



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Logan Zuniga RH leg holding up, no weight on leg since surgery O notices his hips moving differently, possibly due to the hip dysplasia Erythema, small subcut mass on ventral chest, crepitation on R stifle

SPECIES RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE PELVIS AND STIFLE JOINTS

Canine A complete set of radiographs of the pelvis and the stifle joints are provided for review.

BREED RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Pit Bull Mix Both coxofemoral joints present moderate osteophyte new bone formation. The subchondral bone of the craniolateral acetabular rim presents a moderate sclerosis laterally. The centered of the femoral heads is lateral to the dorsal acetabular rim.

SEX The volume of the soft tissue shadow of the right thigh musculature is moderately decreased.

Male The patella of the right stifle joint is superimposed on the medial femoral condyle.

AGE A metal opaque cramp is superimposed on the craniolateral aspect of the proximal tibial epiphysis. A drill-hole is seen at the caudoproximal aspect of the right tibial tuberosity. The right stifle joint presents a moderate intracapsular soft tissue swelling, effacing the infrapatellar fat-pad cranially. The popliteal sesamoid bone of the right stifle joint is in a distal position. The soft tissue shadow of the right popliteal lymph node is moderately enlarged and rounded. The periarticular bone of the right stifle joint present moderate osteophyte new bone formation.

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The left stifle joint presents with two metal opaque cramps in the same position like on the right stifle joint.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- History of extracapsular surgical repair of cranial cruciate ligament failure both stifle joints
- Moderate to marked articular swelling right stifle joint
- Mild degenerative osteoarthritis right stifle joint
- Lymphadenopathy right popliteal lymph node
- Possible right medial patellar luxation
- Disuse atrophy right thigh musculature
- Degenerative osteoarthritis coxofemoral joints bilaterally, due to hip dysplasia

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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The articular swelling in combination with the enlarged popliteal lymph node is concerning for arthritis and infectious or immune mediated causes need to be ruled out by synovial tap. Consider FNA sampling of the right popliteal lymph node as well.

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Check if the medial patellar luxation can be confirmed by the clinical examination as it might be a source for the lameness as well. Meniscal pathology can be a source for the described clinical signs as well.



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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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