



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

**Kahlo Tipps** Back pain responsive to NSAIDs although the pet does not roll on her back- something she used to do all the time. Radiology report attached. Concern for discospondylitis. Soft tissue density dorsal to the kidneys only on one of the lateral views may represent a portion of the adjacent splenic head. An adrenal lesion is not ruled out.

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**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY OF THE THORACIC & LUMBAR SPINE**

A high resolution pre- and post-contrast CT study of the abdomen and a post-contrast CT study of the thorax are provided for review.

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**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

THE LAST RIB BEARING VERTEBRA IS COUNTED AS T13 – T13 presents a rib on the right side and a transverse process on the left side.

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The intervertebral disc space T9/T10 is collapsed, and the subchondral bone of the respective vertebral endplates presents with moth eaten osteolysis and moderate sclerosis of the subchondral bone. At the ventral aspect of the vertebral bodies, mild to moderate ill-defined solid periosteal new bone formation is appreciated.

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The intervertebral disc space L2/L3 is moderately narrowed.

The remainder of the osseous and soft tissue structures of the thoracic & lumbar spine present without abnormalities.

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Both kidney present irregular margins and post contrast administration, an irregular contrast enhancement pattern is appreciated, resulting in a striated contrast enhancing pattern with hypoattenuating well-defined parenchymal regions.

**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

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- Active discospondylitis T9/T10
- Discopathy L3/L4 without evidence of compressive myelopathy
- Chronic nephropathy with renal infarction
- Thoracolumbar transitional vertebra

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

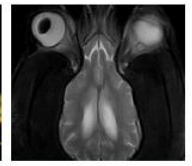
The findings are supporting the diagnosis of active discospondylitis T9/T10. Recommend complementing workup by complete urinalysis to check for potential infectious nidus. Pain management and long term antimicrobial therapy are indicated.

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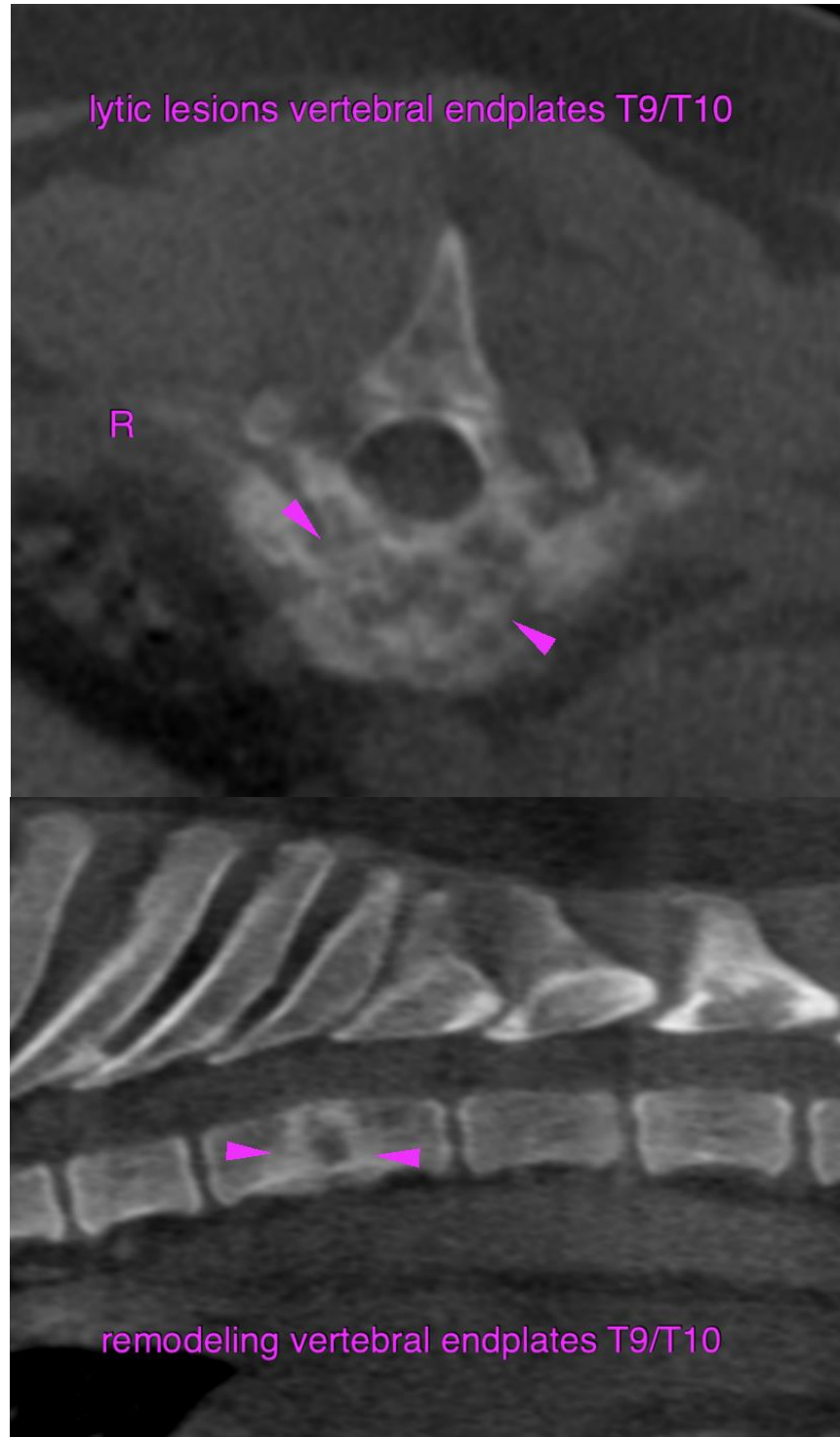
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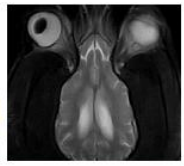
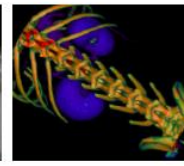
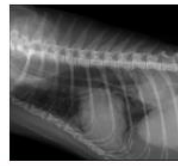
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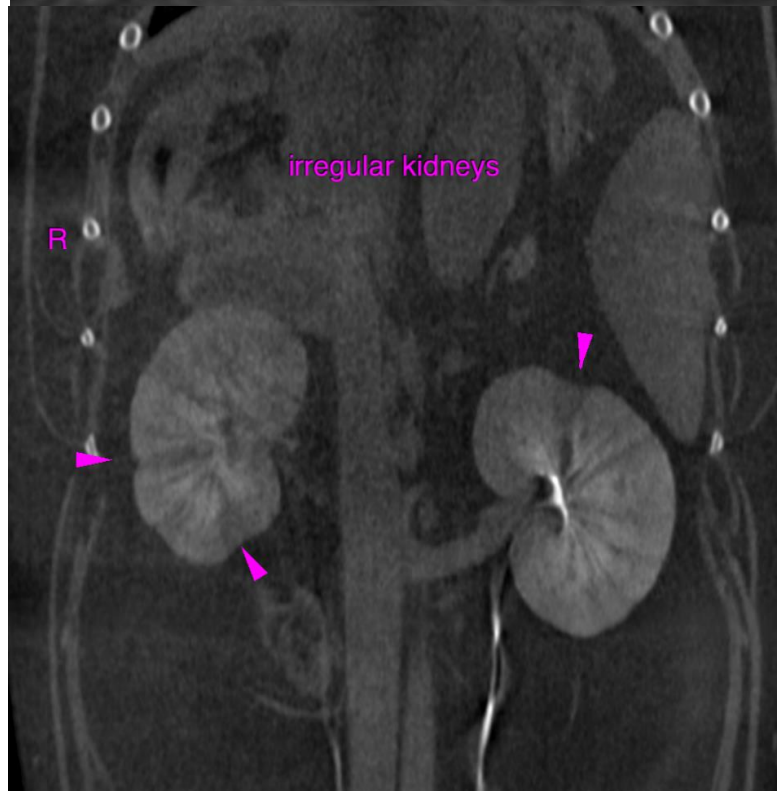
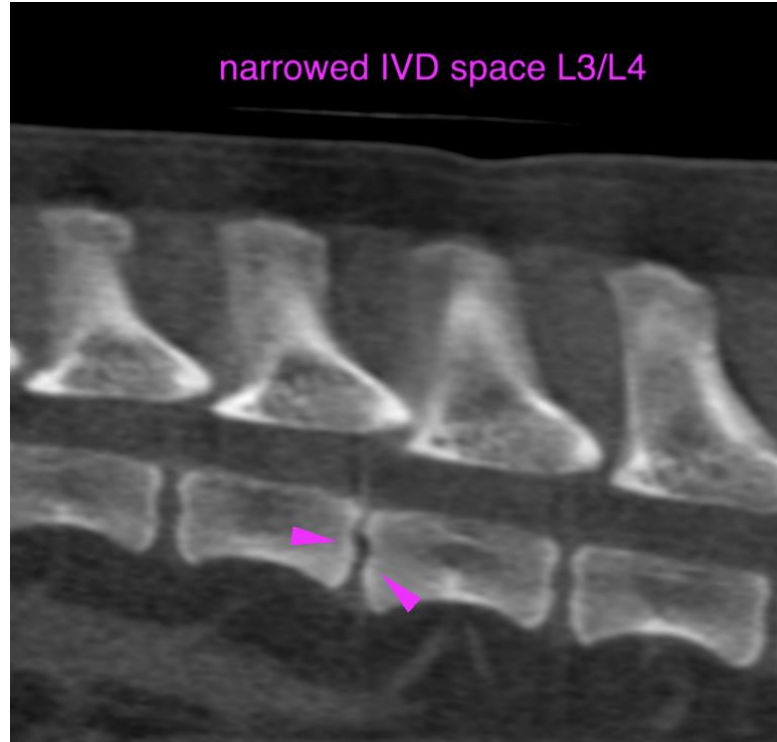
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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