

**PATIENT**

Chaco McDonald

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Chaco likes to rough house with the housemate and Michelle is wondering if his paw or leg is injured. They do play hard and will play bite. The paw is swollen and Michelle says it feels inflamed. He has been laying around and he usually more active.

SPECIES

Feline

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: PAINFUL TO PALPATION OF LEFT HIP AREA NO PAIN WITH PALPATION OF RIGHT FOOT OR LEG

BREED

Himalayan Mix

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE PELVIS AND STIFLE JOINTS

A VD view of the pelvis and radiographs of the stifle joints in two orthogonal imaging planes are provided for review.

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The osseous and surrounding soft tissue structures of the pelvis are within normal limits.

The left femoral head presents with lysis of the epiphysis of the femoral head. The left femoral neck presents evidence of moderate sclerosis and chronic osseous remodeling.

AGE

1.5 Years

The right coxofemoral joint is unremarkable with a congruent joint space.

In the VD projection, fecal material is superimposed on the right femoral musculature. The stifle joints present smooth osseous margins.

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Evaluation of the soft tissues of the stifle joints is limited by overexposure.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Left sided proximal femoral epiphysiolysis with chronic remodeling of the femoral head

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Elizabeth Animal
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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic changes indicate chronic remodeling of the femoral neck, and the presumptive diagnosis is left sided slipped capital femoral epiphysis. Femoral head ostectomy is the therapy of choice, a total hip replacement can be considered as well.

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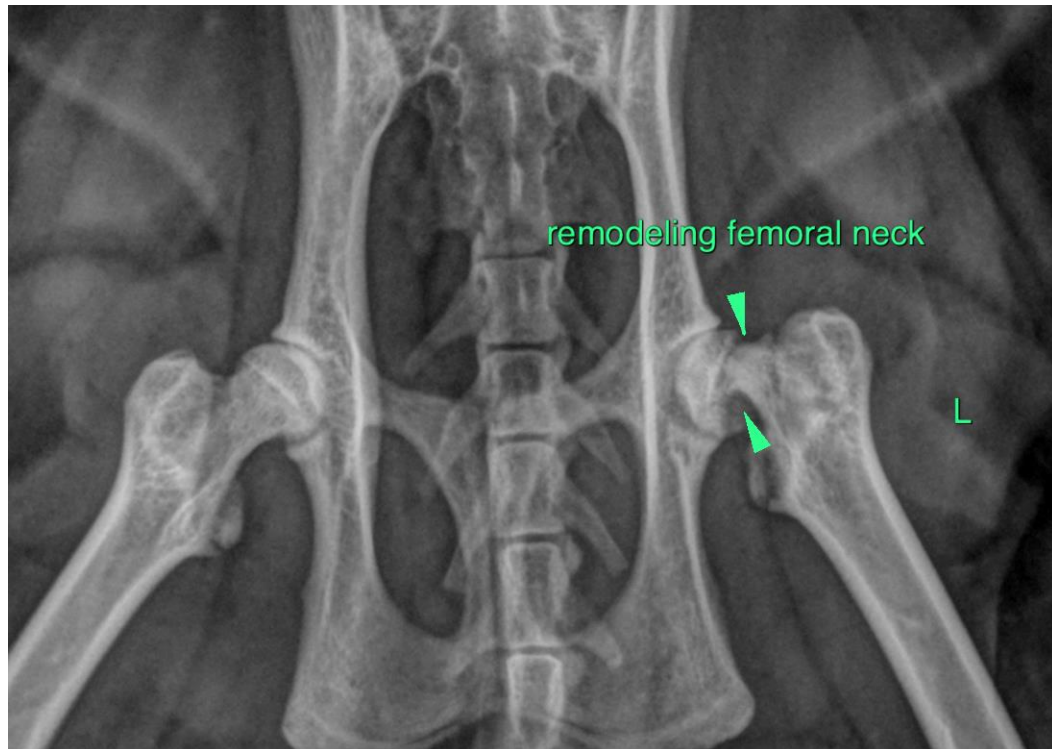
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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