



PATIENT

Nyx Lindsey

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

Domestic Shorthair

SEX

Spayed female

AGE

13 years

WEIGHT

11.9 lbs

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Chief Complaint: Chronic vomiting, occurring 2-3 times daily, almost every time she eats, since January 2026.

Previous Workup: Negative exploratory surgery for vomiting in late December 2025, noted a collapsed stomach.

Current Status: Has not vomited in 4 days. Appetite/Behavior: Unchanged. Other GI Issues: No history of hairballs, One recent episode of diarrhea with a food change, but generally not common, Stool production is unknown (two cats in household).

Behavioral/Environmental: Owner reports Nyx is a "bully" to the other cohabiting cat (8 years, never gotten along).

MEDICATIONS: Cerenia 16 mg PO PRN, started 02/16/2026. Last dose was approximately 5 days ago.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

The urinary bladder is full with a normal thickness and smooth appearance of the wall. A scant amount of floating, hyperechogenic sediment.

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 (left measured 3.9 cm, right measured 3.9 cm), architecture, echogenic appearance, cortico-medullary differentiation, which maintains a 1:3 cortex to medulla ratio, pelvis, and capsule. No infarcts, mineralization or renoliths evident. The kidneys had a normal color flow pattern.

Adrenal Glands

Normal shape, echogenic appearance, size, position, and appearance of the visible peri-adrenal vasculature. Left adrenal gland measured 0.48 cm in width. The right adrenal gland measured 0.48 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 0.9 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.



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Gallbladder

The gallbladder is small containing normal anechoic bile. Thickened and hyperechogenic appearance of the wall. Normal size and appearance of the cystic and common bile duct.

Gastrointestinal

Normal appearance of the stomach, duodenum, 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. Normal thickness of the small intestine (0.3 cm) with no loss of layering, but with an increased muscularis to mucosa ratio, normal peristaltic activity and no distension of the lumen. A small amount of ingesta is present within the stomach compatible with a recent meal.

Pancreas

The visible sections of the pancreas are of normal size and echogenic appearance with a regular capsule. Normal echogenic appearance of the mesentery and fat surrounding the pancreas.

Free Abdomen

Normal mesenteric lymph nodes.

No ascites evident.

Thorax

Normal appearance of the heart. No pericardial or pleural effusion evident.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Enteropathy.
- Previous cholecystitis.
- Urinary bladder sediment.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Etiologies for the enteropathy would be parasitic enteritis, dietary hypersensitivity and inflammatory bowel disease with emerging lymphoma an unlikely differential diagnosis.

The most likely etiology for the urinary bladder sediment would be incidental debris with crystalluria and bacterial cystitis a less likely differential diagnosis.

Further assessment would be urine and fecal analysis, possibly urine culture, cobalamin and folate assay and endoscopy of the upper GI tract with biopsies.



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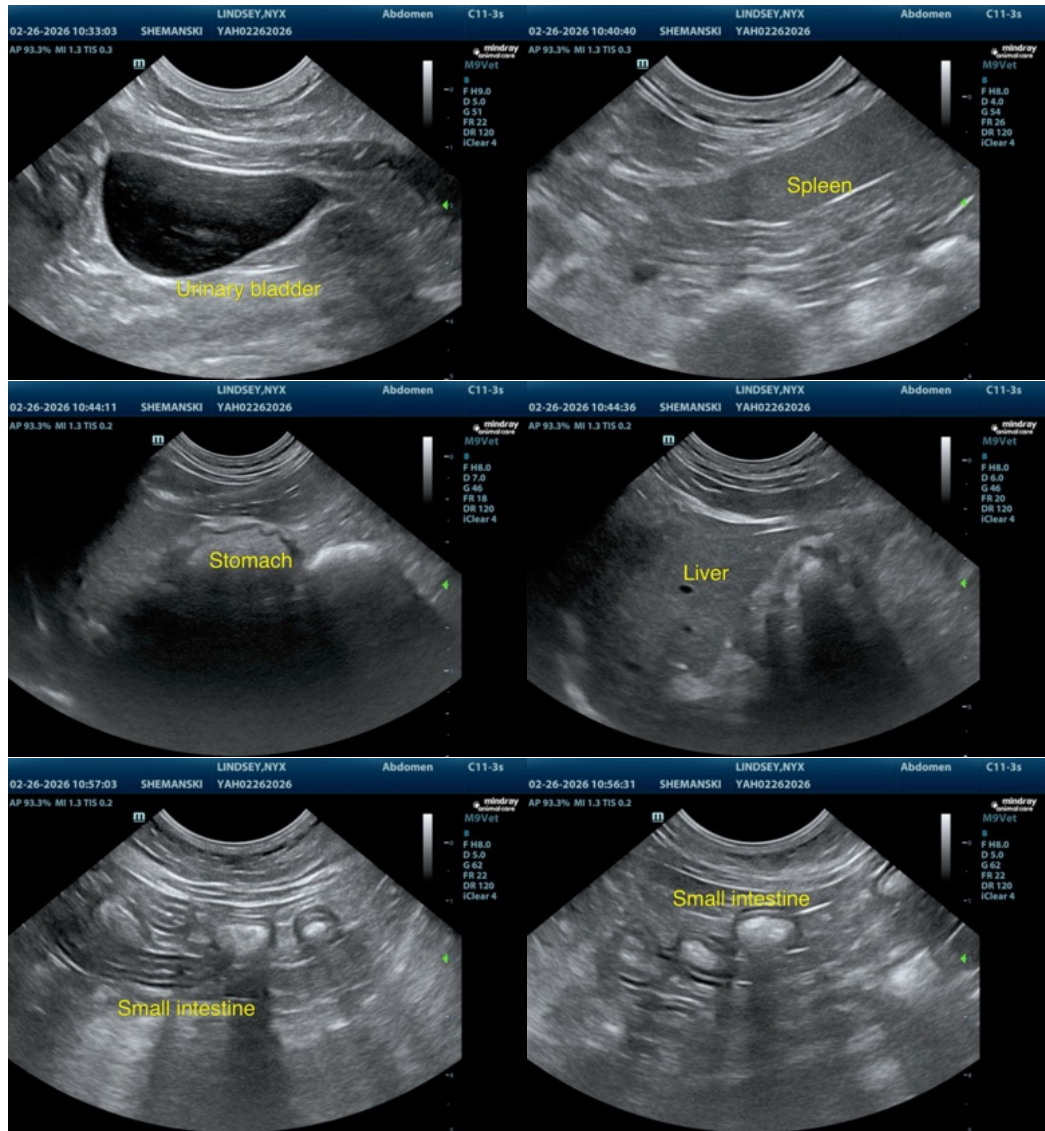
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Specific therapy would be dependent on an etiological diagnosis. Symptomatic management would be feeding small frequent meals of a novel protein/hypoallergenic diet, cobalamin supplementation, course of Fenbendazole and if there is still not a satisfactory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



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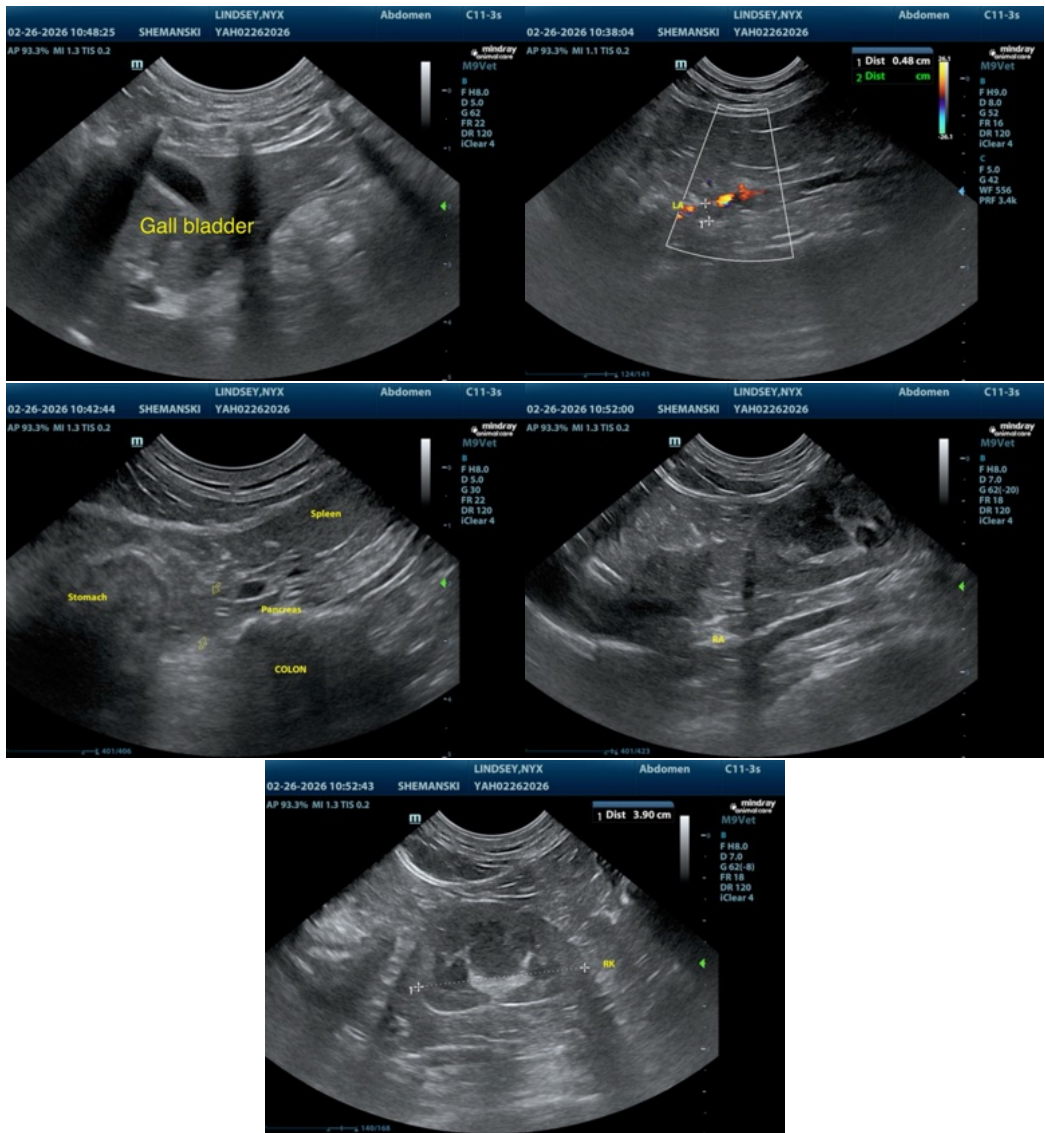
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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