



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Odin Hall LPL paresis/ataxia 5 days duration. Does not appear painful.
 Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: PL ataxia, LPL paresis, CP absent on the left, present but sluggish on the right, withdrawal, anal tone, tail tone and spinal reflexes WNL.

SPECIES COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY OF THE THORACIC & LUMBAR SPINE

Canine A high resolution pre- and post-contrast CT study of the thoracic & lumbar spine is provided for review.

BREED COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

French Bulldog THE LAST RIB BEARING VERTEBRA IS COUNTED AS T13.
 T6 to T12 present as hemivertebra.

SEX Multiple intervertebral discs of the thoracic and lumbar spine present mild central mineralization of the intervertebral discs.

MN Level with the intervertebral disc spaces L3/L4 and L4/L5 mild protrusion of the intervertebral discs is seen, distorting the ventral epidural space at the same level.

AGE The intervertebral disc L7/S1 is protruding into the vertebral canal, occupying approximately 30% of the cross-sectional area of the vertebral canal at the same level.

2 Years, 5 Months S1 presents as hemivertebra.

INTERPRETED BY COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

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- Intervertebral disc protrusion L2/L3 and L3/L4 with possible dynamic myelocompression
- Degenerative lumbosacral stenosis with likely dynamic compression of the cauda equina fibers
- Multiple hemivertebra
- Multifocal chondroid disc degeneration
- Spondylosis deformans

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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The current CT study of the thoracic & lumbar spine presents no specific abnormality, explaining the paraparesis. The appreciated intervertebral disc protrusions are considered unlikely to be related with neurological deficits but can be a source for pain. A myelographic CT study can be used to rule out extrusion of isoattenuating disc material entirely. Differentials for the presenting clinical signs can include ischemic myelopathy or acute non-compressive intervertebral disc extrusion.

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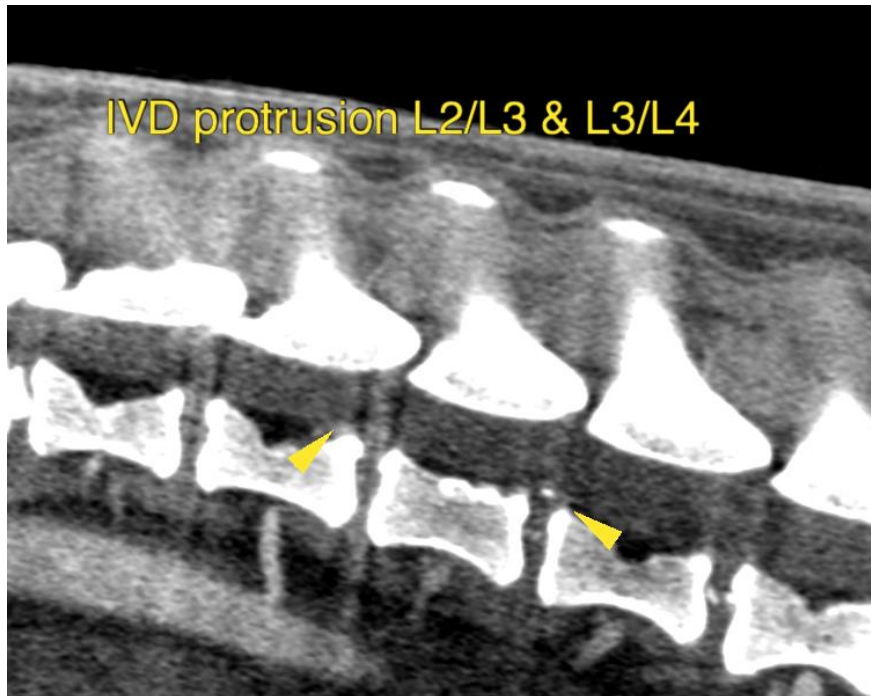
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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