

PATIENT

Joey Courier

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Chinese Crested

SEX

Male

AGE

4 years

WEIGHT

15 #

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Treasure Coast Animal
Emergency

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History: Acute vomiting past 4 days.

Physical Examination: Normal.

Urinalysis: N/A.

CBC: N/A

Serum Biochemistry: N/A

Radiographic Findings: N/A.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

Full urinary bladder with a normal thickness (0.2 cm) and appearance of the wall. Normal anechoic urine with no sediment or uroliths evident.

Normal trigone area, proximal urethra, and iliac blood vessels.

Normal iliac lymph nodes. Ureters not visualized.

Normal renal size (both 4.8 cm), echogenic appearance, cortico-medullary differentiation, pelvis, and capsule.

Reproductive System

Normal size and appearance of the testes. Normal size of the prostate (1.9 cm) with a diffuse hyperechogenic and cystic appearance. Focal hypoechogenic parenchymal nodule (1 cm) in the left lobe. Normal echogenic appearance of the peri-prostatic tissue.

Adrenal Glands

Normal shape, echogenic appearance, position, and size. Left 0.64 cm, right 0.57 cm.

Spleen

Normal size and echogenic appearance. Smooth homogenous parenchyma, regular curvilinear capsule, and normal vasculature. No evidence of inflammatory, neoplastic, infarction, or infiltrative changes noted.

Liver

Normal size, echogenic appearance, portal markings, and regular curvilinear capsule. No nodules or masses evident. Full gall bladder containing normal anechoic bile. Normal thickness (0.2 cm) and echogenic appearance of the gall bladder wall. Normal bile duct.



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Gastrointestinal

Normal appearance of the gastro-esophageal junction, duodenum, small intestine, and ileo-cecal junction with no loss of layering, normal wall thickness (stomach 0.4 cm, jejunum 0.38 cm) and peristalsis, and no distension of the lumen. Shadowing foreign material within the stomach, duodenum and jejunum approximately 1 cm in size; non-shadowing spherical, object within the jejunum (0.8 cm) with no evidence of GI obstruction.

Pancreas

Normal size and echogenic appearance. Irregular capsule. Normal echogenic appearance of the mesentery and fat surrounding the pancreas.

Free Abdomen

No mesenteric lymphadenomegaly.
No ascites evident.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Primary findings:

- GI tract foreign material.
- Benign prostatic hyperplasia.

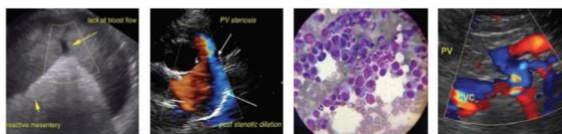
Secondary findings:

- None.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The appearance of the GI tract is consistent with dietary indiscretion and as the foreign material is small in size, should pass through without causing an obstruction.

At this point further assessment is not indication; however, if there is not a satisfactory improvement with symptomatic therapy or deterioration then repeat ultrasound would be indicated.



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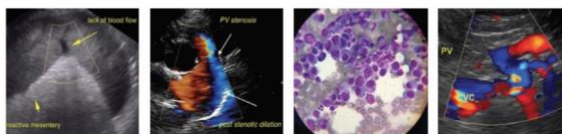
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Stomach



Duodenum





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Jejunum



Prostate



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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