



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Hank Young History: Pet presented for CT evaluation of spine. Concern is for progressive pelvic limb weakness. No appreciable lameness, no proprioceptive deficits and no painful response with spinal palpation noted.

**SPECIES**

Canine

**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE LUMBAR SPINE**

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

**BREED**

Australian Shepherd

**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

The osseous and soft tissue structures of the lumbar spine are within normal limits. The dural tube presents with an even diameter throughout.

**SEX**

Neutered Male

**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Normal lumbar spine

**AGE**

5 Years 7 Months

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The current CT study of the lumbar spine presents without abnormalities, explaining the clinical signs. If there is strong clinical suspicion for compressive myelopathy or intradural lesion, recommend complementing workup by a myelographic CT study or MRI study of the spine. A differential in this case might be degenerative myelopathy.

**INTERPRETED BY**

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**REFERRING VET**

Dr. Borecky

**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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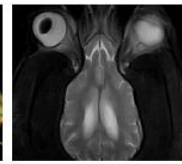
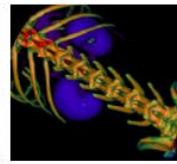
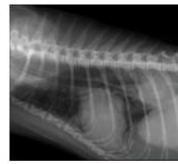
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Thank you for this referral. If the clinical or image interpretation does not parallel your findings or if I can be of any further assistance please contact me.

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