



PATIENT

Benny Lawler

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Labrador Retriever

SEX

MN

AGE

7yr

WEIGHT

78lb

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

- history of intermittent gastrointestinal signs
- has had multiple baseline cortisol tests (most recent in August 2024) which have been normal
- Was diagnosed with gastric ulcer in August 2024
- Recent episode started 2-3 days ago with anorexia, diarrhea, and vomiting
- was on GI low-fat prescription diet historically
- Recent labwork relatively unremarkable, normal spec cPL
- Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Chem - AST 83, mild hypochloremia (105), mild hyponatremia (138)

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

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

Normal appearance of the trigone area, proximal urethra, and iliac blood vessels.

Normal appearance and size of the iliac lymph nodes. Ureters not visualized, which can be considered a normal finding.

Normal renal size, architecture, echogenic appearance, cortico-medullary differentiation, which maintains a 1:3 cortex to medulla ratio, pelvis, and capsule. No infarcts, mineralization or renoliths evident. Normal color flow pattern evident in both kidneys.

The left kidney measured 6.0 cm in length.

The right kidney measured 6.4 cm in length.

Small hypoechogenic prostate gland.

Adrenal Glands

Normal shape, echogenic appearance, size, position, and appearance of the visible peri-renal vasculature.

The left adrenal gland measured 0.56 cm in width.

The right adrenal gland measured 0.56 cm in width and 0.59 cm in width.

Spleen

Normal size and echogenic appearance. Smooth homogenous parenchyma and regular curvilinear capsule. Normal volume of the splenic vasculature without any overt congestion or thrombosis evident. No inflammatory, neoplastic, infarction, or infiltrative changes evident. The spleen measured 2.2 cm in width.

Liver

Normal size, echogenic appearance, portal markings, and regular curvilinear capsule. No nodules or masses evident. Normal appearance of the hepatic and portal vasculature.

Gallbladder



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Full containing normal anechoic bile. Normal thickness and echogenic appearance of the wall. Normal size and appearance of the cystic and common bile duct.

Gastrointestinal

Normal appearance of the stomach, duodenum, small intestine, ileo-cecal junction, and colon with no loss of layering, 1:3 muscularis to mucosa ratio, normal wall thickness and peristaltic activity, and no distension of the lumen.

Pancreas

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

Free Abdomen

Normal mesenteric lymph nodes.

No ascites evident.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Normal ultrasound examination of the abdomen

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

On this ultrasound, there is no obvious etiology for the presenting clinical signs. Although the GI tract appears ultrasonographically normal with the history and presenting clinical signs, an underlying enteropathy such as parasitic enteritis, dietary hypersensitivity and inflammatory bowel disease should still be considered. Further assessment would be fecal analysis, cobalamin and folate assay and endoscopy of the upper GI tract with biopsies.

Specific therapy will be dependent on an etiological diagnosis. Symptomatic management that could be considered would be feeding small frequent meals of a novel protein / hypoallergenic diet, course of fenbendazole, cobalamin supplementation and if there is still not a satisfactory improvement then a course of prednisolone would then be indicated.



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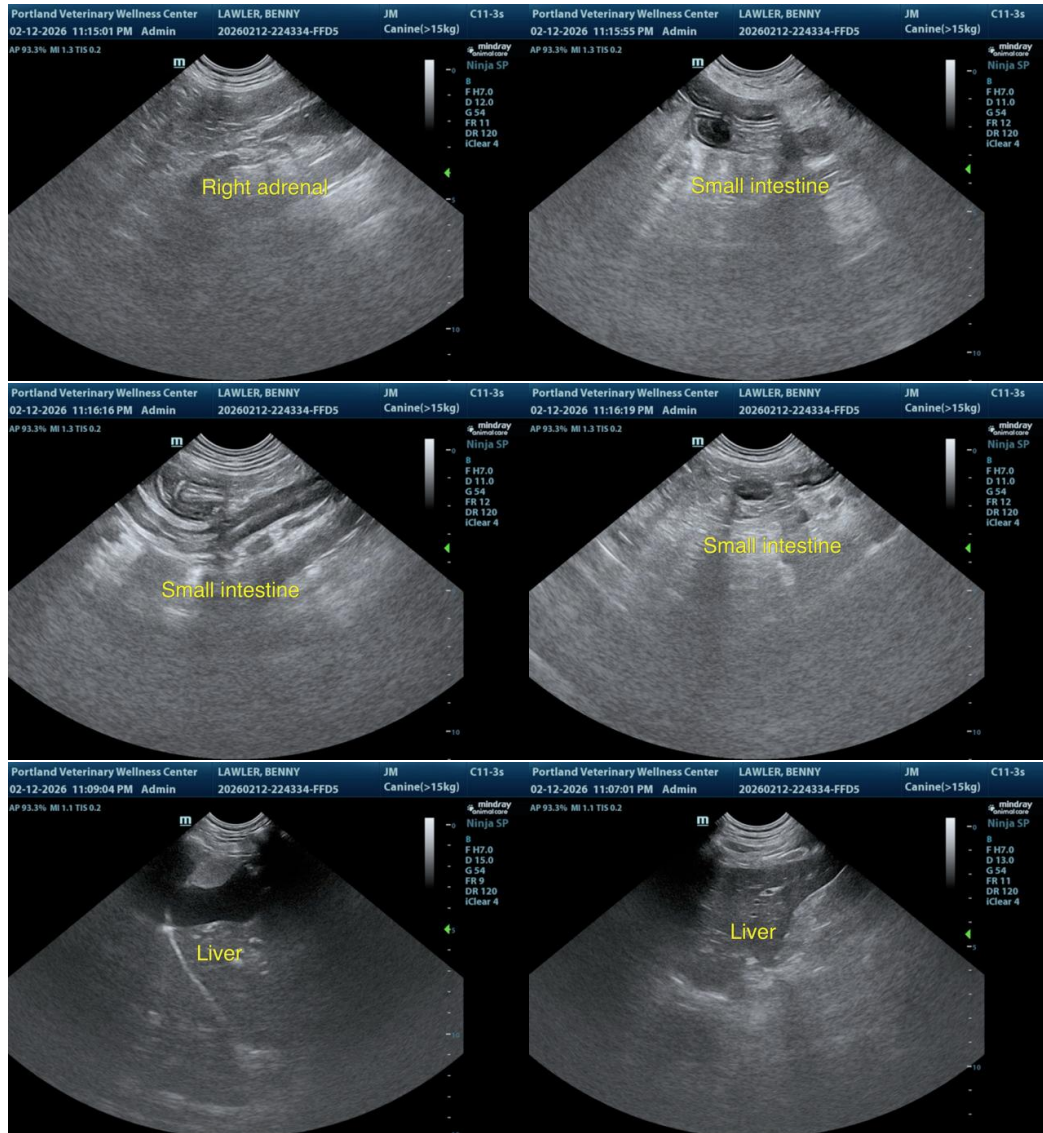
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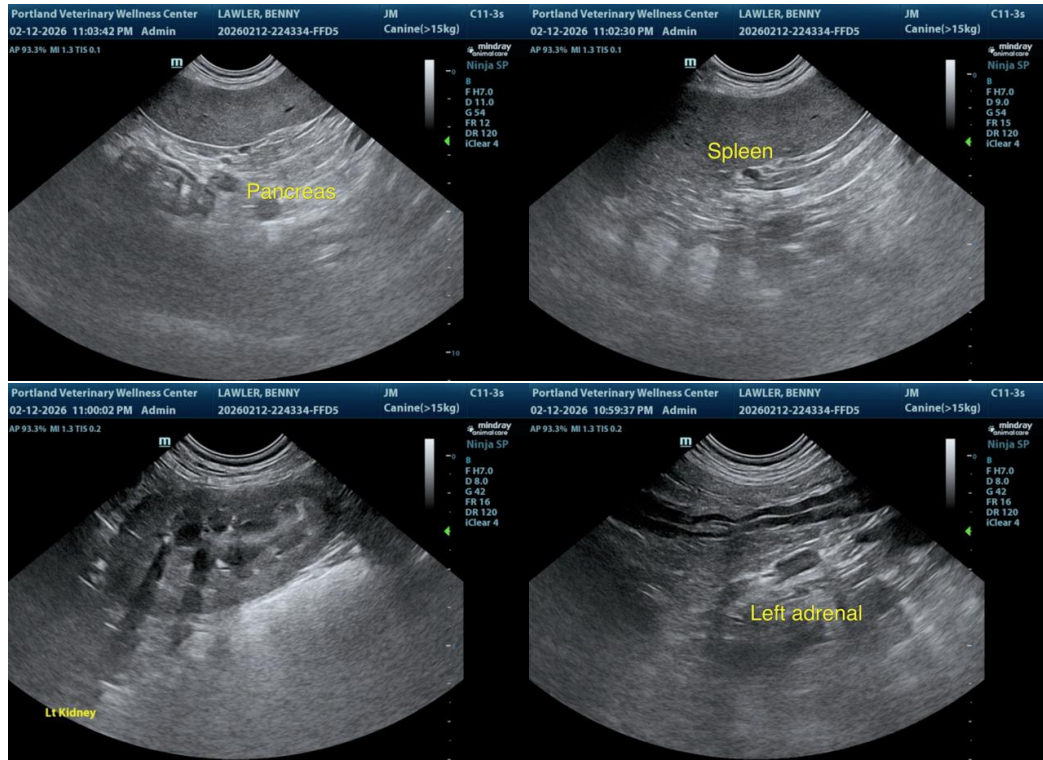
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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