

**PATIENT**

Bella Battistone

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Vomiting started yesterday early in the morning, vomited around 4-5 times. Diarrhea started yesterday, not bloody. Went to the beach on Saturday evening, possible ingested sea weed / Goose pop / sand (owner not sure). Not eating since last night. Lethargic.

SPECIES

Canine

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Blood work revealed stress glucose, dehydration, decrease in K 3.5 (3.8), mild increase in Albumin, Total protein, decrease in Lym and Mono, otherwise unremarkable.

BREED

Maltese

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN

Right/left lateral and ventrodorsal views totaling 3 images available for review.

SEX

Female Spayed

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

There is a sausage shaped dilated small intestinal segment seen in the mid abdomen with acutely tapering transitions to the nondilated small intestine. The dilated segment measures approximately 2.0 cm in diameter and 12.0 cm in length and contains granulated material. The remainder of the small intestinal loops are turgid in appearance and present mild dilation with gas. A nondilated post-stenotic small intestinal segment appears to be present as well. One short, small intestinal segment presents mild hypersegmentation.

AGE

11 Years

There is no evidence of reduced serosal detail.

The stomach contains a mild amount of fluid and a moderate amount of gas.

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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Small intestinal ileus with segmental dilation.

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St. Catharine's Animal
Hospital

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic findings are highly suggestive for mechanical ileus of the small intestine. Sand impaction is very likely in the terminal ileum. Conservative management can be attempted with IV fluids, gastroprotectants, prokinetics, and frequent walks. However, proceeding with surgical exploration directly appears to be justifiable as well.

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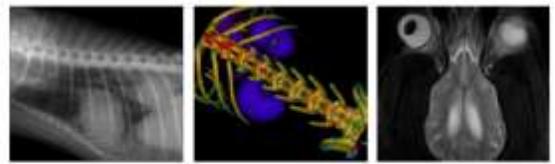
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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