



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Ayla Thompson History: Has had previous CT in August 2018, invoice #59091. Recurrent sneezing and snorting that still won't go away. No discharge from nose, hx of pyothorax and lung lobectomy. Rhinoscopy done on 09/01/2021 looked normal.

SPECIES COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE HEAD

Canine

The neurocranium shows normal findings. Bony structures of skull and the skull foramina of the cranial nerves are laterally symmetrical and inconspicuous.

BREED

German Shepherd

The right tympanic bulla shows mild accumulation of fluid. The bulla wall is inconspicuous. The left bulla presents similar findings but less obvious.

SEX

Female

External ear canals are ventilated in all sections, walls of the external ear canals and the adjacent temporomandibular joints have no particular findings. There is mild pooling of fluid in the nasopharyngeal meatus noted. The soft palate is shortened (after surgery?) and markedly thickened.

AGE

3 Years

Frontal sinuses and the orbital contents are laterally symmetrical without evidence of a retrobulbar lesion. Nasal cavities are ventilated regularly with mild atrophy of the caudal section of the ventral nasal conches.

Post contrast images show no pathological enhancement. Soft tissues of the head and neck are symmetrical and of homogeneous density, especially the medial retropharyngeal lymph nodes.

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COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Signs of a bilateral and unspecific, chronic rhinitis
- Moderate hyperplasia of the shortened soft palate
- Mild signs of a bilateral otitis media more right than left

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

CT findings show no signs of a neoplastic or a severe inflammatory process. Findings must be correlated with the clinical presentation. I assume there could be pharyngeal discharge due to the hyperplastic soft palate. Findings of the nasal cavities and the tympanic bullae are more chronic issues likely due to chronic lympho-plasmocytic inflammation/infection/insufficient mucous clearance.

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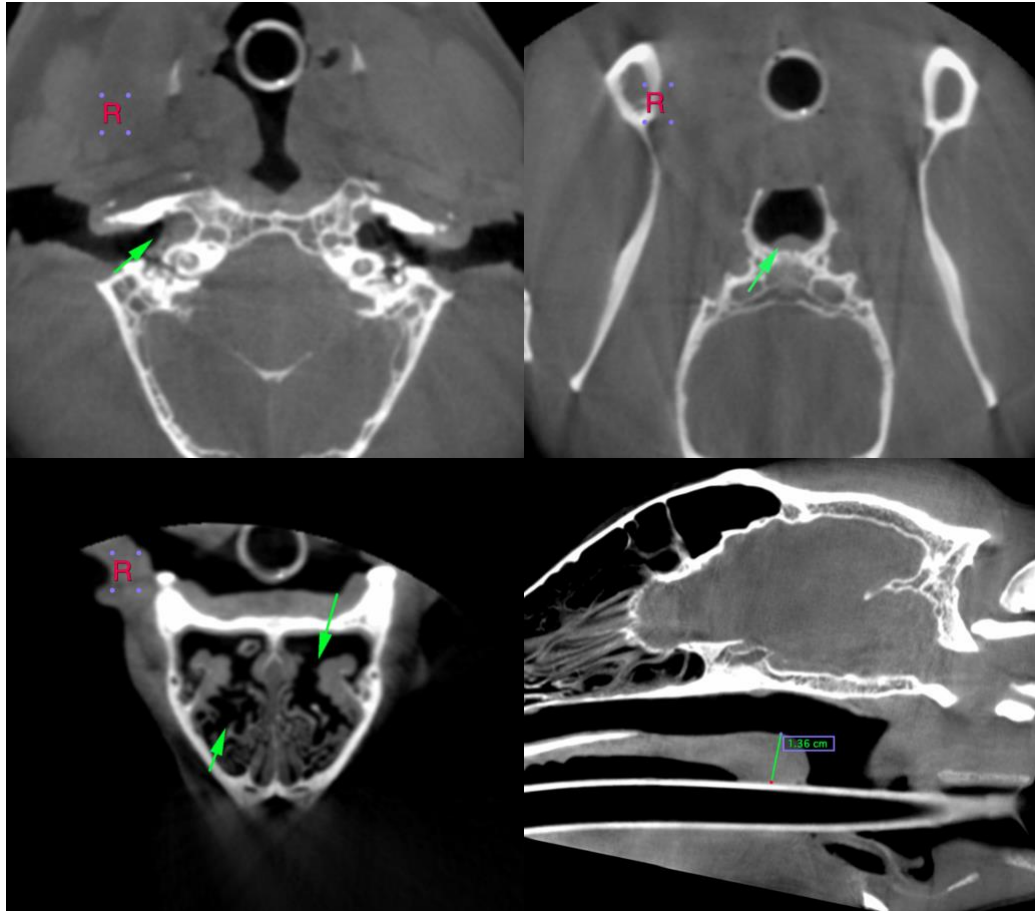
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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