



PATIENT

Nalah Luckhoo

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

2 days ago started vomiting and having diarrhea with blood (today did not see blood in diarrhea). Was still eating those days but today has not eaten. Got into and ate garbage full of chicken drumsticks, corn cobs and spicy food. Caudal pain on abdominal palpation.

SPECIES

Canine

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN

Right/left lateral and ventrodorsal views of the abdomen totaling 6 images available for review.

BREED

Beagle Mix

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The abdominal serosal detail is maintained.

SEX

Spayed Female

The stomach is dilated with a moderate amount of fluid and gas. Pieces of bone are seen in the gastric pyloric antrum. The gastric outlet is patent and filled with gas with an inverted “7” shape of the descending duodenum on the orthogonal view.

AGE

6 Years

The remainder of the small intestinal loops are evenly distributed throughout the mid abdomen with mild generalized dilation and turgid appearance. No radiopaque foreign material can be identified in the small intestine.

The colon contains a mild amount of non-inspissated material and a mild amount of gas.

A small amount of mineral opaque material appears to be present within the urinary bladder.

INTERPRETED BY

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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Suspect functional gastrointestinal ileus.
- Pieces of bone compatible with poultry bone in the stomach.
- Suspect urinary bladder sand.

HOSPITAL NAME

Truscott Animal Hospital

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic findings suggest functional gastric and small intestinal ileus rather than mechanical ileus. Radiopaque foreign material and significant segmental dilation of the small intestine are not seen. Abdominal ultrasound could be considered for further definition in case of persisting clinical signs since subileus with nonradiopaque foreign material cannot be ruled out entirely. Atypical “corn cob” pattern is not seen radiographically.

REFERRING VET

Dr. Medhat Meawad

Note the presence of small amounts of mineral opaque material within the urinary bladder. Cystitis with urinary bladder microlithiasis should be considered a potential and further definition by means of ultrasound and urinalysis can be considered.

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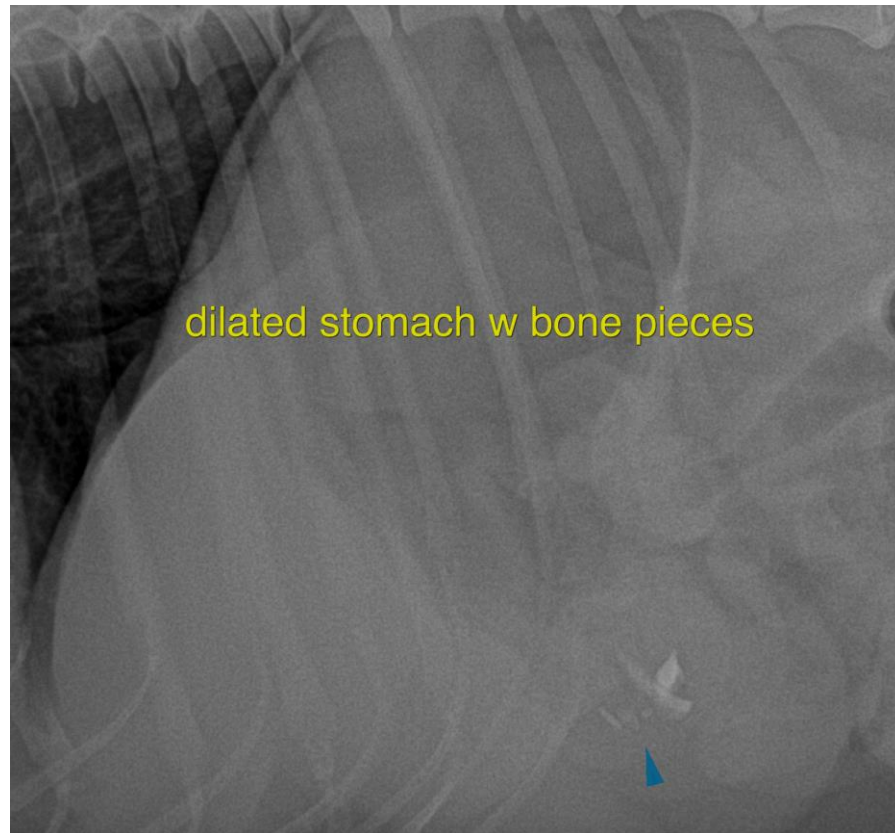
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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