



**PATIENT**

Lily Hendriks

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

DIARRHEA FOR 1 WEEK. BLOODWORK IS UNREMARKABLE.

**SPECIES**

Feline

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN**

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

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**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

Both coxofemoral joints reveal signs of dysplasia with severe right sided and moderate left sided coxofemoral joint osteoarthritis.

**SEX**

Female Spayed

No abnormalities of the extraabdominal soft tissues are noted. The abdominal wall is smooth and thin.

The serosal detail is maintained throughout the peritoneal and retroperitoneal space.

The liver is appropriate in position, size and presents uniform opacity.

**AGE**

11 Years

The splenic head is in the anticipated position and within normal limits for size and opacity. The splenic tail is not seen.

Both kidneys are seen and present with normal size, shape, delineation and opacity. The urinary bladder is in its anticipated position. No radiopaque calculi are noted throughout the upper and lower urinary tract.

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The stomach is postprandial. Mild gastric aerophagia is noted.

There is moderate small intestinal aerophagia. The small intestinal loops are evenly distributed throughout the mid abdomen with mild generalized dilation. No evidence of plication or foreign material is seen. however, there is a segmental discrepant gas pattern within individual small intestinal loops.

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The colon contains a mild amount of fecal matter.

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**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Suspect functional small intestinal ileus – no evidence of mechanical ileus.

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

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The radiographic findings suggest potential for functional gastrointestinal ileus. Gastroenteropathy, hepatopathy, pancreatopathy, and systemic disease are common differential diagnoses and further definition by means of abdominal ultrasound should be considered in case of persisting clinical signs.

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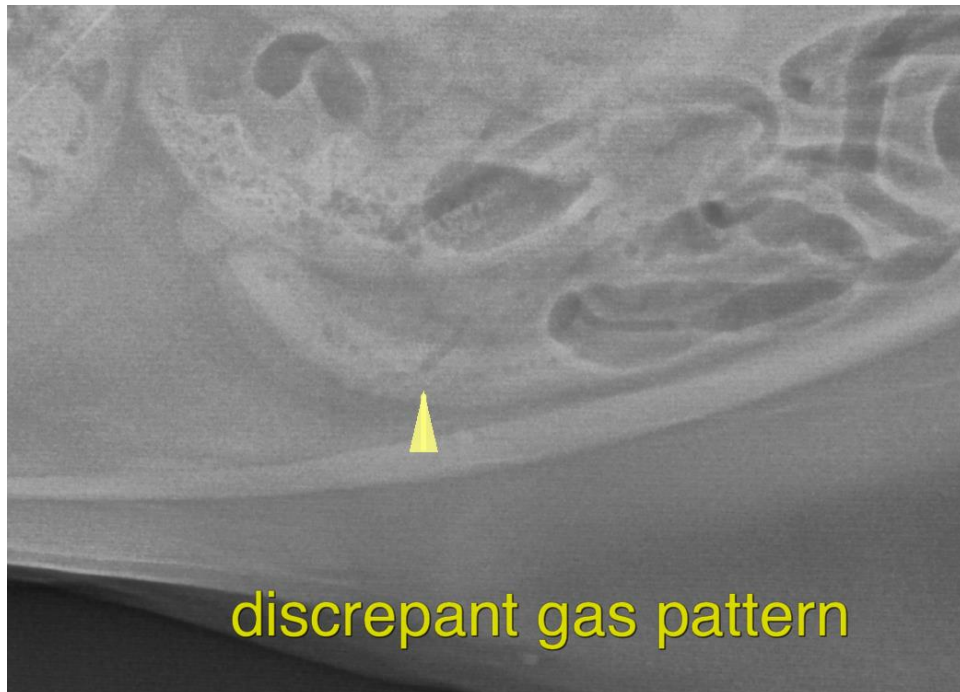
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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