



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Violet Myers Reason for Visit: update exam & needed vax for boarding. History: Violet is coming from annual exam and update vaccines to stay at a boarding facility next week. she is only due for bordetella. DA2PP and Rabies will be due on November of this year. Violet is doing good at home, no concerns. History of mild chronic ALT elevation, benign hepatopathy diagnosed on Ab US 2/2021
SPECIES Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Hydration: N Mentation: N EENT: Early iris atrophy
 Canine OD, faint nucl scl ou Oral Cavity: missing majority of teeth, heavy tartar on all 4 canines and few remaining caudal PM's/M's Lymph Nodes: N Skin: N CV/Respiratory: 3/6 left systolic murmur, lungs clear, good femoral pulses Abd/GI: N Uro/Perineum: N Musculoskeletal: Grade 2 bilateral MPL's, slightly decreased ROM left hip Neurological: N
BREED

Terrier Mix **RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE PELVIS & STIFLES**

Mediolateral views of both stifles and ventrodorsal hip extended view of the pelvis totaling 3 images available for review.

SEX RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

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AGE Pelvis

13 Years, 11 Months The coxofemoral joints present within age and breed related normal limits.
 Mild atrophy of the left hind limb musculature is noted.

INTERPRETED BY Stifles

Nele Eley, DVM There is mild articular swelling of the left stifle joint. The patella presents medial luxation, and a moderate amount of periarticular osteophytes is seen accentuating the joint margins of the femoral patella joint. A cystic defect is seen at the caudal contour of the patella.
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DPC Veterinary Hospital Medial patella luxation is noted in the right stifle joint as well. However, at this time, no significant articular swelling and no osteoarthritic changes are noted.
 Note the distal position and small size of the medial fabellae in both stifles which is an anatomic variant in terrier breeds.

REFERRING VET

Ward No lumbosacral junction abnormality is noted.
 The tail is amputated.

INVOICE RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

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- Left medial patella luxation with moderate stifle osteoarthritis.
 - Right medial patella luxation with no concurrent arthritis.
 - Mild disuse atrophy of the left hind limb musculature.
 - Radiographically normal coxofemoral joints.

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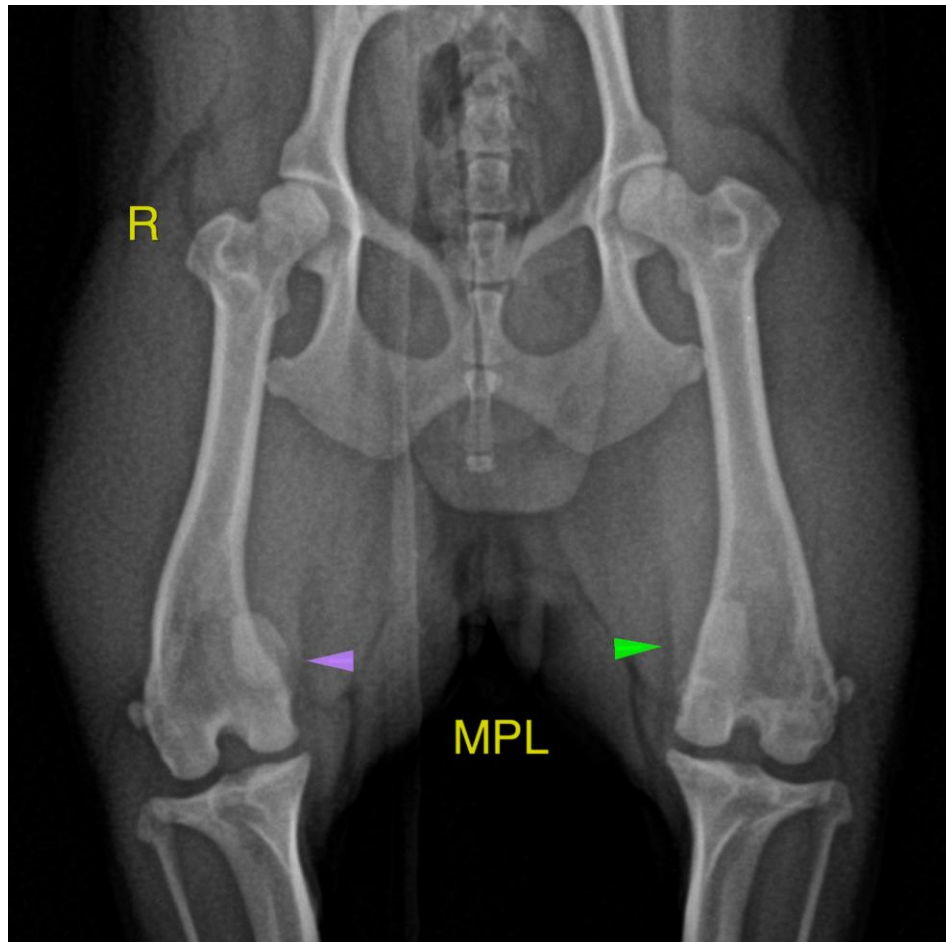
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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Both stifle joints present medial patella luxation which appears to parallel the patient history. The left stifle joint presents moderate concurrent osteoarthritic changes, and the mild muscle atrophy indicates presence of longer standing disuse of the left hind limb.



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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