

PATIENT

Waffles Wolfe

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Yorkshire Terrier

SEX

Neutered male

AGE

9 years

WEIGHT

7.8 lbs

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History: H/O recheck at referral center (CARE) for a ruptured anal gland and vet suspected an enlarged prostate. On Vetmedin for heart disease.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: PE: Possible enlarged prostate, thinning of fur on ventral abdomen, BCS 4.5/9 CBC- WNL CHEM- WNL

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

The urinary bladder is full 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 3.6 cm, right measured 3.2 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 prostate is enlarged (for a neutered male) measuring 0.8 x 1.2 cm in size with a hypoechoic appearance and a regular curvilinear capsule. Faint, parenchymal mineralization is present. Normal appearance of the periprostatic tissue.

Adrenal Glands

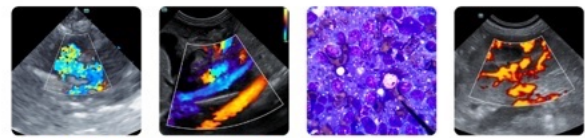
Normal shape, echogenic appearance, size, position, and appearance of the visible peri-adrenal vasculature. Left adrenal gland measured 0.91 cm in length x 0.37 cm and 0.4 cm in width. The right adrenal gland measured 1.65 cm in length x 0.54 cm and 0.58 cm in width.

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 measures 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.



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Gallbladder

The gallbladder is 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. Fecal material was present in the colon.

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.

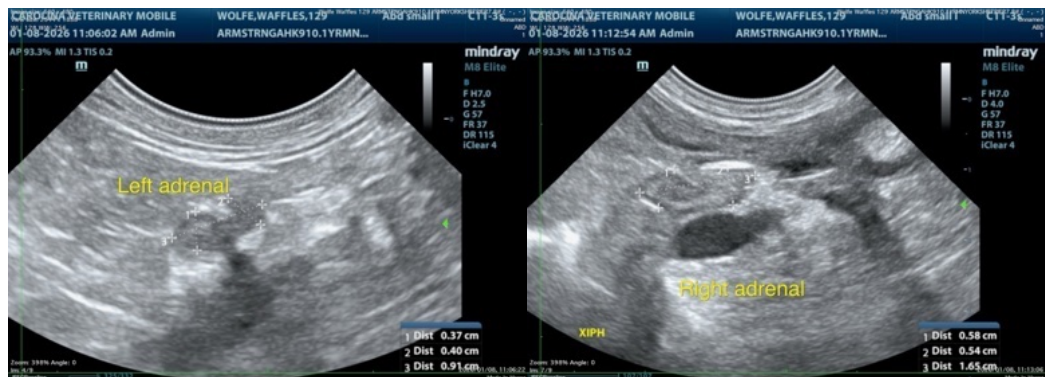
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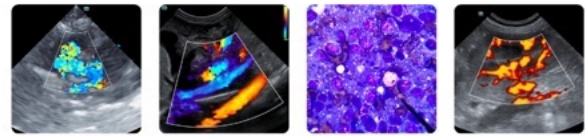
- Prostatomegaly.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Although the appearance of the prostate may be an incidental finding, as this is a neutered male dog, emerging prostatic neoplasia needs to be considered.

Further assessment would be prostatic wash for cytology and culture and possibly BRAF analysis. Specific therapy would be dependent on an etiological diagnosis.





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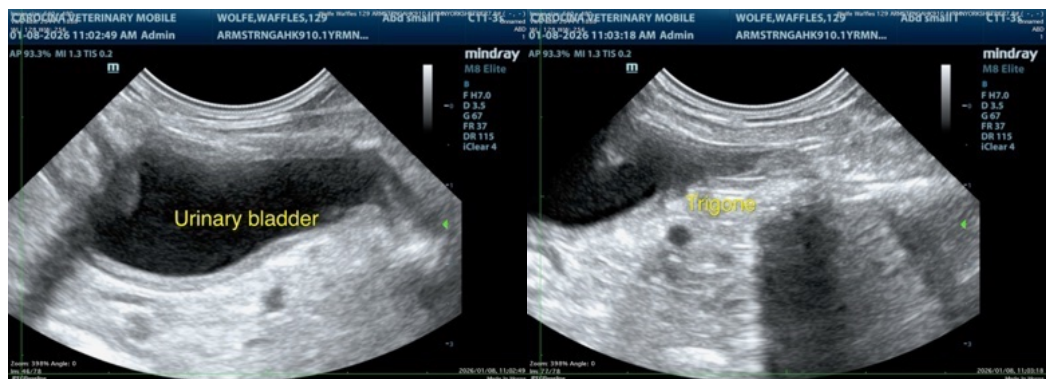
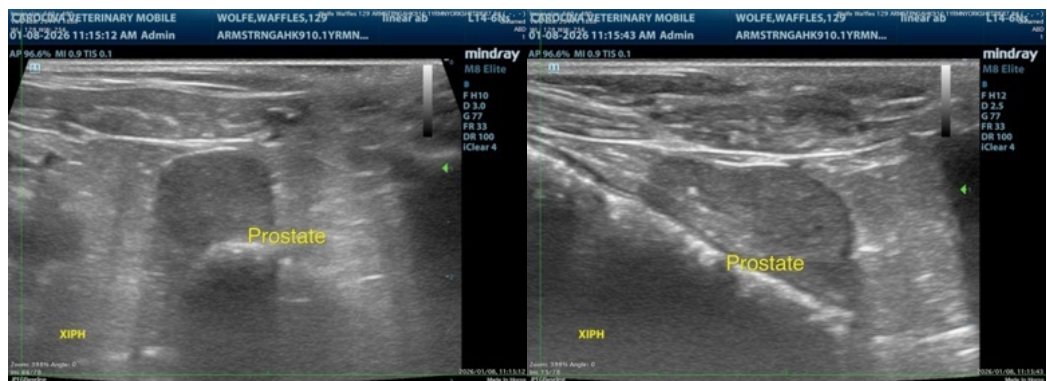
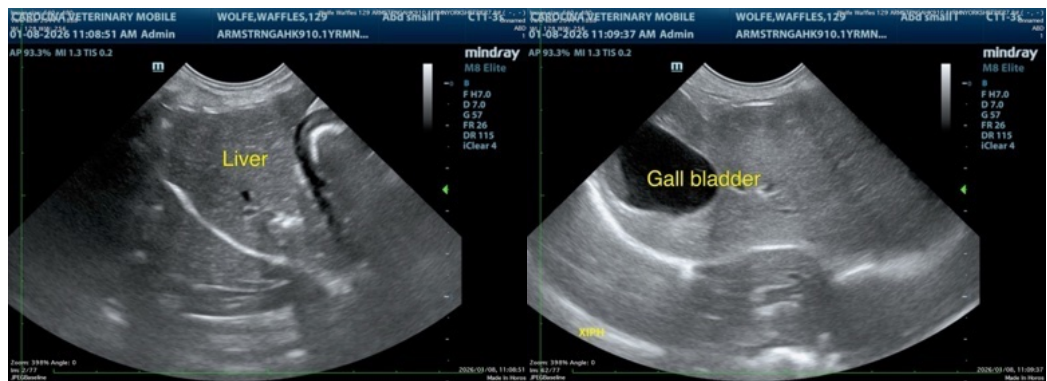
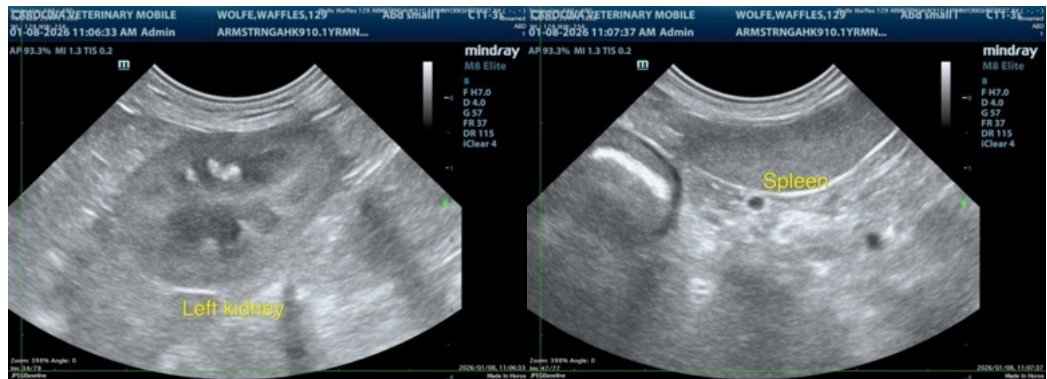
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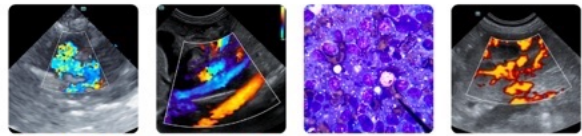
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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