



**PATIENT**

Lucky Gandza

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Vomiting and not eating for 5 days  
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Bloodwork unremarkable

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Feline

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX & ABDOMEN**

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

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**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

**Abdomen**

The surrounding bony structures are within normal limits.

**SEX**

Male Neuter

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

**AGE**

6 Years

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

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

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

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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.

The stomach is empty except for a mild amount of gas.

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The small intestinal loops are evenly distributed throughout the mid abdomen. No evidence of abnormal dilation, plication, or radiopaque foreign material is seen.

The colon is empty.

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**Thorax**

The surrounding bony structures are within normal limits.

The extrathoracic soft tissues present homogeneous without abnormalities.

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The heart is of normal size and shape and there is no evidence of cardiac chamber or vascular enlargement. The vertebral heart score is 8. The pulmonary vasculature is within normal limits.

The cranial mediastinum presents the expected soft tissue opacity. The mediastinal width is less than twice the width of the vertebral column at the same level.

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The trachea is normal in diameter and presents the anticipated course. The luminal outline of the trachea is smooth.

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The bronchial tree presents with thin walls and tapers uniformly towards the periphery as expected.

The lung parenchyma presents the expected architecture and opacity. The intrapulmonary vascular branching is seen up to the third order lung vessels.

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The diaphragm is well delineated with even surface and the expected mild cranial bulging of the diaphragmatic cupola.

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS****BREED**

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- Radiographically normal thorax.
- No radiographic evidence of mechanical ileus.
- Largely empty gastrointestinal tract.

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The radiographic study reveals no signs of mechanical ileus. Paralytic ileus and subileus cannot be ruled out. Further definition by means of abdominal ultrasound could be considered in case of persisting clinical signs or with pertinent laboratory changes.

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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.**

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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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