



**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

**PATIENT**

Rey Mahr

History: Played hard on Wednesday 10/13. Thursday 10/14 running odd. By the end of Thursday could barely walk and vomited up food. Friday morning barely able to walk. Vomited food this morning. Lethargic. DVM: SLIGHTLY TENSE ON PALPATION. No masses, no organomegaly. Rectal examination MOSTLY EMPTY, SMALL AMOUNT OF SOFT STOOL ON THE GLOVE. Ambulatory X 4 BUT WITH HUNCHED POSTURE, SMALLER STEPS WITH THE HINDLIMBS, AND WANTS TO SIT DOWN. LUMBAR/LUMBOSACRAL PAIN. Limb palpation is normal. No loss of proprioception. Deep pain still present.

**SPECIES**

Canine

**BREED**

German Shepherd

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results:

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN**

Radiographs of the abdomen in two imaging planes and a lateral projection centered on the lumbar spine are provided for review.

**SEX**

Spayed Female

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

The vertebral endplates of the lumbosacral junction present mild spondylosis formation. The remainder of the lumbar spine are within normal limits.

**AGE**

4 Year 6 Months

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

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

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

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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 presents normal content.

**REFERRING VET**

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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.

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

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**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Mild spondylosis formation lumbosacral junction
- Normal abdomen

**DATE**

10/15/21



## INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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The radiographic study of the abdomen and the lumbar spine presents without clinically relevant abnormalities. There is no evidence of radiopaque foreign material or signs for gastrointestinal mechanical obstruction.

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If neurological clinical signs deteriorate cross-sectional imaging of the spine should be considered.

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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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