



PATIENT

Tucker Blower

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

falling episodes and loss of balance proprioceptive deficits in both pelvic limbs, normal in front limbs
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: mild elevation in liver enzymes mild pancreatitis

SPECIES

Canine

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORACIC SPINE

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

BREED

Morkie

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

In the right lateral view of the thoracolumbar junction, the intervertebral disc spaces T12/T13 and T13/L1 are moderately narrowed – in the left lateral view only mild narrowing of the intervertebral disc space T12/T13.

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The remainder of the osseous structures of the pictured parts of the spine are within normal limits.

Ventral to L1, superimposed on the cranial pole of one kidney – suspect the right kidney – a granular mineral opacity is seen, measuring approximately 8 x 3 mm in size.

AGE

11 Years

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Possible discopathy T12/T13
- Dystrophic mineralization ventral to L1

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The narrowed intervertebral disc space T12/T13 is suggestive for discopathy that might be associated with compressive myelopathy – cross-sectional imaging would be the imaging modality of choice to check for compressive myelopathy.

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Balmy Beach Pet Hospital

The mineralization ventral to L1 can be located within the renal parenchyma due to chronic nephropathy, superimposed soft tissues or dystrophic mineralization of adrenal tumor. An abdominal ultrasound examination or cross-sectional imaging can be used for further workup.

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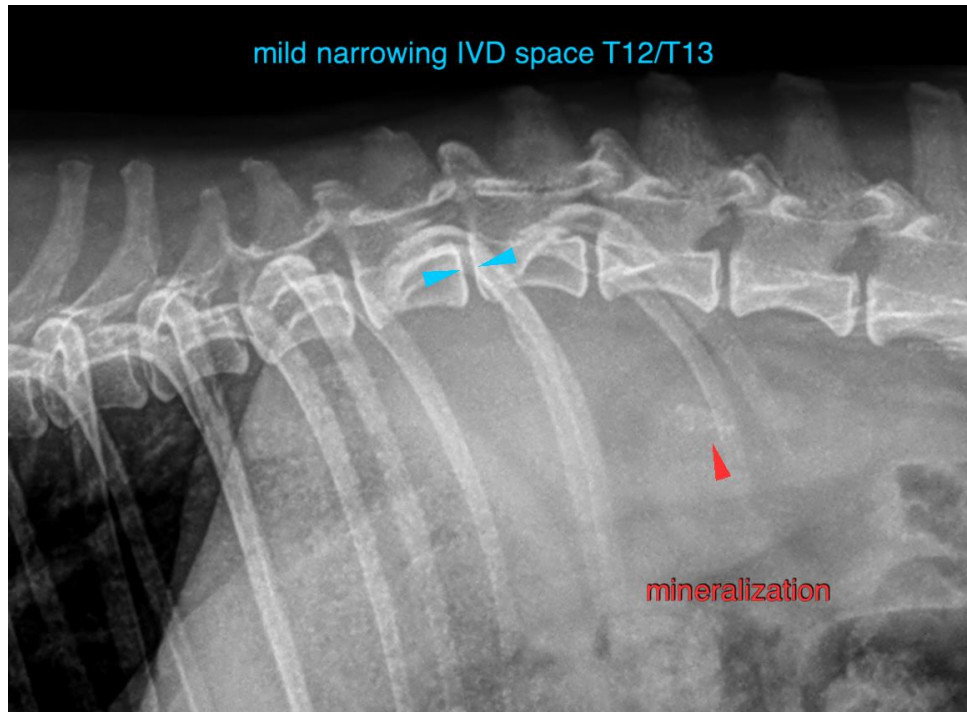
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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