



**PATIENT**

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Dogs for the Blind  
(CGDB)

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Intermittent lameness RH leg; hitches leg every 3rd step intermittently.  
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Grade 2 MPL RH leg, tender in iliospoas and adductors.  
Normal hip rads, no stifle effusion noted.

**SPECIES**

Canine

**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

**Right Stifle**

A mild amount of anechoic effusion is seen within both the supra- and infra- patellar recesses of the right stifle joint. Minimal synovial swelling is noted as well as minimal heterogeneity of the infrapatellar fat pad.

**BREED**

Labrador Retriever

The caudal and cranial cruciate ligaments are well seen, smoothly delineated, and of uniform internal echoarchitecture. Both ligaments are continuous. The patella is in situ at the time of the examination.

**SEX**

Female

Mild soft tissue swelling, and tissue proliferation is seen superficial to the medial aspect of the femoral trochlea. No osseous remodeling of the patella or femoral trochlea can be appreciated at this point.

**AGE**

10 Months

The lateral and medial menisci are in situ with smoothly delineated margins and uniform internal echoarchitecture.

**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

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- Mild effusion and synovialitis of the right stifle.
- No evidence of cranial or caudal cruciate ligament pathology.
- No evidence of lateral or medial meniscopthy.
- Mild soft tissue hypertrophy medial to the patella.

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

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The ultrasonographic study of the right stifle reveal mild synovialitis and effusion. Cranial and caudal cruciate ligament as well as the lateral and medial menisci present within normal limits.

The soft tissue thickening medial to the patella may represent tissue hypertrophy, desmitis of the medial patella retinaculum, mild cellulitis, or a combination of these and is likely associated with the medial patella luxation.

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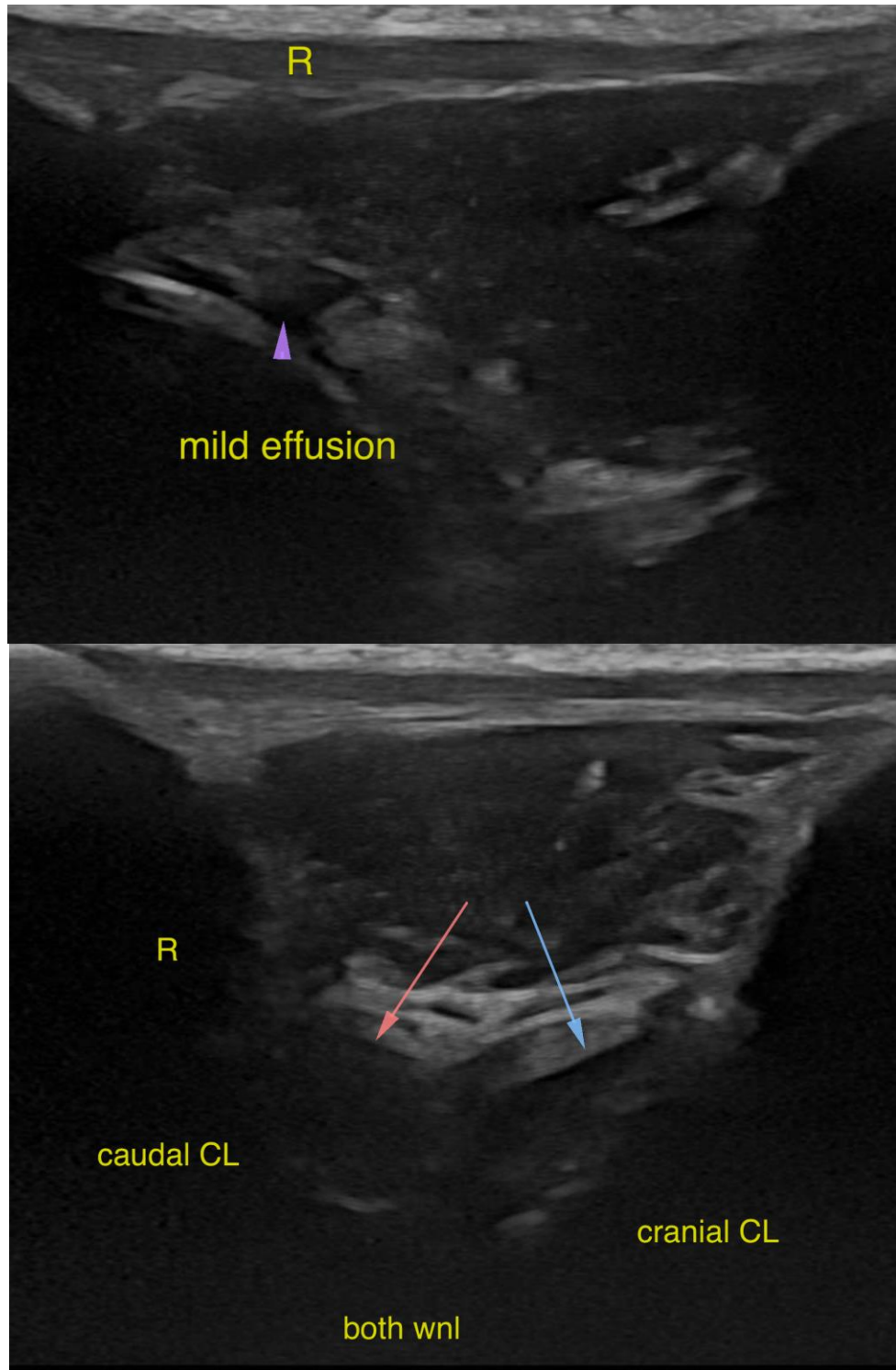
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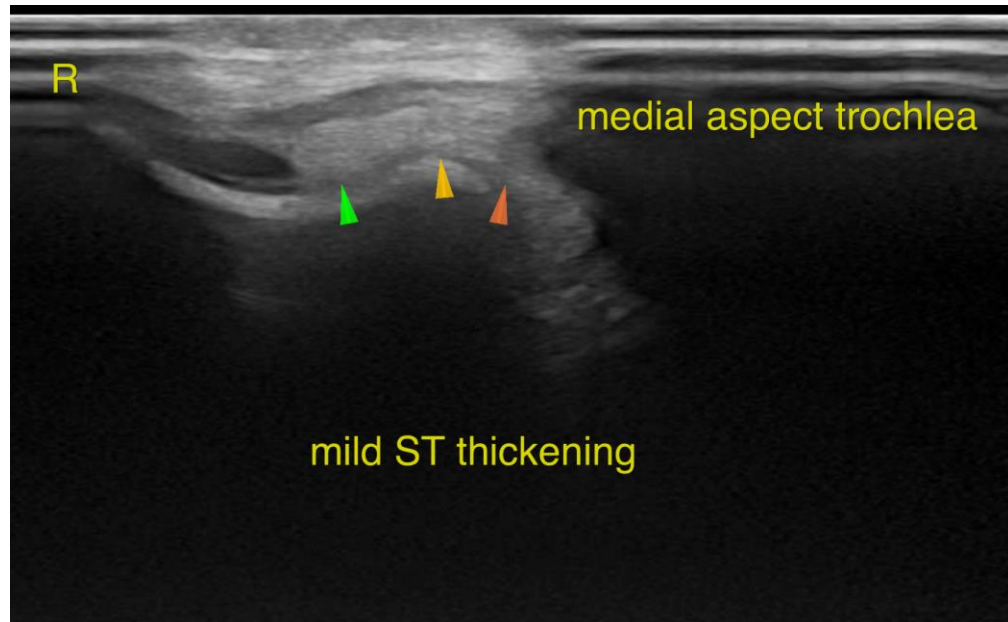
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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