



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Linus Caldwell History: Performed CT due to wheezing breaths. Presenting complaint: Upper airway respiratory dysfunction - possible swollen tonsils, and questionable laryngeal dysfunction. Aim: exploring possible airway etiologies.

SPECIES

Canine

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE SKULL

A plain CT study of the skull in a bone and soft tissue reconstruction is provided for review.

BREED

Jack Russell Terrier

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Triadan 103, 106, 109, 203, 206, 209, 210, 311, 401, 408 and 411 are absent. Generalized mild to moderate horizontal bone loss is seen in all jaw quadrants.

SEX

Neutered Male

The nasal cavity presents the expected aerated spaces between thin & even conchae and turbinates with smooth mucosal lining.

AGE

12 Years

Both temporomandibular joints present congruent joint spaces with even subchondral bone surfaces and are considered within normal limits.

Both tympanic bullae are aerated, the mucosal lining is not seen, the bony wall is smooth and thin. The external ear canals present a mild irregular thickening of the wall.

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The submandibular and medial retropharyngeal lymph nodes are small and elongated with a normal short-to-long-axis-ratio is < 0.5. The right medial retropharyngeal lymph node presents a irregular hyperattenuating attenuation pattern (140 HU).

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

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- Mild diffuse mineralization right medial retropharyngeal lymph node
- Evidence of mild otitis externa
- Generalized mild periodontal disease
- Absent triadan 103, 106, 109, 203, 206, 209, 210, 311, 401, 408 and 411
- Normal upper airways

REFERRING VET

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

No abnormalities of the upper airways are appreciated – rule out underlying laryngeal paralysis. The mild mineralization of the parenchyma of the right medial retropharyngeal lymph node can be a sequela to preceding chronic inflammation – recommend FNA sampling to rule out neoplastic transformation.

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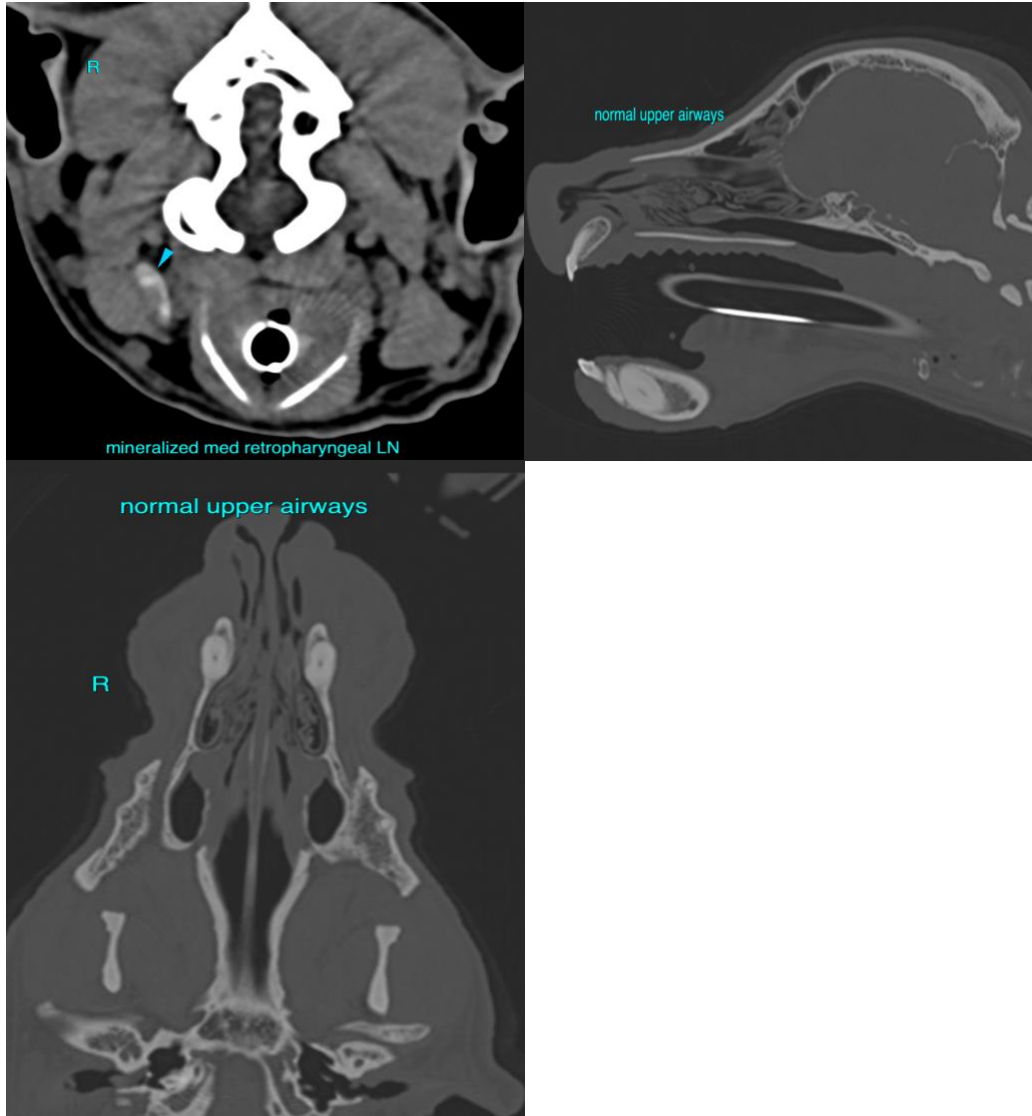
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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