



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Scout Follmer Scout has had a dry, honking cough for the past month. Cough most prominent during periods of activity or excitement. No improvement with Tamaril-P trial or diphenhydramine.
 Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Grade 5/6 left apical heart murmur. Cough elicited with tracheal palpation. Remainder of exam unremarkable.

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Canine **RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX**

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

BREED RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Chihuahua Mix The surrounding bony structures are within normal limits.

At the caudoventral thoracic wall, in the subcutaneous tissue, a well-defined, roundish soft tissue opaque mass is seen – superimposing with the cardiac silhouette in the VD view.

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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

15 Years

The cranial mediastinum presents the expected soft tissue opacity. The mediastinal width is less than twice the width of the vertebral column at the same level.

In the right lateral view of the thorax, moderate dorsoventral flattening of the caudal tracheal segment is seen. The trachea is normal in diameter and presents the anticipated course. The luminal outline of the trachea is smooth. In the left lateral view, a small amount of gas is seen in the esophagus.

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The bronchial tree presents with thin walls and tapers uniformly towards the periphery as expected.

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The lung parenchyma presents the expected architecture and opacity; the intrapulmonary vascular branching is seen up to the third order lung vessels.

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

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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Subcutaneous mass caudoventral thoracic wall

REFERRING VET

Dr. Sydney Thorson

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study presents without radiographic changes of the lower airways, explaining the history of cough. However, negative thoracic radiographs do not rule out possible tracheitis/bronchitis.

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FNA sampling of the subcutaneous caudoventral thoracic mass can be used for further definition.

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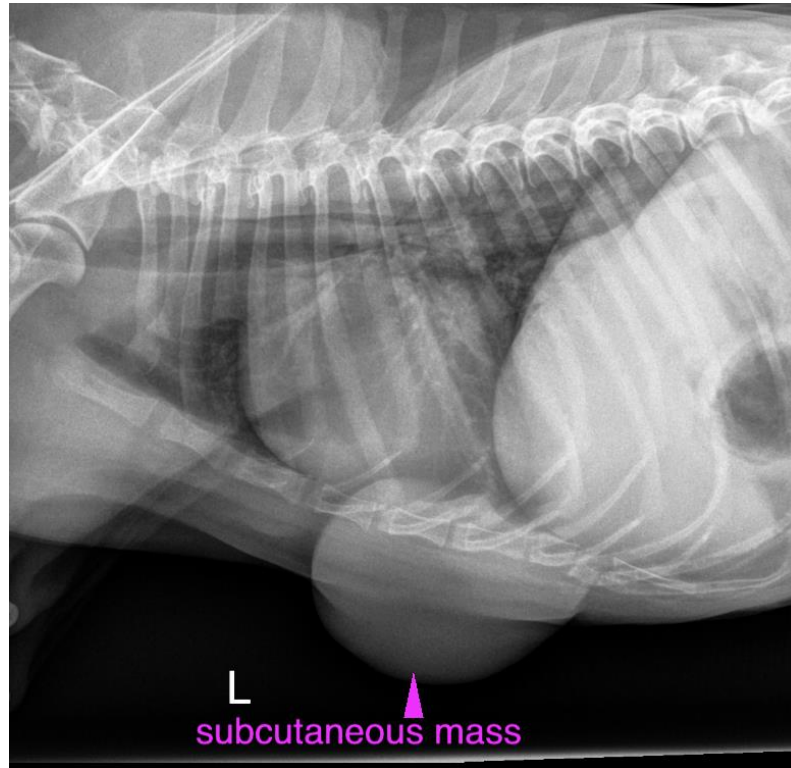
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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