



PATIENT

Kaia Cramm

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Doberman

SEX

FS

AGE

3Y

WEIGHT

70lbs

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Kaia presents for recurrent swelling outside the left ear canal

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY OF THE SKULL

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

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The tooth element 305 is absent. A supernumerary triadan 105, 311 and 411 is present.

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.

Both tympanic bullae are aerated, the mucosal lining is not seen, the bony wall is smooth and thin. The external ear canals are within normal limits.

In the subcutaneous tissue at the lateral aspect of the left external ear canal, an ill-defined, uniform soft tissue attenuating and heterogeneous contrast enhancing swelling is seen – presenting a crater like defect of the cutaneous surface. The subcutaneous swelling lateral to the right external ear canal is measuring approximately 4.0 x 1.5 x 4.9 cm.

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 left mandibular lymph nodes and left medial retropharyngeal lymph node are mildly prominent.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Subcutaneous – suspect ulcerated – swelling lateral to right external ear canal without associated with the underlying anatomical structures
- Mild lymphadenopathy left mandibular lymph nodes and left medial retropharyngeal lymph node
- Absent triadan 305
- Supernumerary triadan 105, 311 and 411

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The subcutaneous soft tissue swelling along the left ear canal is concerning for granuloma formation – possible due to foreign body (no foreign material is appreciated, but isoattenuating material can be missed). FNA sampling/biopsy can be performed for confirmation and to rule out neoplastic transformation. Ultrasound of the swelling can be performed to screen for foreign material not appreciated by CT.



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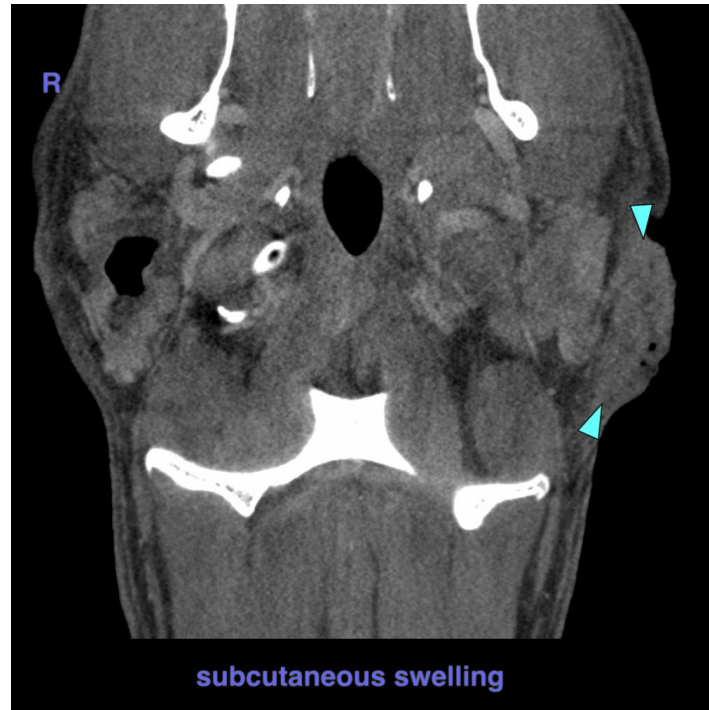
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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