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Willow Barbano

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

P presented today for a cancer screening CT scan. P has been more lethargic for the past week. P also vomited yesterday and last night undigested food hours after eating.

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COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX & ABDOMEN

Plain study of the thorax and plain and post contrast studies of the abdomen are available for review.

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COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Thorax

The bony and surrounding soft tissue structures are within normal limits.

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The sternal, cranial mediastinal and tracheobronchial lymph nodes are small elongated with a normal short-to-long-axis-ratio.

The cardiovascular structures including the pulmonary vasculature are within normal limits.

AGE

9 Years

The bronchial tree presents with regular branching and tapers uniformly towards the periphery as expected, the bronchial walls are thin and smooth. The bronchus-to-artery ratio is within normal limits.

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The lung parenchyma presents the expected architecture and attenuation behavior.

Small incidental gas pockets are seen within the esophageal lumen, there is no evidence of abnormal dilation.

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Abdomen

The serosal fat presents normal attenuation behavior. There is no evidence of peritoneal effusion or peritonitis.

Both kidneys present within normal limits for size, shape and organ architecture. After contrast administration a bilaterally symmetric and uniform nephro- and pyelogram is noted.

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The adrenal glands are within normal limits for size, shape and organ architecture.

Occasional faintly hyperenhancing splenic nodules are seen.

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The liver presents with normal shape, even surface, uniformly attenuating parenchyma and homogeneous contrast enhancement, unremarkable.

Mild generalized enlargement of the pancreas is noted with no evidence of regional mesenteropathy.

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The epigastric lymph nodes are mildly enlarged measuring up to 10mm in diameter.

The position, delineation, wall and content of the gastrointestinal tract are considered within



PATIENT normal limits throughout.

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COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

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- Suspect pancreatopathy.
- Mild multiple epigastric lymphadenomegaly.
- Multiple small splenic nodules.
- Degenerative lumbosacral stenosis.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The CT findings suggest potential for pancreatopathy such as (chronic) pancreatitis. Benign age related hyperplasia is a potential differential diagnosis.

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Mild multiple epigastric lymphadenomegaly is noted. Reactive hyperplasia is considered likely. A primary/lymphomatous or secondary/metastatic infiltrate can never be ruled out entirely but is by far less likely. Ultrasound guided FNA could be considered for further definition. However, this may be challenging owing to the small size of the lymph nodes.

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Differential diagnosis for the splenic nodules includes benign lymphoid hyperplasia or extramedullary hematopoiesis primarily. A neoplastic infiltrate can never be ruled out entirely. Ultrasound guided FNA could be considered for further definition.

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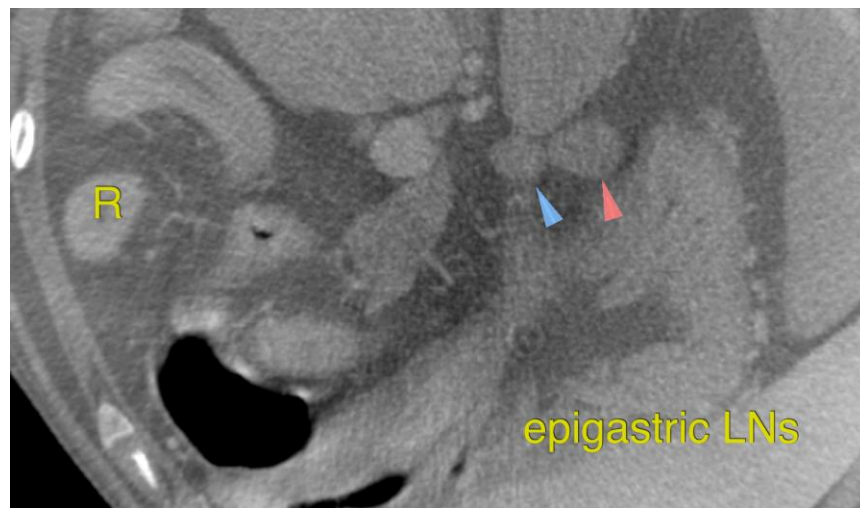
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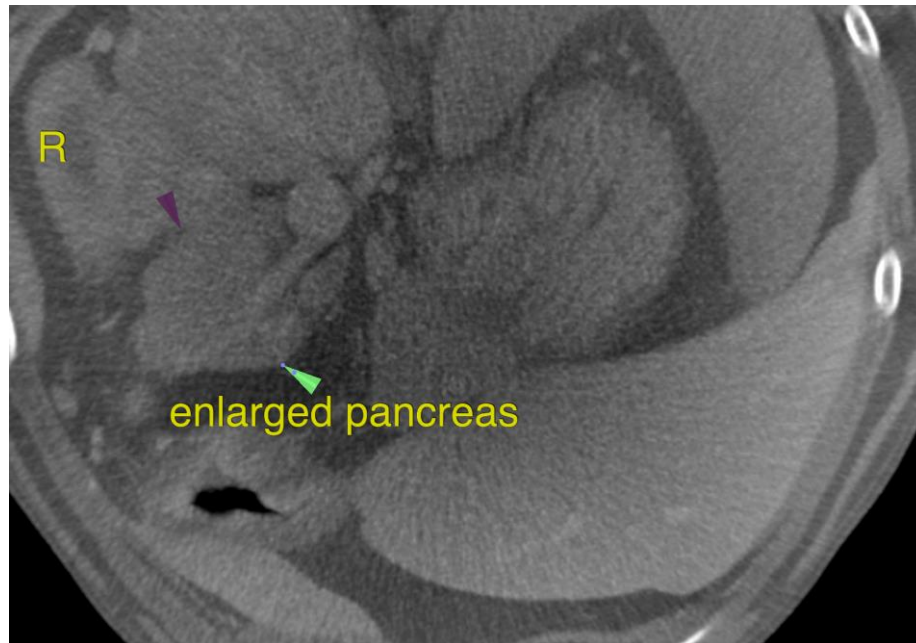
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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