**DATE PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

4-5-23 Recheck ultrasound; previous 02/20/23 & 12/21/22 attached. Suffered left hind limb laceration injury end of October. Underwent laceration repair at PDVM. Current medications: Dasuquin Welactin.

**PATIENT ULTRASONOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE LEFT ACHILLES TENDON**

Hux Anne Arundle County Police The findings are compared to the prior reports of this patient dated 2-20-23 & 12-21-22.

**SPECIES ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

Canine Regressive swelling of the distal left superficial digital flexor tendon is seen. Full volume of uniform fibers of moderate length bridge the prior tendon defect. Smoothing of the tendon margins and peritendineum is seen. However, the tendon is still thickened at approximately 1.5:1 ratio compared with its original cross section. Minimal remodeling of the tuber calcis bone surface is seen.

**BREED**

Belgian Malinois Moderate distension of the subcalcaneal bursa is noted.

**SEX**

Male Neutered

**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Progressive healing after superficial digital flexor tendon injury proximal to the calcaneus in the left hind limb.
- Moderate calcaneal bursitis.

**AGE**

7/12/19

**INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The ultrasonographic study reveals progression of the healing of the injury of the left superficial digital flexor tendon. The defect is bridged by uniform echotextured fibers of moderate length and biomechanical stability can be assumed. Resumption of exercise can be considered at this point.

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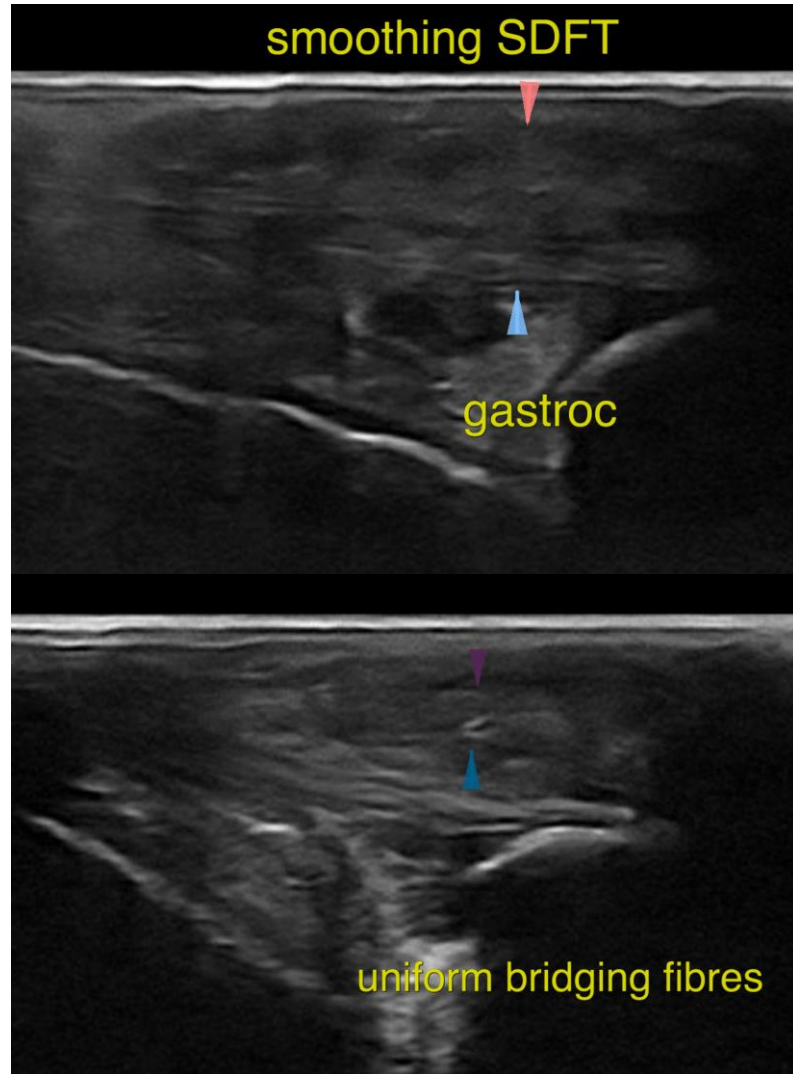
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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