

**PATIENT**

Shaggy Sagardia

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Presented for evaluation of both hindlimbs. O noticed that pt started to walk abnormally on both hindlimbs (bunny hopping). This started about a week ago. No hx of obvious trauma or hits. Was sent home with Rimadyl and activity restriction.

SPECIES

Canine

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: PE: no obvious limping when walking but some minimal bunny hopping when trouting and running. The m/s did not show any major abnormalities on both hindlimbs except for mild discomfort on right hip extension. No cranial drawer, or muscle atrophy, Rest of PE was wnl.

BREED

Australian Shepherd

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE PELVIS

Radiographs of the pelvis in two orthogonal imaging planes are provided for review.

SEX

Male

The growth plates are age related open.

The osseous and surrounding soft tissue structures of the pelvis are within normal limits. Both coxofemoral joints present smooth osseous margins and congruent joint spaces.

AGE

19 Weeks

- Normal pelvis

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study of the pelvis presents without abnormalities, explaining the described clinical signs. Check clinically for signs of patellar luxation. Bunny hopping can be also related to a malformation of the spinal cord (split cord malformation) and neurological consult can be considered if clinical signs are refractory to empirical therapy and underlying orthopedic disease can be ruled out entirely.

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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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