



PATIENT

Capt Pickles Delgado

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

DSH

SEX

Neutered Male

AGE

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WEIGHT

4.3

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

- AD moderate discharge
- chronic right ear infections

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE SKULL

A high resolution pre- and post-contrast CT study of the skull is provided for review.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

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

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.

The right tympanic bulla is filled with soft tissue attenuating material. The osseous lining of the right tympanic bulla is mildly thickened and smooth. Post contrast administration, a peripherally accentuated contrast enhancing, fusiform shaped mass is extending from the lateral compartment of the right tympanic bulla into the horizontal segment of the right external ear canal. The vertical segment of the right external ear canal is partially filled with fluid attenuating material. The left tympanic bulla and external ear canal is within normal limits.

The brain presents no deviation from normal anatomy and symmetry. The brain parenchyma is homogeneous and within normal limits for attenuation and distribution of contrast enhancement. The ventricular system is non-dilated and symmetric.

The right mandibular lymph nodes and the medial retropharyngeal lymph node bilaterally are prominent and present a mild irregular contrast enhancement pattern.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Right sided chronic otitis media along with inflammatory polyp formation extending into the right external ear canal
- Right sided otitis externa
- Lymphadenopathy right mandibular lymph nodes and medial retropharyngeal lymph node bilaterally – compatible with reactive lymphoid hyperplasia

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The CT findings are consistent with inflammatory polyp protruding into the right external ear canal with secondary otitis externa. Removing the polyp using traction technique is considered as the therapy of choice.



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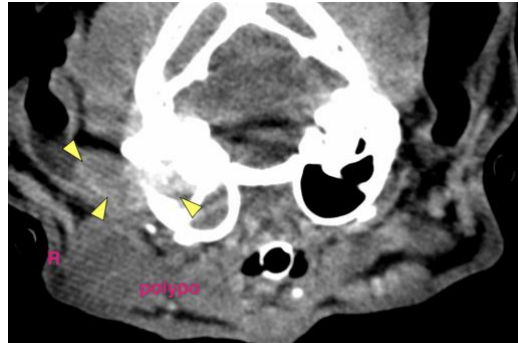
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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