



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

**PATIENT** Frankie Rodriguez **PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS** History of chronic intermittent GI signs. Presented 4/20 for severe hematochezia. On a sensitive stomach diet, does not get any human food except chicken and rice when GI signs flare up.

**SPECIES** Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: slow CRT, frank blood on rectal, PE otherwise normal evidence of dehydration on bloodwork, otherwise WNL. (History of elevated Creatinine ~2.0, but 1.3 on 4/20)  
Canine

**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN**

**BREED** The liver shows normal findings in terms of size, surface, shape and contrast behavior. The gallbladder is inconspicuous without evidence of cholestasis. The common bile duct is considered to be normal.  
Lab Mix  
The pancreas presents normal size and shape with a smooth surface. The peripancreatic fat tissue and omentum are inconspicuous.

**SEX** Neutered Male  
The spleen shows normal findings in terms of size, surface, shape and contrast behavior. Unremarkable presentation of the bilaterally symmetrical kidneys. Adrenal glands are in normal limits.

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As far as can be assessed, the stomach and all parts of intestine present a mildly and subjectively thickened wall and mildly fluid filled loops (small intestine and colon). A focal mass is not recognized. There are no signs of an obstructive or functional ileus. The mesenteric lymph nodes are mildly enlarged showing a regular shape, periphery and contrast uptake.

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Ureters, urinary bladder, trigonum and urethra are presented as expected. There is no evidence of cystic calculi.

The abdominal vessels have no particular findings. Signs of peritoneal/retroperitoneal effusion or free gas are not recognized.

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**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Signs of an unspecific, inflammatory process of the intestines
- Mild mesenteric lymph adenomegaly

**REFERRING VET**

Nikki D'Anna

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

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CT findings are unspecific but likely present an active and chronic inflammatory process. Assessment of the wall layering is not possible with CT, abdominal ultrasound/endoscopy and ultrasound guided FNA of the mesenteric lymph nodes could be the next diagnostic steps if clinical symptoms do not improve with empiric therapy. These should help to differentiate erosive gastritis/enteritis from other forms of inflammation (IBD: eosinophilic/lympho-plasmocytic enteritis) and lymphoma/mast cell tumor. The latter are very unlikely and not suspected.

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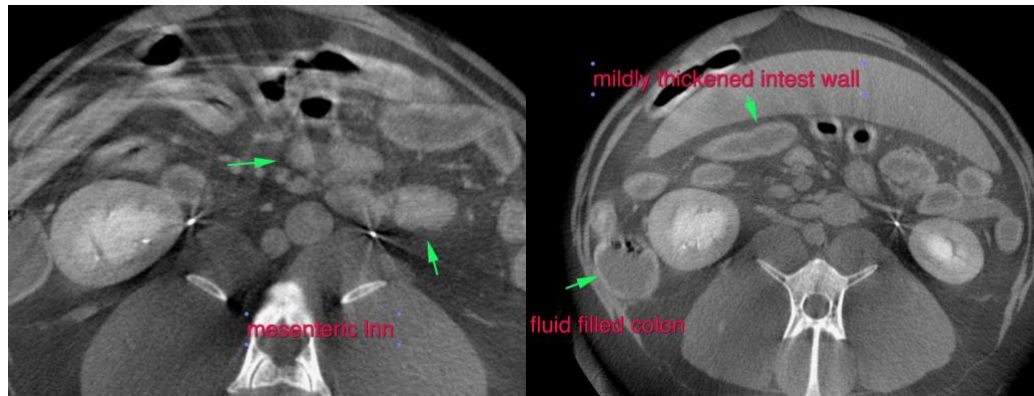
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**SEX**

Neutered Male

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

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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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