



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Loki #92H Werth
 History: Acute left forelimb non-weight bearing lame this AM - unable to exam as is reactive with foot handling anyway. Sedation for imaging today - still reactive but can move thru a range of motion today - will pull back. Using carprofen - started gabapentin today for management thru the weekend pending consult

SPECIES

Canine Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Labs pending with blood draw today

BREED

Pekingese Radiographs of the front limbs in two orthogonal imaging planes are provided for review.

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE SHOULDER & ELBOW JOINTS

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

SEX

The appendicular skeleton has a breed specific chondrodystrophic conformation.

Neutered Male

Mild osteophyte formation is seen at the caudal aspect of the humeral head bilaterally. The surrounding soft tissue structures present no abnormalities.

AGE

10 Years 2 Months

The periarticular bones of both elbow joints present moderate osteophyte new formation. The joint space of the elbow joints is incongruent due to moderate radio-ulnar step formation with a relatively short ulna.

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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Moderate degenerative osteoarthritis elbow joints bilaterally
- Incongruity of the elbow joints
- Mild degenerative osteoarthritis shoulder joints bilaterally

HOSPITAL NAME

Gentle Doctor AH

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study presents signs of advanced degenerative joint disease of the elbow joints – acute on chronic insult may have activated arthritis and possible source for acute onset of lameness. If there is clinical evident swelling of the elbow joints, consider a synovial tap to rule out infectious arthritis.

REFERRING VET

Pete Bashara, DVM

The clinical relevance of the mild degenerative joint disease of the shoulder joints is questionable. Rule out pain originating from the cervical spine as source for the lameness as well.

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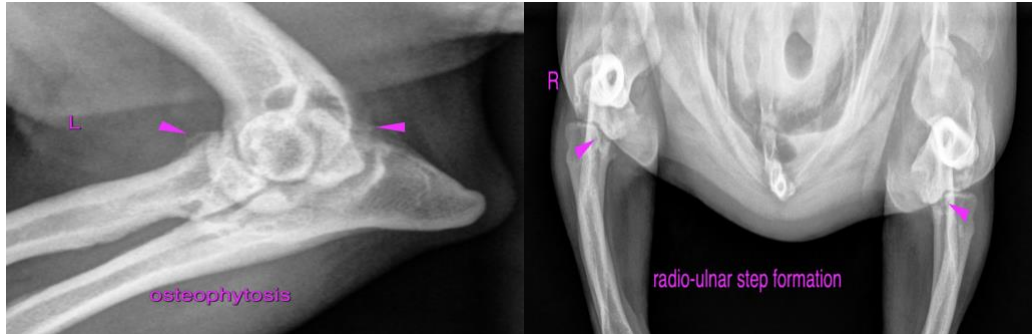
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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