

**PATIENT**

Puffball Dobney

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Patient presented for limping on right forelimb, pet is indoor and outdoor and came back limping 4 days ago. Had to sedate to perform physical exam soft tissue swelling in between large paw pad and toes, no draining tract noted

**SPECIES**

Feline

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE FRONT PAWS**

Dorsopalmar and lateral views totaling 2 images available for review.

**BREED**

DMH

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

There is diffuse soft tissue swelling of the right front paw from the mid metacarpus to the toes accentuating the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> digit and the area between the main and toe pads. Faint mineral opacities superimpose onto the soft tissues but appear to be mainly located in the dorsal aspect of the paw in a superficial position. No associated osseous changes are seen. The metacarpophalangeal joints are in situ. There is no evidence of traumatic osseous injury.

**SEX**

MN

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Digital and interdigital soft tissue swelling in the right front paw.

**AGE**

8 Years

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

Unspecific soft tissue swelling in the digital and interdigital area of the right front paw is seen. No definitive radiopaque foreign material can be identified. Traumatic soft tissue injury as well as soft tissue inflammation and nonradiopaque foreign material all are a potential. Correlation with the clinical findings and development recommended.

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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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