



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Cooper Second Chance rescue  
 History: weight bearing lameness on the left hind leg, thickened left stifle joint, MPL grade IV on the left hind leg

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE STIFLE JOINTS**

**SPECIES**  
 Canine  
 Radiographs of the stifle joints in multiple imaging planes are provided for review.

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

**BREED**  
 Poodle  
 The growth plates are age related open.

**SEX**  
 Neutered Male  
 The osseous and surrounding soft tissue structures of the right stifle joint are within normal limits, there is no evidence of pathological intracapsular swelling. The patella of the right stifle joint is in situ. The left femur presents medial bending of the femoral axis along the diaphysis, most of the femoral projections present the femur in a rotated position. The patella of the left stifle joint is located medial to the medial femoral condyle. Pronation of the tibia is appreciated.

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

**AGE**  
 11 Weeks  

- Suspect left sided femoral varus and genu varus
- Left sided medial patellar luxation
- Secondary pronation of the left tibia
- Normal right stifle joint

**INTERPRETED BY INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

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 The radiographic study is suggestive for axial deviation of the left femur with secondary patellar luxation. The patellar luxation likely makes it impossible to get straight craniocaudal projections of the femur. Due to the strong suspicion for underlying complex alteration of the left femoral axis, CT study can be performed for potential surgical planning (e.g. correction osteotomy).

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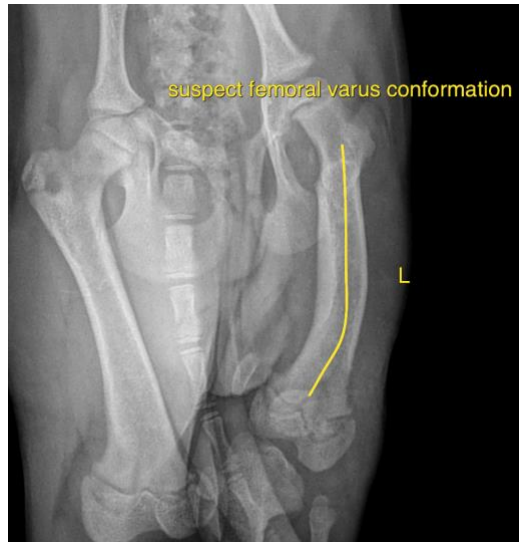
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**The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.**

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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