



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Baby Hoover History: Weak, unable to use hind limbs.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results:

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Feline

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE LUMBAR SPINE**

Radiographs of the lumbar spine in two imaging planes are provided for review.

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**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

DSH

The intervertebral disc space L7/S1 is collapsed, and the subchondral bone of the respective vertebral endplates presents moderate sclerosis.

**SEX**

The remainder of the lumbar spine are within normal limits.

Spayed Female

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

**AGE**

- Chronic discopathy L7/S1

9/1/2012

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

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The clinical relevance of the chronic discopathy of the lumbosacral intervertebral disc for the current clinical signs is questionable. No additional abnormalities of the lumbar spine can be appreciated. In case of strong clinical suspicion for underlying neuropathy, cross-sectional imaging (CT or MRI) can be used as an advanced imaging modality. Rule out pathology not associated with pathology originating from the spine, such as cardiac disease with deep thrombus formation in the hind limbs, diabetes, hypokalemia.

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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.**



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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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