



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Gretel Craig
History: Multiple intermittent episodes of vomiting and lethargy that resolve with supportive care. Episodes becoming more frequent but currently asymptomatic. Severely elevated ALT activity on previous bloods.

SPECIES

Feline Physical Examination: Overweight.

BREED

Urinalysis: N/A.

DLH

CBC: Pending.

SEX

Serum Biochemistry: Pending.

FS

Radiographic Findings: Large amount of fecal material within the colon.

AGE

14½ years

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

WEIGHT

6.4 kg

Empty urinary bladder with a normal appearance and thickness of the wall. Normal anechoic urine with no sediment or uroliths evident.

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

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Normal iliac lymph nodes. Ureters not visualized.

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Normal renal size (left 3.8 cm, right 4.3 cm) with increased echogenic appearance, some loss of cortico-medullary differentiation, and normal capsule and pelvis.

Reproductive System

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N/A.

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Normal shape, echogenic appearance, size, and position. Left 0.51 cm.

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Spleen

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Normal size and echogenic appearance. Smooth homogenous parenchyma, smooth curvi-linear capsule, and normal vasculature. No evidence of inflammatory, neoplastic, infarction, or infiltrative changes noted.

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Liver

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Normal size with increased echogenic appearance, and prominent portal markings. No nodules or masses evident. Full gall bladder containing normal anechoic bile. Normal thickness and echogenic appearance of the gall bladder wall. Normal bile duct.

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PATIENT *Gastrointestinal*

Gretel Craig Normal appearance of the stomach, duodenum, small intestine, ileo-cecal junction, and colon with no loss of layering, normal wall thickness and peristaltic activity, and no distension of the lumen. Fecal material within the colon.

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Feline *Pancreas*

BREED

Normal size with a hypoechogenic appearance. Regular capsule. Hyperechogenic appearance of the mesentery and fat surrounding the pancreas.

DLH

Free Abdomen

SEX

No mesenteric lymphadenomegaly.
No ascites.

FS

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ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

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Primary Findings:

- Hepatopathy.
- Pancreatitis.

WEIGHT

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Secondary Findings:

- Age-related renal changes/renal disease.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Etiologies for the hepatopathy would be reactive, age-related, cholangio-hepatitis complex, granulomatous disease, and infiltrative neoplasia.

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The appearance of the pancreas is consistent with chronic pancreatitis.

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With the amount of fecal material in the colon, hypo-motility and emerging mega-colon needs to be considered.

Further assessment needs to be based on the pending blood work but could include urinalysis and FNA cytology of the liver.

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Further specific therapy would be dependent on an etiological diagnosis.

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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.

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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