



PATIENT

Trinket Pannell

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Not able to put weight on the right hind leg after jumping from the couch a few days ago. Need to rule out patellar luxations vs others. Physical exam showed potential grade 2/3 patellar luxation.

SPECIES

Canine

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE STIFLES

Mediolateral views of the right stifle, ventrodorsal hip extended views of the pelvis including craniocaudal projection of both stifles, lateral whole body view, and dorsopalmar oblique view of the hind paws totaling 6 images available for review.

BREED

Yorkshire Terrier

Stifle read requested.

SEX

Spayed Female

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

There is moderate articular swelling of the right stifle joint. The patella is seen in a medial position in the right stifle in all except one view.

AGE

10 Years

Moderate osteoarthritic changes of the right stifle joint are seen. The osteophytes accentuate the femoral trochlear and distal pole of the patella, however, also the tibial plateau and the fabellae present osteophytes.

No evidence of patella luxation is seen on the orthogonal view of the left stifle.

INTERPRETED BY

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The coxofemoral joints present within age and breed related normal limits. No significant joint incongruity and no osteoarthritic changes are seen.

The muscle volume of both hind limbs appears adequate and symmetric.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Medial patella luxation and moderate osteoarthritis of the right stifle joint.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study reveals medial patella luxation in the right stifle. Moderate osteoarthritic changes are present in the right stifle joint as well. No other structural pathology is identified radiographically in the right stifle.

REFERRING VET

Dr. Medhat Meawad

The radiographic presentation of the left stifle is within age related normal limits. No osteoarthritic changes are seen. The patella is in situ, however, intermittent luxation cannot be ruled out entirely based on radiographs alone.

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

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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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