



PATIENT

Dexter Fleming

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

APPROX 6YR OLD NEUTERED DLH PRESENTED FOR ABDOMINAL BREATHING/COUGHING/ AND SOMETIMES OPEN MOUTH BREATHING.

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RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX

Radiographs of the thorax in two imaging planes are provided for review.

BREED

DLH

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The body condition score is 9/9.

The surrounding bony structures are within normal limits.

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The extrathoracic soft tissues present homogeneous without abnormalities.

The heart is of normal size and shape, there is no evidence of cardiac chamber or vascular enlargement. The pulmonary vasculature is within normal limits.

AGE

6 Years, 6 Months

The trachea is normal in diameter and presents the anticipated course. The luminal outline of the trachea is smooth.

Moderate peribronchial cuffing is noted.

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The lung parenchyma presents with a generalized moderate unstructured interstitial pattern.

The diaphragm is well delineated with even surface and the expected mild cranial bulging of the diaphragmatic cupola.

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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Obesity
- Bronchial lung pattern without signs of air-trapping

REFERRING VET

Dr. Rivera

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The bronchial lung pattern is suggestive for underlying feline bronchial disease (('feline asthma') – inflammatory non-infectious (e.g. allergic, eosinophilic, mixed) or infectious bronchitis (e.g. viral, bacterial, parasitic, protozoal). The finding can be a source for the described clinical signs. If clinical signs are refractory to empirical therapy a transtracheal wash/bronchoscopy including BAL can be used as advanced diagnostic tests, The interstitial lung pattern is likely a sequela to the nutritional status.

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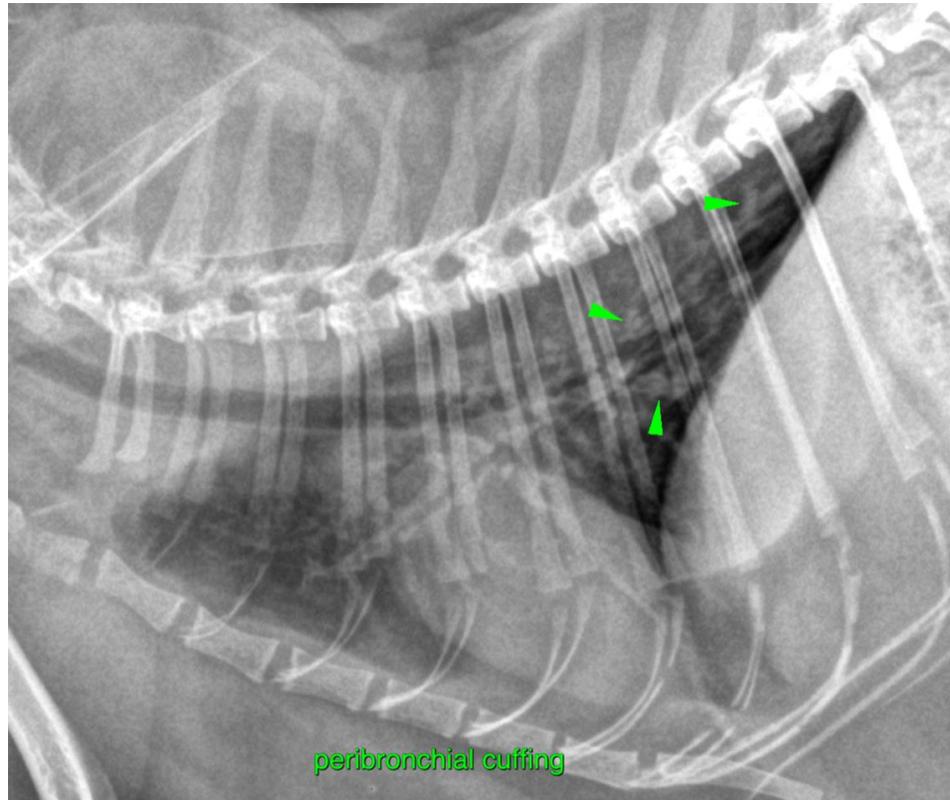
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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