



PATIENT

Finn Mackenzie

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

DSH

SEX

Neutered Male

AGE

9 Years

WEIGHT

3.89 kg

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

9yo CM DSH w/ chronic weight loss, diarrhea, and vomiting. Minimal improvement with exclusive diet trial w/ hydrolyzed protein diet. Chem17/lytes/T4 WNL. B12 and UA pending

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

Full urinary bladder with containing 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, 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 left kidney measured 3.6 cm in length. The right kidney measured 3.8 cm in length. Normal color flow pattern is evident in both kidneys.

Adrenal Glands

Normal shape, echogenic appearance, size, position, and appearance of the visible peri-adrenal vasculature. The left adrenal gland measured 0.26 cm in width.

The right adrenal gland is not clearly visualized but appears to be of normal shape, echogenic appearance and size.

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 1.0 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

Full gallbladder 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



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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.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Normal ultrasound examination of the abdomen.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

On this ultrasound, there's no obvious etiology for the presenting clinical signs. Although the GI tract appears ultrasonographically normal, an underlying enteropathy such as parasitic enteritis and inflammatory bowel disease should still be considered. Dietary hypersensitivity would be an unlikely differential diagnosis.

Further assessment needs to be based on the pending results that could include fecal analysis and endoscopy of the upper GI tract with biopsies. Specific therapy would depend on an etiological diagnosis. Symptomatic management that could be considered would be to continue with the current diet, course of fenbendazole, cobalamin supplementation and possibly a course of prednisolone.

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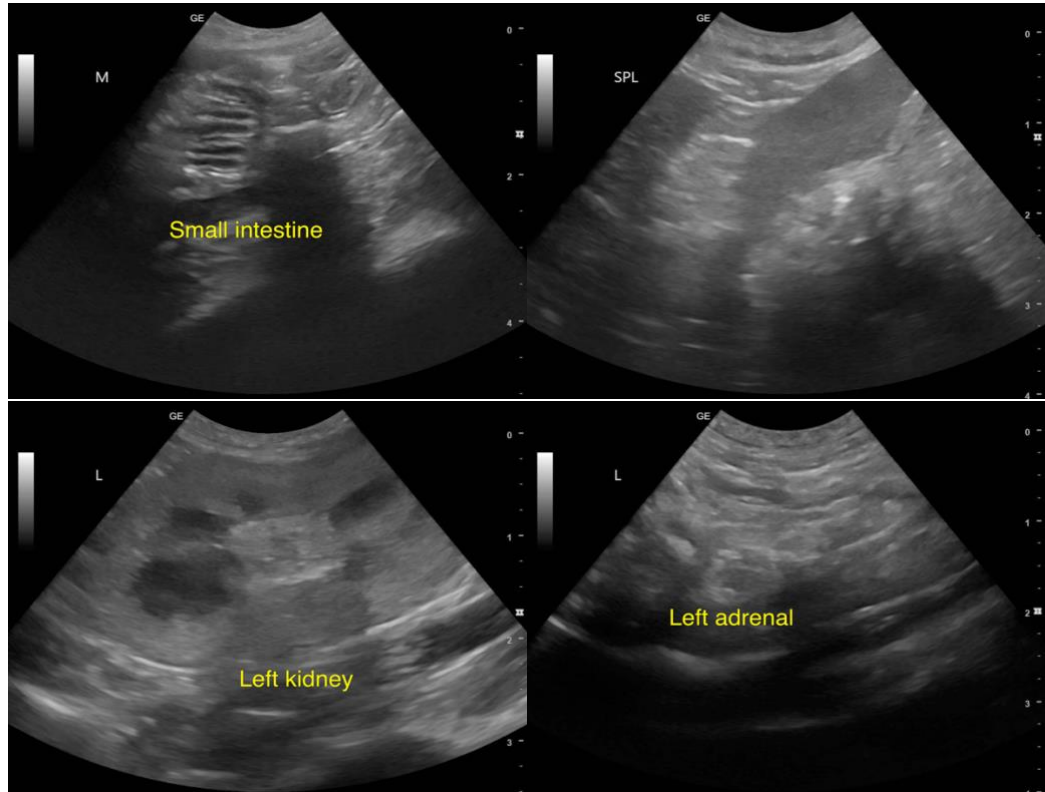
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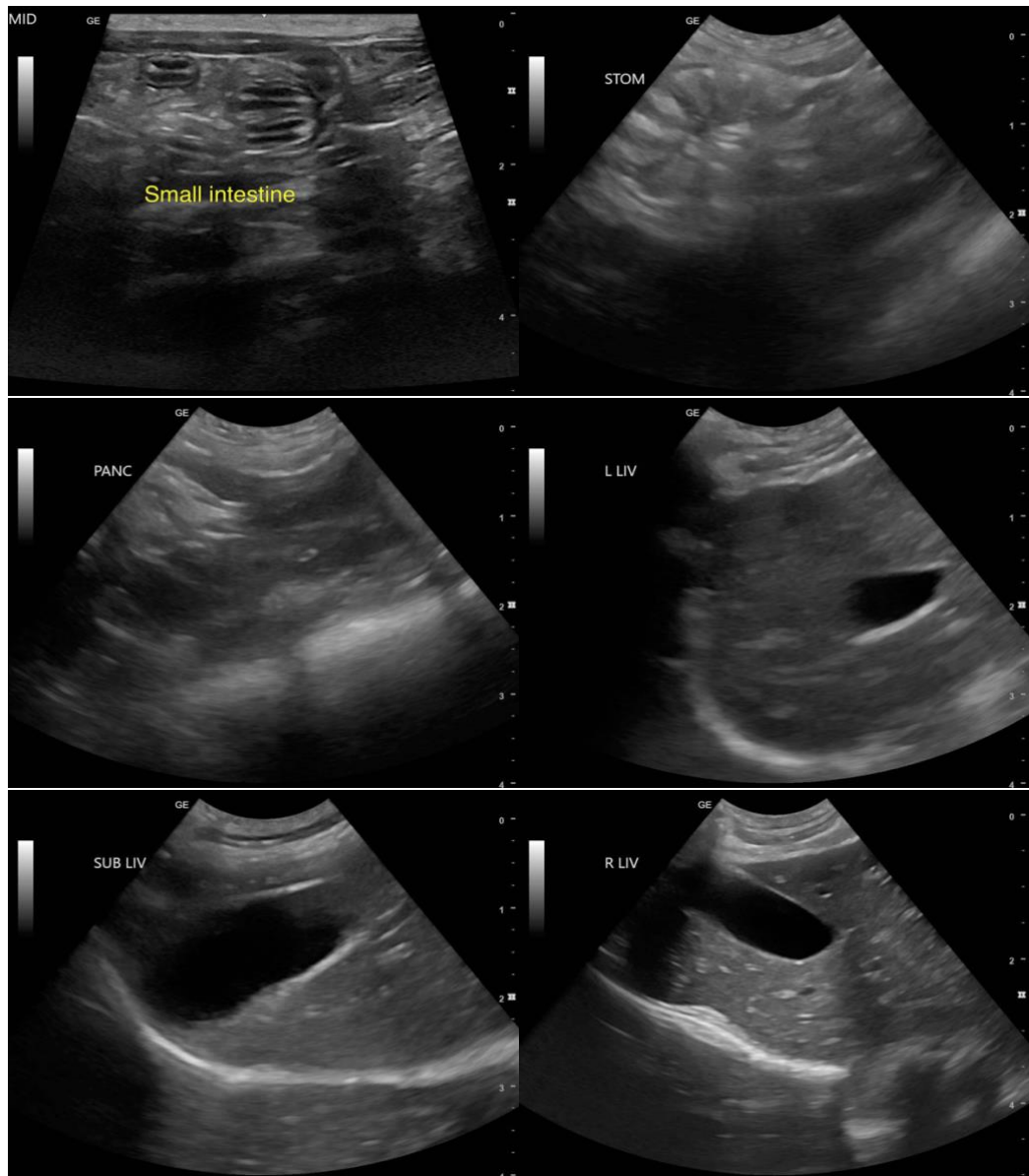
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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