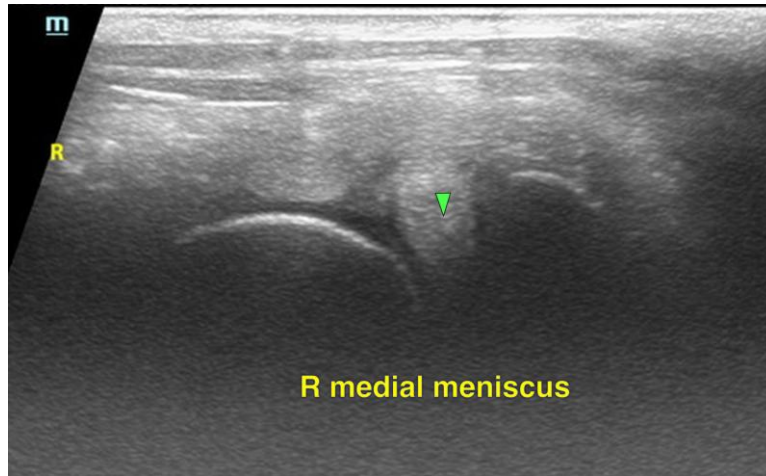
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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