



PATIENT

Biggie Byker-Shaw

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Got spayed 2 weeks ago, ever since than she has had diarrhea and lethargy
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: BW- unremarkable, xrays- shows inflammation of intestines.

SPECIES

Feline

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN

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

BREED

Sphynx

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The abdominal serosal detail is slightly reduced.

The stomach is postprandial and contains a moderate amount of gas.

SEX

Spayed Female

Turgid small intestinal loops of even diameter with mid generalized dilation are seen.

The colon contains a mild amount of fecal matter.

AGE

2 Years

The kidneys present within normal limits.

The liver appears to be slightly enlarged with pointed liver margins reaching beyond the costal arch.

INTERPRETED BY

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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Mildly reduced serosal detail in the central abdomen.
- Suspect functional small intestinal ileus.
- Mild generalized hepatomegaly.

HOSPITAL NAME

St. Catharine's Animal
Hospital

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The reduced serosal detail may well be due to crowding of the small intestine within the center of the abdominal cavity. Small amounts of peritoneal effusion or peritonitis cannot be ruled out entirely.

REFERRING VET

Dr. Jui Gokhale

The radiographic changes further suggest functional small intestinal ileus which may be due to gastroenteropathy, pancreatopathy, or systemic disease. Further definition by means of abdominal ultrasound could be considered in order to gain more detailed information about the small intestinal wall and motility. This should especially be considered in case of persisting or deteriorating clinical signs.

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Differential diagnosis for the hepatomegaly includes anatomic variant versus vacuolar, metabolic, endocrine hepatopathy, or hepatitis. Correlate with the laboratory values.

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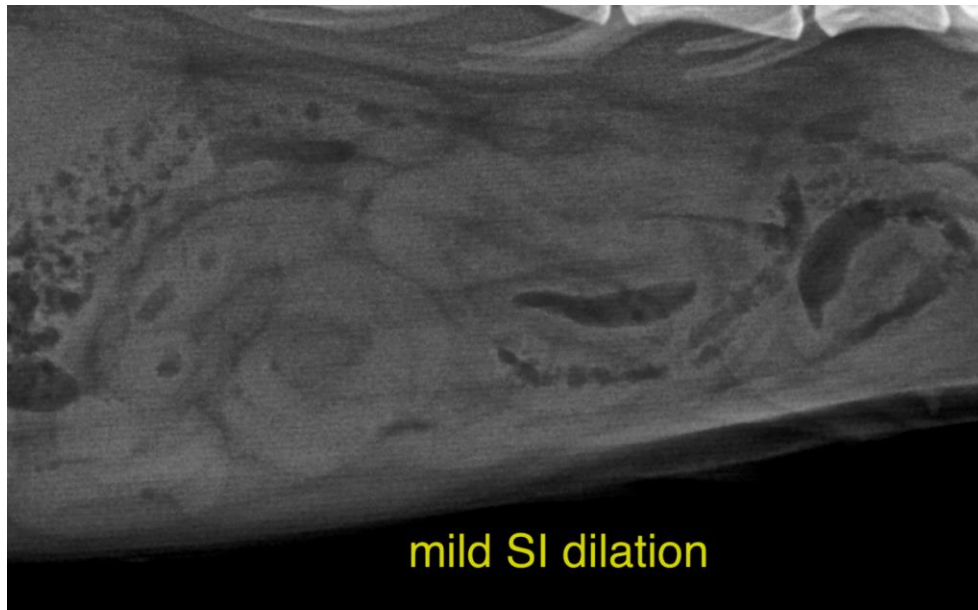
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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