

PATIENT

Darcy Mallon

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Terrier Mix

SEX

Spayed female

AGE

8 years

WEIGHT

44 lbs

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

- Darcy presented on 3/16 for lethargy, anorexia and ADR. labwork was sent out and showed chem WNL, CBC WBC 18,000 +, 16,700 neutrophilia, giant platelets noted, platelets decreased, NRBC's noted, HCT 33, T4 and Free T4 WNL, accuplex 4 neg x 4. abd ultrasound recommended to assess spleen and liver.
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ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

The urinary bladder is small 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 (left measured 5.3 cm, right measured 5.5 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.

Adrenal Glands

Normal shape, echogenic appearance, size, position, and appearance of the visible peri-adrenal vasculature. Left adrenal gland measured 1.27 cm in length x 0.55 cm and 0.6 cm in width. The right adrenal gland measured 1.15 cm in length x 0.43 cm and 0.43 cm in width.

Spleen

A large, irregular, vascularized mottled echogenic mass measuring 4.1 x 5.4 cm on the tail of the spleen. The rest of the spleen is of normal size (2.4 cm in width) with a normal echogenic appearance, smooth homogenous parenchyma and regular curvilinear capsule. Normal volume of the splenic vasculature without any overt congestion or thrombosis evident.

Liver

Normal size, echogenic appearance, portal markings, and regular curvilinear capsule. Irregular, mottled echogenic mass in the cranial aspect of the left lobe measuring 3.4 x 4.0 cm in size. There were no nodules or additional masses evident. Normal appearance of the hepatic and portal vasculature.



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Gallbladder

The gallbladder is small 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

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.

A moderate amount of amount of cellular ascites present.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Splenic mass.
- Hepatic mass.
- Ascites.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The most likely for the splenic and hepatic masses would be neoplasia with granulomatous disease an unlikely differential diagnosis.

The most likely etiology for the ascites would be hemoabdomen secondary to the masses.

Further assessment would be three view thoracic radiographs, echocardiography to evaluate the right atrium and right auricle, analysis of the ascitic fluid and possibly FNA cytology of the masses.

If surgery is being contemplated then a CT scan would be recommended.



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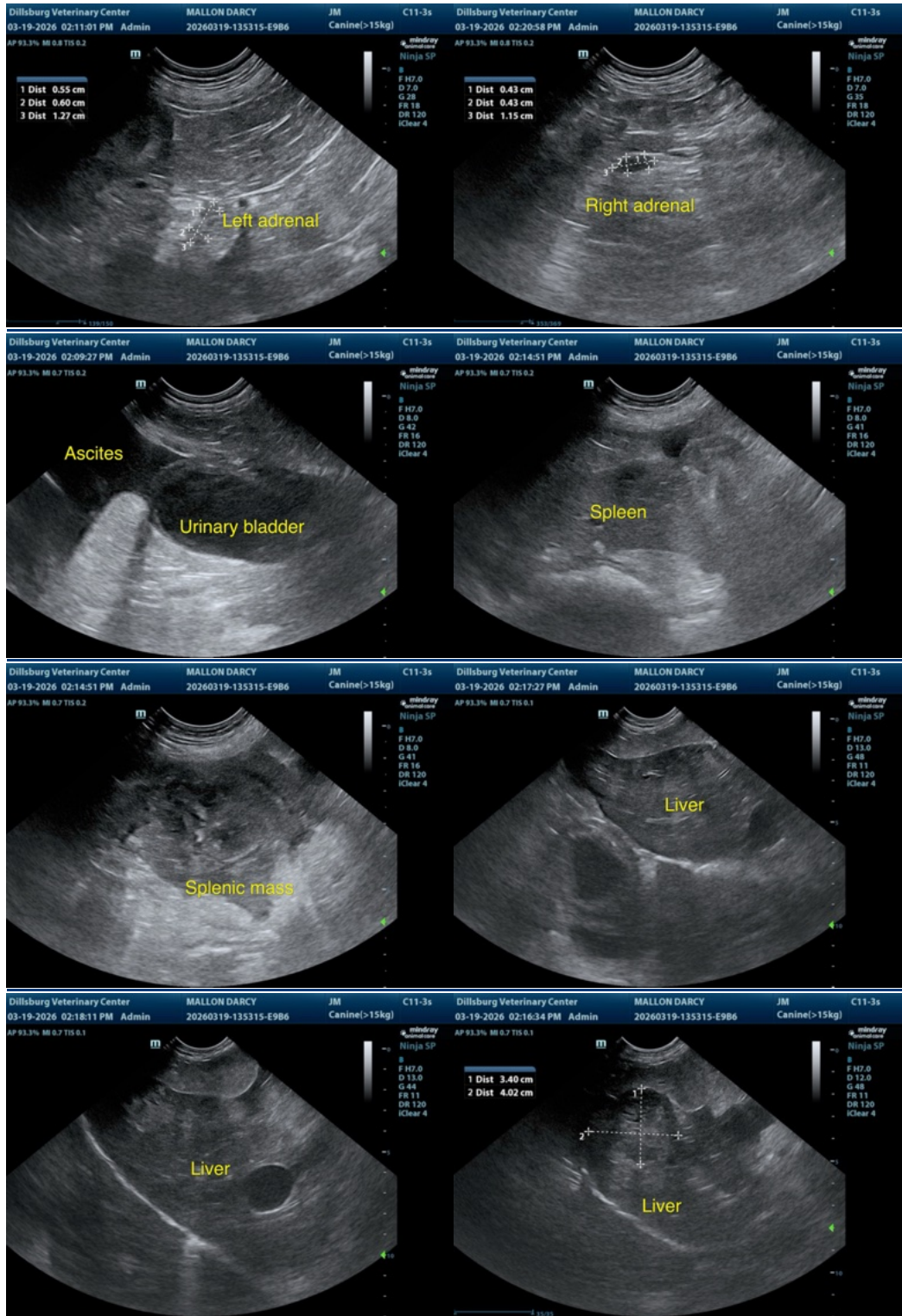
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referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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