



PATIENT

Ray Ray Brown

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Chronic Hx of congestion; was Tx with antivirals and abx; spoke with O earlier; she stated that Ray Ray is still congested and the meds did not make a big difference; no C/S

SPECIES

Feline

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY OF THE SKULL

A high resolution plain CT study of the skull is provided for review.

BREED

Domestic Shorthair

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The pictured parts of the dentition are complete and unremarkable in all jaw quadrants.

SEX

Male Neutered

The nasal cavity presents the expected aerated spaces between thin & even conchae and turbinates with smooth mucosal lining.

Both temporomandibular joints present congruent joint spaces with even subchondral bone surfaces and are considered within normal limits.

AGE

22 Weeks

Both tympanic bullae are filled with soft tissue attenuating material, R>L. The osseous lining of the tympanic bullae is moderately irregular thickened. The osseous segment of the right auditory tube is moderately widened. A convex shaped soft tissue opaque mass is protruding from the right lateral aspect into the nasopharynx, occupying approximately up to 90% of the cross-sectional area of the nasopharynx. The external ear canals are within normal limits.

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The submandibular and medial retropharyngeal lymph nodes are small and elongated with a normal short-to-long-axis-ratio is < 0.5, the attenuation and contrast enhancement pattern is uniform.

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COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Bilateral chronic otitis media, R>L
- Pressure atrophy osseous segment right auditory tube
- Polypoid mass protruding into the nasopharynx from the right auditory tube with partial upper airway obstruction

REFERRING VET

Dr. Raul Casas-Dolz

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The findings are compatible with inflammatory nasopharyngeal polyp, likely originating from the right tympanic bulla/auditory tube - secondary to chronic otitis media. The upper airway obstruction is explaining the clinical signs. Retrograde evaluation of the nasopharynx is recommended and removal of the polyp using traction technique appears feasible. A right sided ventral bulla osteotomy is a feasible (complementary) treatment option as well.

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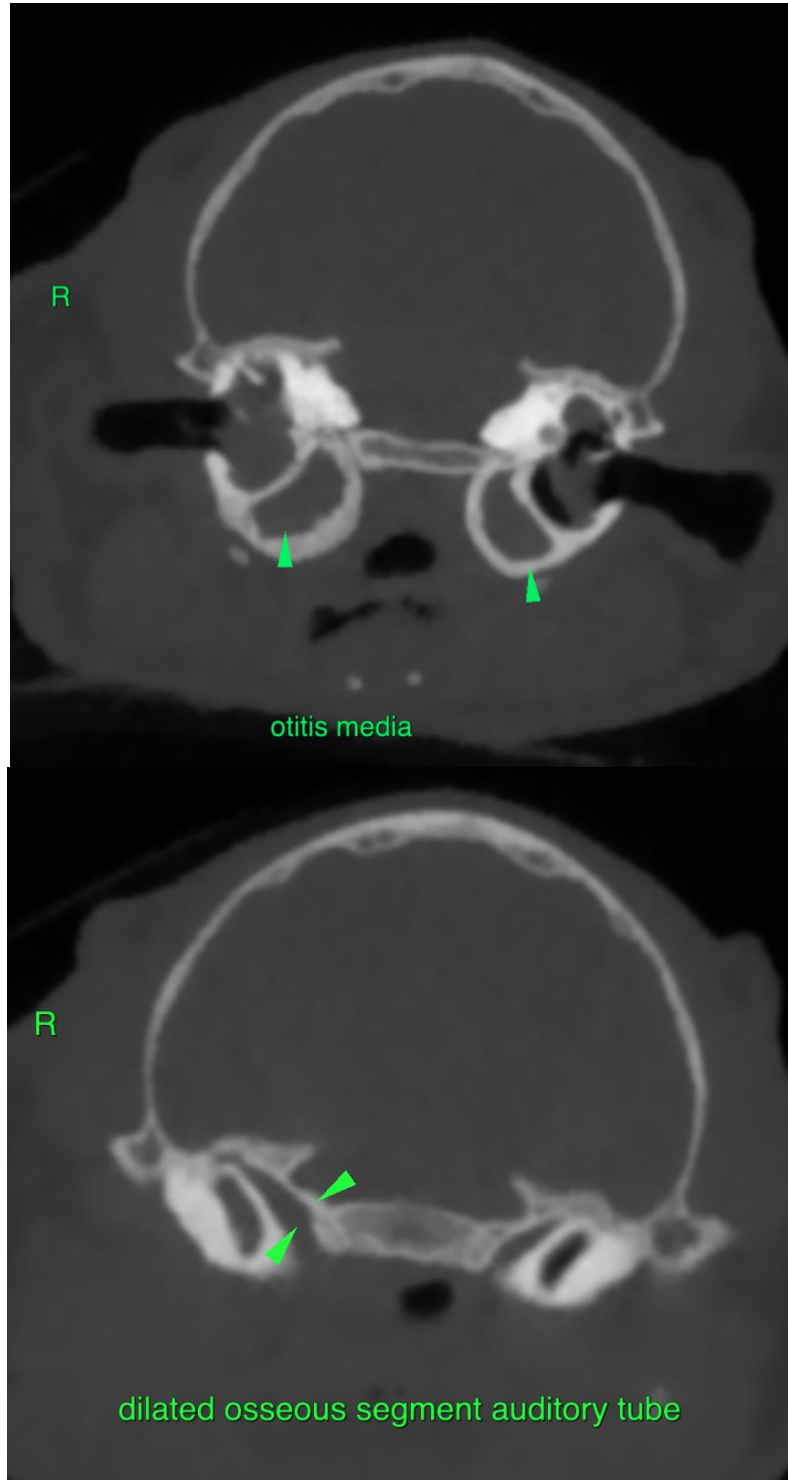
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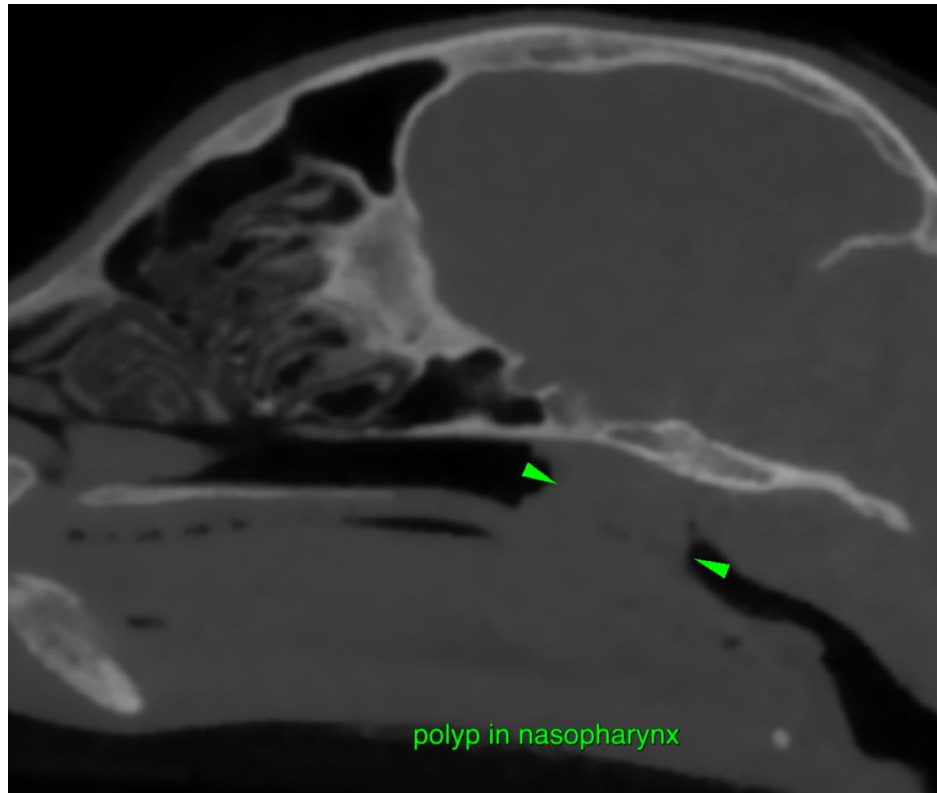
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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