



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Daisy Kruse Presented for CT scan and sialoadenectomy on 08/08/23. Based on CT scan, had a thyroidectomy and lymphadenectomy.

**SPECIES COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE HEAD & NECK**

Canine Plain and post-contrast studies available for review.

**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

**BREED** Both lobes of the thyroid gland are seen and present within normal limits.

Yorkshire Terrier x Severe bilateral retropharyngeal lymphadenomegaly is noted with the right retropharyngeal lymph node measuring 5.2 cm and the left 4.0 cm x 1.5 cm.

**SEX** The right submandibular lymph nodes are moderately enlarged and rounded with heterogeneous contrast enhancement, measuring 2.0 cm in diameter. The left submandibular lymph nodes present within normal limits.  
Spayed Female

**AGE** The right cervical lymph node is moderately enlarged and rounded with heterogeneous contrast enhancement, measuring 2.5 cm in diameter.  
8 Years 11 Months Mild periodontal disease of the triadan 209 is noted.

**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

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- Multiple lymphadenomegaly of the bilateral retropharyngeal, right submandibular, and right cervical lymph nodes, meeting neoplastic criteria.
  - No evidence of thyroid gland pathology
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**INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

**HOSPITAL NAME** The CT study reveals moderate to severe lymphadenomegaly of the bilateral retropharyngeal, right submandibular, and right cervical lymph nodes. Lymphomatous infiltrate or metastasis from an undetermined primary tumor are considered most likely. Pyogranulomatous lymphadenitis cannot be ruled out entirely but is considered far less likely. Further definition by means of fine needle aspiration or biopsy of the lymph nodes is recommended if not performed already.

**REFERRING VET**

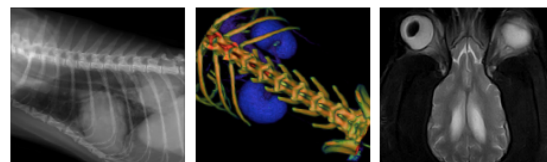
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**PATIENT**

Daisy Kruse

**SPECIES**

Canine

**BREED**

Yorkshire Terrier x

**SEX**

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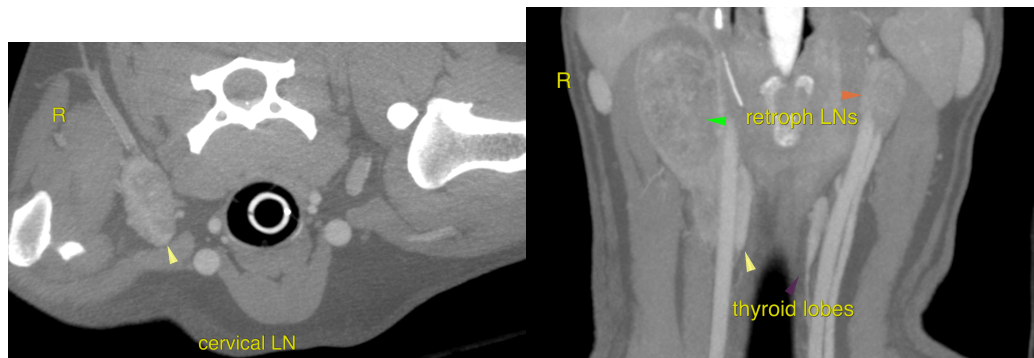
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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