



PATIENT

Tucker Dusman

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Tender Left Hind

SPECIES

Canine

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE PELVIS AND STIFLE JOINTS

A ventrodorsal projection of the pelvis and craniocaudal and mediolateral view of the left stifle joint are provided for review.

BREED

Labrador Retriever
Mix

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The osseous and surrounding soft tissue structures of the pelvis are within normal limits. Both coxofemoral joints present smooth osseous margins and congruent joint spaces.

The left stifle joint presents a mild intracapsular soft tissue swelling, distorting the infrapatellar fat-pad. The osseous margins of the left stifle joint are smooth.

SEX

Male Neutered

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Mild articular swelling left stifle joint
- Normal pelvis & coxofemoral joints

AGE

10 Years

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study is consistent with mild joint effusion of the left stifle joint, which can be traumatic in origin (e.g. distortion) or more commonly is a sequela to pathology of the cranial cruciate ligament ± meniscal disease. Theoretically immune mediated arthritis is a potential as well, but I would expect more joints to be affected.

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A positive drawer sign or tibial compression test under general anesthesia can be used to check for instability of the stifle joint, supporting the diagnosis of pathology of the cranial cruciate ligament. If findings from the clinical evaluation are equivocal, a clinical trial with rest and NSAID for 3-4 weeks, followed by reevaluation of the patient is a consideration as well.

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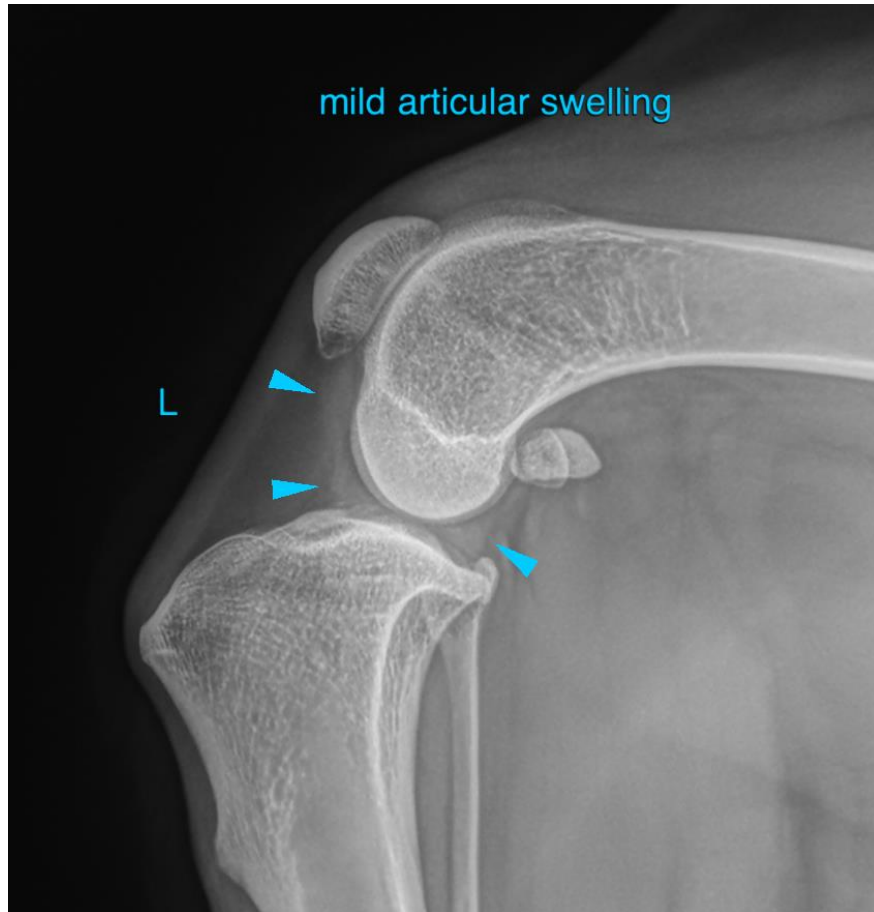
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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