



PATIENT

Kola Crisp

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

See prior report #52673. Since that time this patient has been treated with exercise restriction and laser therapy. The lameness had resolved, but possibly has mildly relapsed in the last 5 days. A full square position has not been achieved but it has improved.

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ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Left Proximal Gastrocnemius Origin

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Reduced echogenicity was seen in the proximity of the left lateral fabella in the prior study two months earlier with partial loss of echoarchitecture. The same area now reveals mild diffuse increase in echogenicity with, again, partial and relatively uniform loss of its echoarchitecture. Minimal osseous remodeling of the lateral fabella's bone surface is seen. The remainder of the muscle belly presents the expected echotexture, echogenicity, and shape.

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ULTRASONOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Organizing partial avulsion of the lateral head of the gastrocnemius muscle in the left hind limb.

AGE

12 Months

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The ultrasonographic findings do support healing subacute to chronic left lateral gastrocnemius injury close to the lateral fabella. No significant evidence of acute injury with hematoma is seen and the sequence of the ultrasonographic changes is within the expected limits after partial avulsion. However, prolonged recovery is something that is very common, especially with gastrocnemius musculotendinopathy so that the ultrasonographic and clinical changes appear to be within the expected limits.

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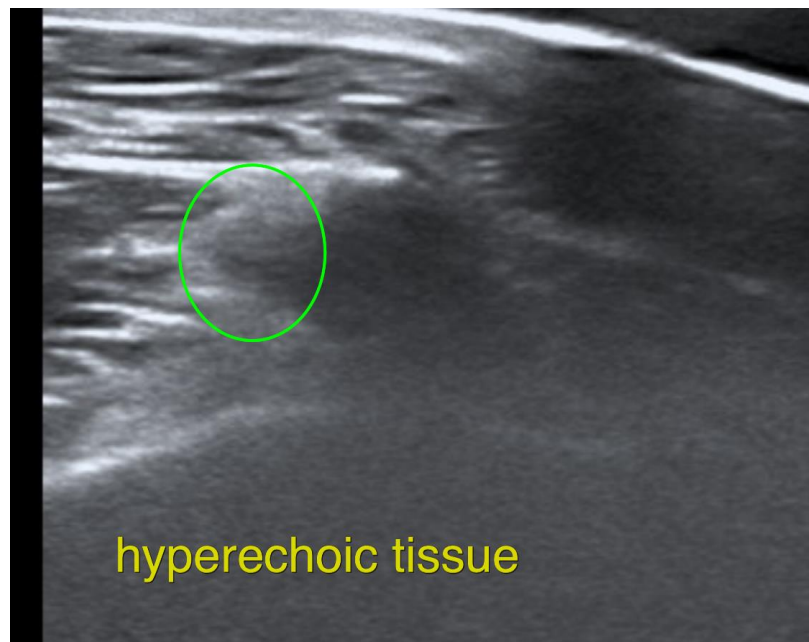
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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