



PATIENT

Winnie Dunavant

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Owner states Pt began reverse sneezing/hackling over the past 3 days. Owner states Pt does slobber but no actual discharge comes up. Owner says it sounds like she is trying to hack something up or clear her throat. Owner also mentioned Pt may sound like she's having trouble breathing. Doctor is concerned about enlarged heart, bronchial pattern, and/or nodules.

SPECIES

Canine

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX

Right/left lateral and ventrodorsal views totaling 3 images available for review.

BREED

Chihuahua

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Inward rotation in terms of pectus excavatum deformity is seen; however, no significant lateral displacement of the heart is noted.

SEX

Spayed Female

Moderate dorsal deviation of the cardiac silhouette is seen. There is no significant enlargement of the cardiac silhouette noted.

AGE

13 Years, 4 Months

Mild collapse of the caudal cervical trachea is seen level with the thoracic inlet. There is a tracheal stripe sign secondary to mild esophageal aerophagia.

A moderate generalized bronchial lung pattern is present with mild peribronchial cuffing and mild cylindrical bronchiectasis.

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Mineral opaque foci are superimposed onto the kidneys.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Moderate chronic bronchial lung pattern.
- Potential for dynamic tracheal disease.
- No evidence of cardiomegaly.
- Pectus excavatum
- Moderate bilateral shoulder osteoarthritis.
- Renal or perirenal mineralization.

HOSPITAL NAME

Ahwatukee Commons
Veterinary Hospital

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study suggests potential for chronic lower airway disease such as eosinophilic bronchopneumopathy, irritant bronchitis, or infectious bronchitis including viral, bacterial, and parasitic.

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There also appears to be potential for dynamic tracheal disease. Further definition by means of upper and lower airway endoscopy with airway sampling could be considered.

There is no radiographic evidence of cardiovascular pathology. The dorsal displacement of the cardiac silhouette is a result of the ribcage deformity.

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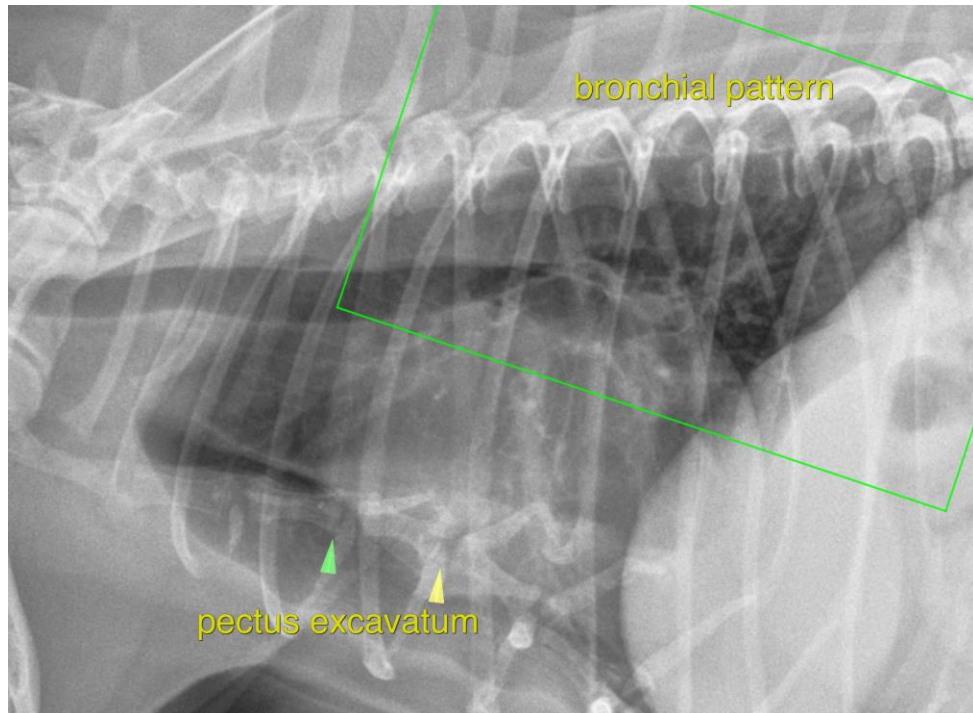
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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