

PATIENT

Tazz Eichstedt

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Border Collie

SEX

Neutered Male

AGE

5 Years 2 Months

WEIGHT

43.2

INTERPRETED BY

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Healing Spirit Anima
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REFERRING VET

Dr. Sarah Green

INVOICE

35716

DATE

11/29/25

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History of jumping up abruptly from a recumbent position, turning to look back. Transient neuropathic pain suspected. Otherwise, active dog participating in agility and frisbee.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Resists extension of the right hip, reactive to palpation of the right ilipsoas insertion. Trigger points present in the left cranial lumbar paraspinal muscles.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORACIC AND LUMBAR SPINE

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

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

THE LAST RIB BEARING VERTEBRA IS COUNTED AS T13.

The osseous and soft tissue structures of the thoracic and lumbar spine – including the sacrum – are unremarkable. The dural tube presents the expected diameter and attenuation behavior throughout.

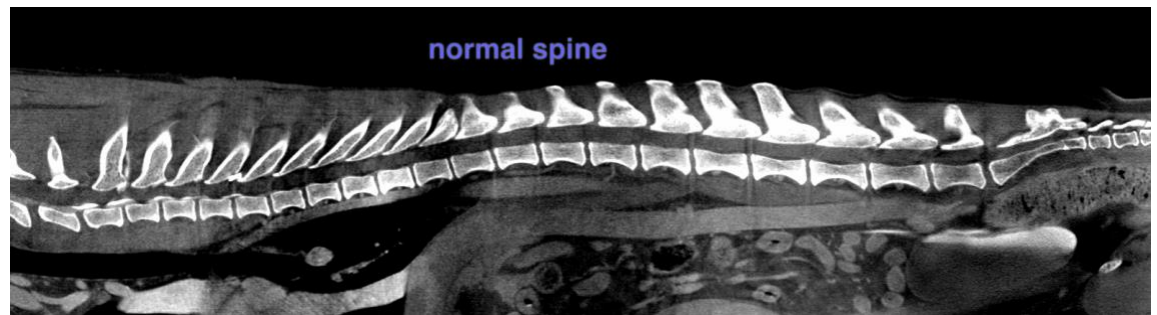
The axial musculature along the thoracic and lumbar spine reveals no abnormalities.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Normal thoracic spine
- Normal lumbar spine

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The CT study of the spine reveals no abnormalities and an underlying cause for the presenting clinical signs cannot be specified. If there is strong clinical suspicion for underlying pathology of the muscular system, workup can be complemented by an MRI study.



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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