



PATIENT

Mila Anderson

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

history of weak hind end and tensed abdomen
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: unremarkable

SPECIES

Canine

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN

Radiographs of the abdomen in three imaging planes are provided for review.

BREED

Rottweiler

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Multifocal spondylosis formation – ventral and lateral – is seen along the lumbar spine. Mineral opaque material is superimposed on the ventral aspect of the neuroforamina T13/L1, L2/L3, L4/L5 and L5/L6.

No abnormalities of the extraabdominal soft tissues are noted. The abdominal wall is smooth and thin.

SEX

Female Spayed

The serosal detail is maintained throughout the peritoneal and retroperitoneal space.

The liver is appropriate in position, size and presents uniform opacity.

AGE

13 Years

The splenic head is in the anticipated position and within normal limits for size and opacity. The splenic body and tail are considered normal for position, size, shape and opacity.

Both kidneys are seen and present with normal size, shape, delineation and opacity. The urinary bladder is in its anticipated position. No radiopaque calculi are noted throughout the upper and lower urinary tract.

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The stomach is in its anticipated position and moderately distended by fluid and foamy material.

The small intestinal loops are of even diameter and non-dilated, a small amount of gas is seen within the small intestinal loops and considered within normal limits.

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The colon is seen in the expected position and presents with appropriate content.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Moderate fluid filled stomach.
- Mineralized material superimposed on the neuroforamen T13/L1, L2/L3, L4/L5 and L5/L6
- Spondylosis deformans

REFERRING VET

Dr. Boctor

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The fluid & chymus distended stomach can be a sequela to recent food and water intake, or is suggestive for gastric emptying disorder – e.g. secondary to stress, pain, pancreatitis, gastritis or also mechanical outflow obstruction (considered less likely).

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The lumbar spine presents with multiple degenerative changes. The mineralized material superimposed on the ventral aspect of multiple neuroforamina can be caused by the lateral spondylosis formation or presents mild protrusion of mineralized disc material.

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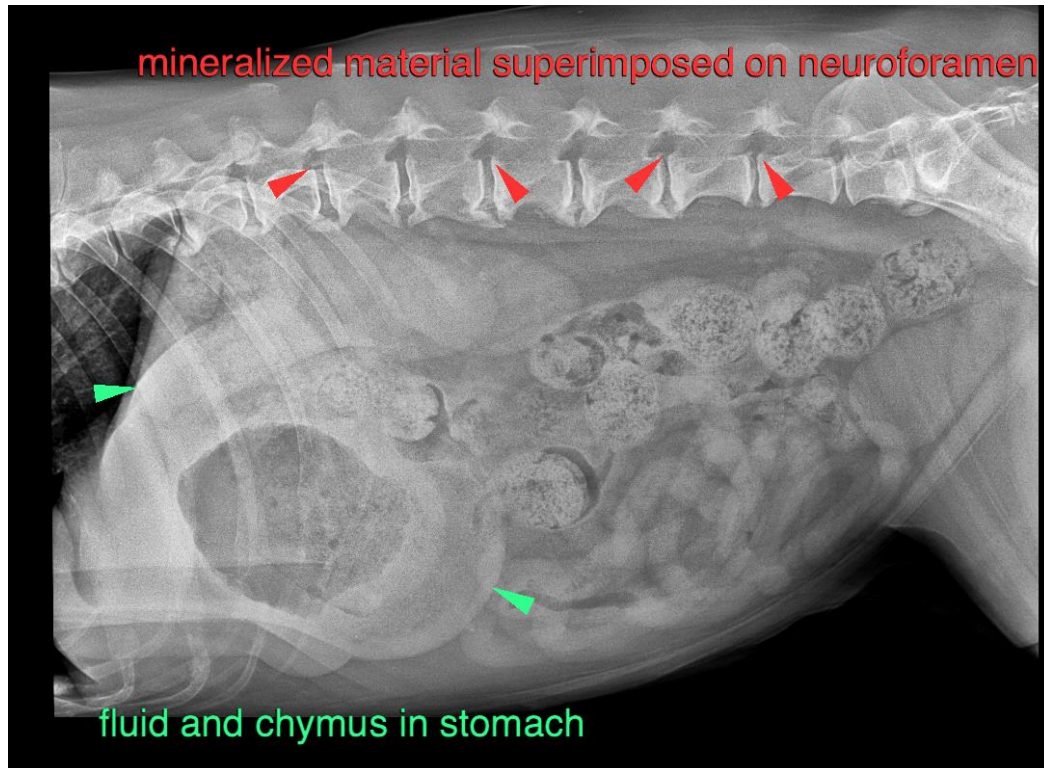
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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