

**PATIENT**

Tucker Benvenuti

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Intermittent Lameness most noticeable after exercise.
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Subtle thickening of Rt. Stifle with minimal drawer in flexion. Radiographs show mild expansion of caudal joint capsule and some compression of fat pad.

SPECIES

Canine

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**Right Stifle**

Mild effusion and mild synovial swelling are noted within the supra- and infra- patellar recesses of the right stifle joint. There is a mild amount of periarticular osteophytes in the visible joint margins. The cranial cruciate ligament presents continuous, however, generalized thickening and ill-defined margins of the cruciate ligament are noted. The medial meniscus is in situ, smoothly delineated, and presents no deviation from its expected internal echoarchitecture.

BREED

Labrador Retriever

SEX

Male Neutered

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Mild right stifle osteoarthritis with ultrasonographic evidence of cranial cruciate ligament pathology.

AGE

3 Years

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The ultrasonographic findings suggest presence of early partial rupture of the right cranial cruciate ligament with mild concurrent right stifle osteoarthritis. Ongoing biomechanical failure of the ligament is suggested by the ultrasonographic findings, even though the ligament fibers appear to be mostly continuous. Progression to macromorphological fiber disruption has to be expected.

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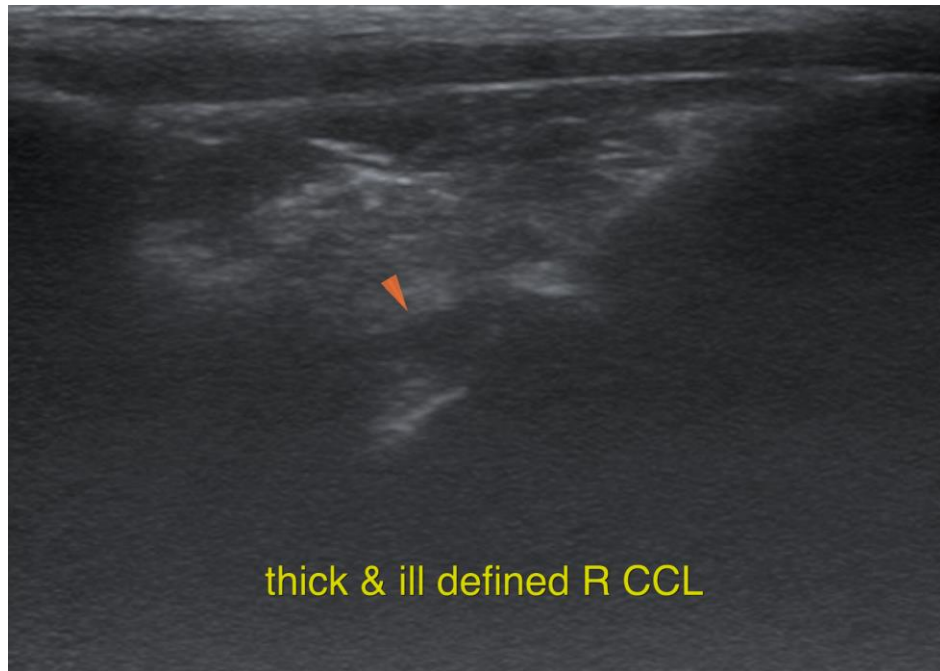
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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