



PATIENT

Kobe Balasingam

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Groodle

SEX

Neutered Male

AGE

2

WEIGHT

32

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History: Right fore lame isolated to shoulder

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ELBOW & SHOULDER JOINTS

The 2nd metacarpal-phalangeal sesamoid bone on the right side presents mild osteophytic reactions and indicates a fractured sesamoid bone without peripheral reactions. The images after contrast application are without particular findings. Relevant degenerative findings and/or an aggressive bone lesion are not noted. There are no signs of a fracture or subluxation. The displayed parts of the paws, metacarpal bones including the sesamoid bones and carpal joints are inconspicuous apart from that.

Both elbow joints look normal with well-defined bone surfaces and without signs of a fracture, sub-/luxation or an osteolytic/sclerotic process. The periarticular soft tissues are in expected normal limits.

Both shoulder joints present a normal caudal humeral head. The bicipital groove is inconspicuous with a normal origin and course of the biceps tendon. The insertion of the infra- und supraspinatus muscles are unremarkable. There is no overt evidence of joint effusion. There is subtle atrophy of the right shoulder muscles noted compared to the left side. The periarticular soft tissues and the brachial plexus are laterally symmetrical, the displayed spine shows no evidence of a compressive lesion.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Subtle degenerative findings 2nd metacarpal-phalangeal sesamoid bone right metacarpus
- Subtle atrophy right shoulder muscles

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The CT findings do not explain the reported patient's history. The findings of the right second metacarpal-phalangeal sesamoid bone are chronic and degenerative findings and do not show evidence of an active inflammatory or reactive process.

The subtle atrophy of the right shoulder muscles still could represent an artificial finding due to uneven positioning. I cannot see a lateralized compression of the spinal cord and/or the peripheral nerves as well as lesions within the brachial plexus that would explain neurologic malfunction. Furthermore, inflammatory changes or an aggressive lesion at the level of the right shoulder joint are not noted. For further differentiation, a complementary ultrasound of the right shoulder could be performed next to evaluate the biceps tendon and the medial joint compartment.



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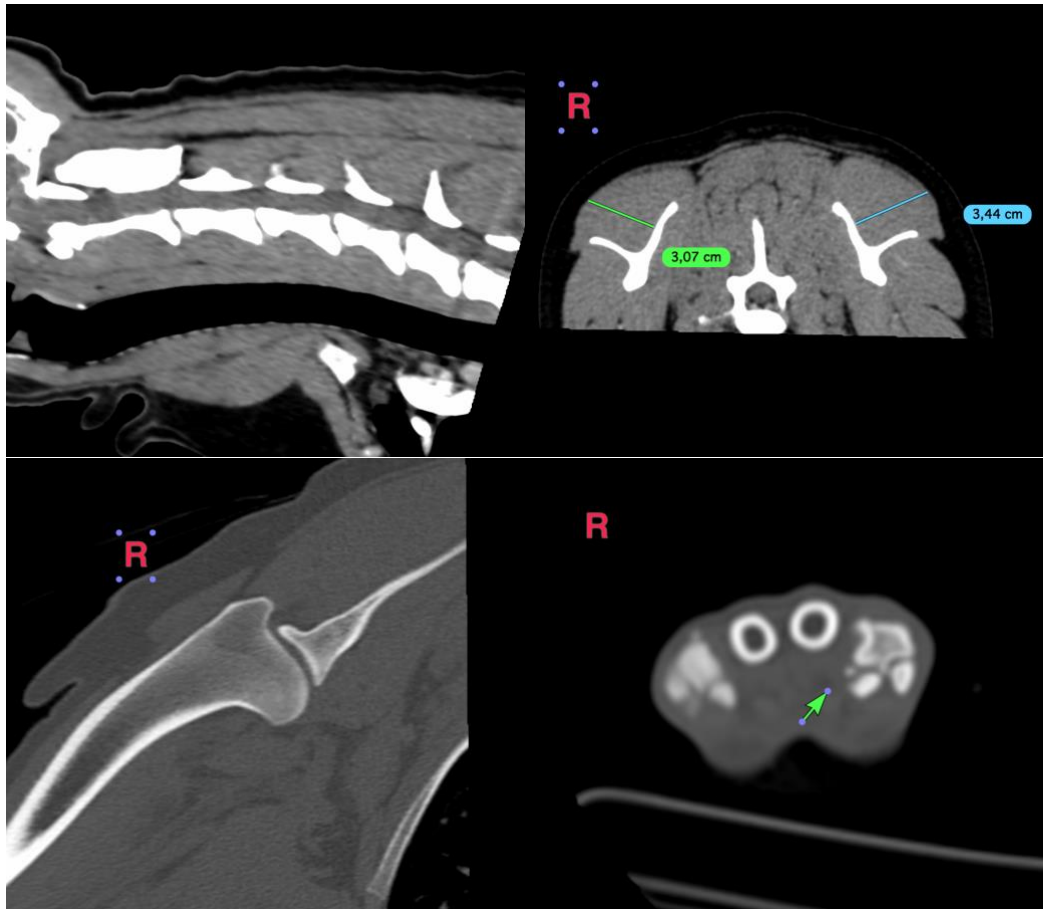
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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