



PATIENT

Finley Mann

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

Domestic Shorthair

SEX

Male Neutered

AGE

7Y, 11M, 27D

WEIGHT

16.40lbs

INTERPRETED BY

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

10/24/2025: Reason for Visit: Suspected nasopharyngeal polyp, noisy breathing. History: Owner reports Finley was seen for sinus symptoms and persistent loud breathing that did not resolve with allergy medication. History of sneezing blood prior to onset of a head tilt, which resolved after medication. Owner notes Finley leans to the side and has noisy, loud breathing described as similar to gagging, with concern for possible nasopharyngeal polyp based on a previous cat's history. Owner reports past dental procedures with all upper teeth removed and history of tooth resorption. Ears previously required cleaning but were reported as improved at last veterinary visit. No information provided regarding current diet or preventatives.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: PE: Fear/Anxiety/Stress Score: 2/5 - Nervous, cooperative for exam.; Ears: AU: Large amount of waxiness.; Nose/Throat: Stertor to almost stridor noise on tracheal and throat auscultation; Oral Cavity: Missing all upper teeth.; Respiratory: Stertor to almost stridor noise on tracheal and throat auscultation.; Chem: Potassium 3.4; CBC: WNL

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY OF THE SKULL

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

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

All teeth but triadan 301-304 and 401-404 are absent.

The nasal cavity presents the expected aerated spaces between thin & even conchae and turbinates with smooth mucosal lining.

Both temporomandibular joints present congruent joint spaces with even subchondral bone surfaces and are considered within normal limits.

The right tympanic bulla is filled with soft tissue attenuating material, and the osseous wall is thickened and mildly irregular. The osseous segment of the right Eustachian tube is dilated and a polypoid irregular marginated soft tissue attenuating structure is protruding from the orifice of the right Eustachian tube into the nasopharynx. The external ear canals are within normal limits.

The brain presents no deviation from normal anatomy and symmetry. The brain parenchyma is homogeneous and within normal limits for attenuation and distribution of contrast enhancement. The ventricular system is non-dilated and symmetric.

The medial retropharyngeal lymph nodes are prominent.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Right sided chronic otitis media with inflammatory polyp formation and partial upper airway obstruction
- Lymphadenopathy medial retropharyngeal lymph nodes – reactive lymphoid hyperplasia
- Multiple absent teeth

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The CT study confirms the diagnosis of right sided inflammatory nasopharyngeal polyp due to chronic otitis media – removal of the polyp using traction technique along with ventral bulla osteotomy may be beneficial.



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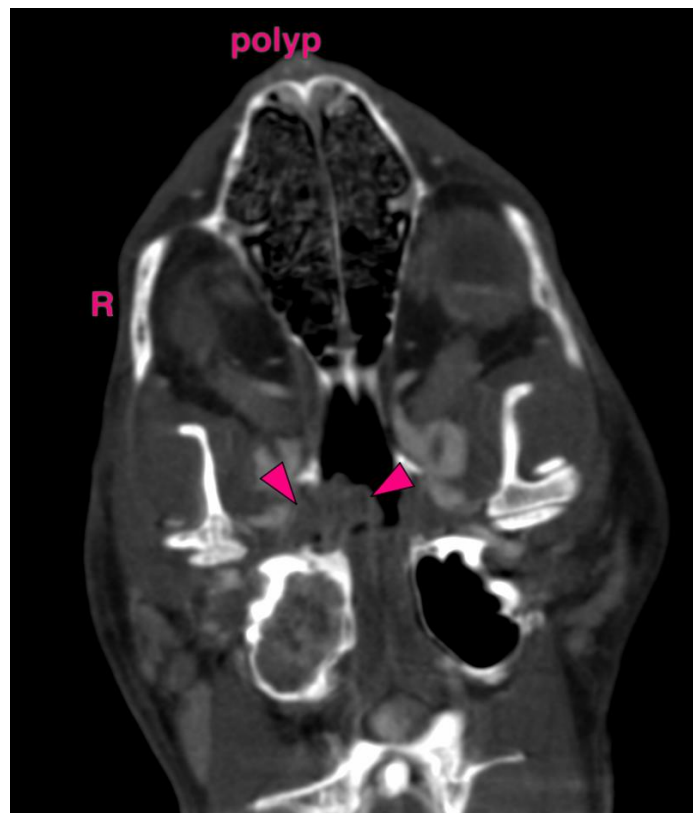
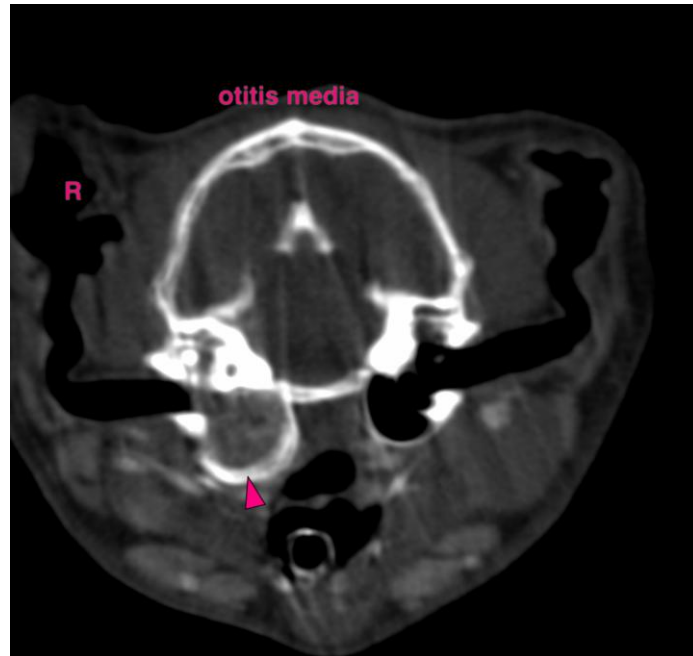
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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