



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Nino Olmos Rechecking: GI upset History: 2 y/o MN chihuahua mix presented for GI upset. P was here last week and has vomited 3x times since visit, yesterday vomited food 4 hrs after eating, stools vary from soft to diarrhea with mucoid blood, won't eat breakfast but will eventually eat in the afternoon. P has been slightly lethargic, laying in doggy bed more than usual.

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Canine

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Exam Notes: Pet is BAR. Clear OU and AU. Normal on cardiothoracic auscultation. SI thickened small intestines, non-painful on palpation. Diagnostics & Testing: 1) CBC: WBC 23.52 (5.05-16.76), NEU 16.39 (2.95-11.64), EOS 1.53 (0.06-1.23), BASO 0.21 (0.00-0.10) 2) CHEM: GLOB 4.9 (2.5-4.5) 3) cPL: Normal 4) Abdominal radiographs: Consult pending

BREED

Chihuahua Mix

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN

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

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

SEX

The surrounding bony structures are within normal limits.

NM

No abnormalities of the extraabdominal soft tissues are noted. The abdominal wall is smooth and thin.

The serosal detail is maintained throughout the peritoneal and retroperitoneal space.

AGE

The liver is appropriate in position, size and presents uniform opacity.

2 Years

The splenic head is in the anticipated position and within normal limits for size and opacity.

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Both kidneys are seen and present with normal size, shape, delineation and opacity. The urinary bladder is empty and cannot be clearly delineated.

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The stomach is in its anticipated position and contains foamy soft tissue material and a small (<4 mm) mineralized body in the pyloric region.

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The small intestinal loops are of even diameter and non-dilated, a small amount of gas is seen within the small intestinal loops and considered within normal limits.

The colon is seen in the expected position and contains a small amount of unformed fecal material.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

REFERRING VET

Dr. Rivera

- Unformed fecal material in colon
- Ingesta in stomach

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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The radiographic pattern of the content of the stomach and the colon in combination with the presenting clinical signs is suggestive for gastroenteritis with possible functional gastric emptying disorder. There is no evidence of radiopaque foreign material, abnormal gas pattern or signs for gastrointestinal mechanical obstruction. If clinical signs are refractory to therapy, recommend follow up radiographs or a complete abdominal ultrasound examination; in some cases a high ileus may lack classical radiographic signs of mechanical obstruction.

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Nino Olmos **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.**

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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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