



PATIENT

Ziggy Engel

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History of seizure activity. P jumped off of the couch and appeared to hurt his back, per O. They note that P appears to be uncomfortable when walking ("walks gingerly").
 Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Stiffened gait of the hindlimbs Panniculus reflex and flinching on palpation of the thoracic/T-L junction No apparent loss of proprioception Pain reflex intact

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RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORACIC SPINE

BREED

Chihuahua

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

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The intervertebral disc space T11/T12 is mildly narrowed.

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The remainder of the osseous and surrounding soft tissue structures of the thoracic spine are within normal limit.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

AGE

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- Normal thoracic spine

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The mild narrowing of the intervertebral disc space T11/T12 is suggestive for discopathy ± compressive myelopathy. Consider empirical management by the means of rest and pain-management. If clinical signs are refractory to therapy/deteriorate or neurological deficits develop, cross-sectional imaging of the spine appears beneficial.

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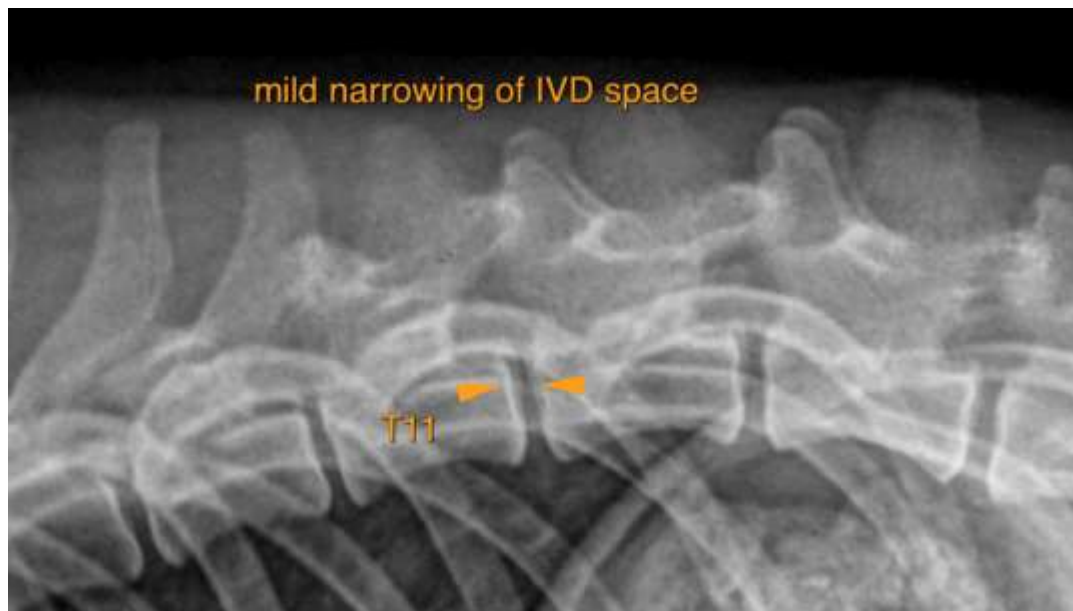
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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