

**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Aria Collins History: Monday she came inside limping and her right front limb was swollen. She hasn't been putting pressure on it. Owners did not hear anything or see any accidents.

**SPECIES** Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: LONG NAILS RF III/V LAME, SWOLLEN CARPUS, NO LAXITY, PAIN ON LIMITED ROM EXTENSION AND FLEXION. INFLAMMED CAUDOVENTRAL ABDOMEN MILD TARTAR, WORN TEETH  
Canine

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE CARPAL JOINTS****BREED**

Boxer Mix

Radiographs of the carpal joints in multiple imaging planes are provided for review.

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS****SEX**

Spayed Female

The right carpal joint presents with a moderate, circumferential soft tissue swelling, most accentuated in the lateral and dorsal aspect of the carpal joint and palmar aspect of the metacarpal region. The osseous structures of the right carpal joint present without abnormalities.

**AGE**

6 Years 5 Months

The left accessory carpal bone presents with mild enthesophyte formation at the distal aspect.

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Periarticular soft tissue swelling right carpal joint
- Mild enthesophyte formation distal aspect left accessory carpal bone

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The radiographic study is fitting the history of periarticular swelling along the right carpal joint, an underlying cause cannot be specified. The swelling appears to be extracapsular, and potentials can include trauma, inflammation or due to the acute onset far less likely neoplasia. An intracapsular swelling cannot be ruled out entirely and workup can be complemented by an ultrasound examination to screen for joint effusion or local cavitary lesions within the swelling.

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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.**

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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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