



PATIENT

Beatrix Colelli

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

DSH

SEX

FS

AGE

2Y

WEIGHT

5.7kg

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

unable to visualize ear canal AD

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE HEAD

Plain and post contrast studies are available for review.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The brain presents no deviation from normal anatomy and symmetry. The grey and white matter distinction and the neuroparenchymal attenuation are as expected. The distribution of contrast enhancement is within normal limits throughout the parenchyma and meninges. The ventricular system is non-dilated and within the limits of the expected volume and symmetry.

Thin and smoothly folded conchae and turbinates with even smooth mucosal lining. The osseous lining of the nasal cavities is intact.

Both temporomandibular joints present congruent joint spaces with even subchondral bone surfaces and are considered within normal limits.

A small mineral focus is seen within the lens of the right eye.

The right external auditory meatus is expanded and occupied by a 30 x 5mm sized elongated polypoid mass with peripheral contrast enhancement. The right tympanic bulla shows mucosal swelling and moderate osseous thickening. Left ear structures are within normal limits.

The right parotid and retropharyngeal lymph nodes are mildly enlarged.

The visible dentition is within normal limits.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Chronic right sided otitis externa and media with ear canal polyp.
- Right retropharyngeal and parotid lymphadenomegaly compatible with reactive change.
- Mineralization in the right lens.

INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The findings are consistent with chronic inflammatory polyp within the right external auditory meatus secondary to right sided otitis externa and media.

The lymph node enlargement is likely to represent reactive change.

The mineral focus within the lens of the right eye may be incidental. However, this change is relatively rare in young adult cats, though mostly clinically silent.

Consider surgical evaluation for polyp removal and treatment of otitis externa and media. Histopathology of the excised mass can be considered for definitive diagnosis.

Consider ophthalmology follow up.



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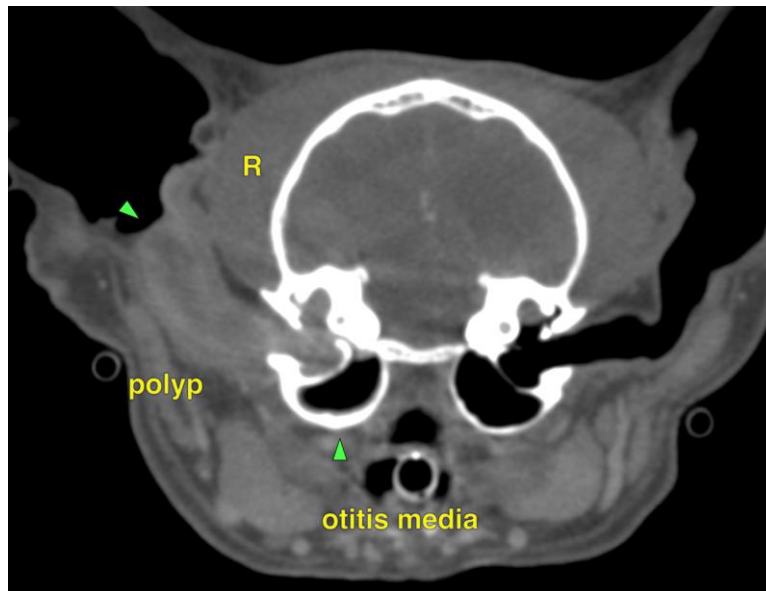
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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