

**PATIENT**

Poppy Schachner

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Indoors only. Crying overnight. Found to be non weight bearing in right forelimb in the morning. Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Pain on palpation of the distal radius and ulna. Carpus palpates normally and no significant pain. Will use limb (pawing at kennel door) but not weight bearing.

**SPECIES**

Feline

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE RIGHT CARPUS**

Mediolateral and craniocaudal views of the right carpus totaling 2 images available for review.

**BREED**

DSH

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

There appears to be mild soft tissue swelling circumferential to the antebrachio-carpal joint and distal right radius and ulnar.

**SEX**

Female

The distal ulnar growth plate is wider than the radial growth plate. No evidence of displacement is seen.

The cortical and medullary bone patterns are considered within normal limits.

**AGE**

2 Months

The carpal bones present in situ and intact. There is no evidence of luxation or subluxation.

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS****INTERPRETED BY**

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- Normal radiographic presentation of the osseous structure in the distal right forearm and right carpus.
- Mild unspecific soft tissue swelling of the distal right forearm.

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS****HOSPITAL NAME**

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No osseous changes are noted in the distal right forearm and carpus radiographically which, unfortunately, makes it very difficult to narrow down the list of differential diagnoses as many diseases such as Salter Harris type 1 or compression fractures, physitis, arthritis, disturbed ossification, or other may be radiographically occult in the early phase. Consider empirical management with narrow clinical monitoring and radiographic recheck should the clinical signs persist.

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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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