



PATIENT

Lupita Carrillo

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

history of a left front lameness treated medically with Rimadyl and gabapentin multiple times with improvement but relapses without medication. digital radiography a bone reaction is suspected at the lateral aspect of the left proximal humerus.

SPECIES

Canine

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE LEFT FRONT LIMB

Lateral and craniocaudal views of the left front limb totaling 3 images available for review in jpeg format.

BREED

Chihuahua

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Part of the cervical spine is included in the study and a diablo bullet is superimposed onto the 6th cervical vertebra.

SEX

Female Spayed

The left scapulohumeral joint and left elbow joint present within normal limits.

AGE

13 Years

There is no evidence of carpal or metacarpophalangeal joint injury.

A smooth convex bony protrusion is seen in the lateral contour of the left and right proximal humerus representing normal anatomy (distal insertion of the deltoid muscles).

The left front limb musculature presents moderate to severe atrophy.

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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Atrophy of the left front limb musculature - otherwise, normal radiographic presentation of the left front limb.
- Diablo bullet in the neck/cervical spine area.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The atrophy may be secondary to disuse or neurogenic.

The diablo bullet may be in the soft tissues around the cervical spine or associated with the cervical spine. Other neurologic disease such as spinal, peripheral myelopathy, or neuropathy should be considered a potential in this patient. However, soft tissue trauma or inflammation cannot be ruled out either.

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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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