



PATIENT

Kai Agosto

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Patient presents with ataxia and acute CP deficits of the right frontlimb and right hindlimb. So far she has not responded to the medications (Prednisone and Gabapentin).
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: CBC --- unremarkable CHEM --- unremarkable

SPECIES

Canine

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE CERVICAL SPINE

Plain and post IV contrast studies available for review.

BREED

Miniature Schnauzer

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Mild wedge shaped narrowing of the intervertebral disc space C3/4 is seen. Mineralization of part of the annulus fibrosus and dorsal longitudinal ligament is seen level with the cranial vertebral endplate of C4. No direct compression of the spinal cord can be seen. There is no evidence of neuroforaminal stenosis noted.

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COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Suspect chronic intervertebral disc disease C3/4.

AGE

3 Years

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The CT findings support the presence of chronic intervertebral disc disease within the mid cervical spine between C3 and C4. Acute or chronic extrusion of isoattenuating material, other isoattenuating disc herniation, ischemic myelopathy, myelitis are other potential differential diagnoses and further definition by means of a CT myelogram (or an MRI) could be considered in case of persisting or deteriorating clinical signs.

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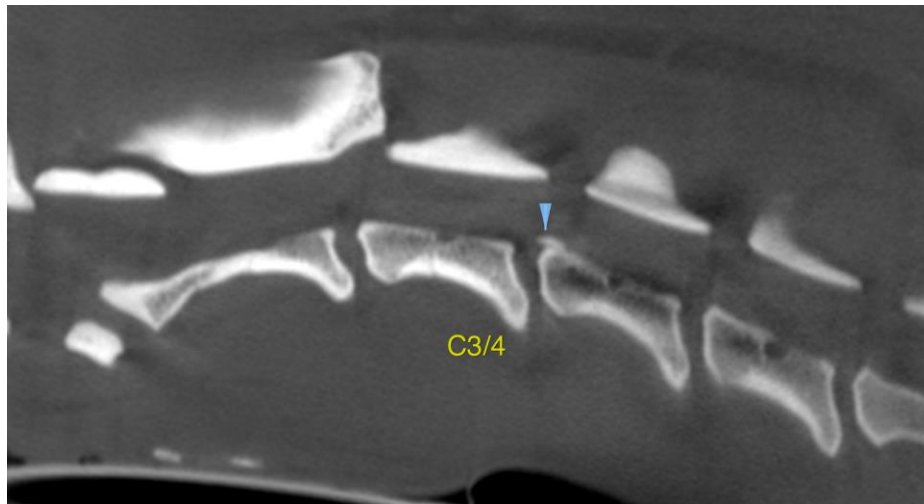
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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