



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Luna T Hogan Xray's, sudden onset ataxia per owner, HW4dx -neg x 4, no pain, decreased proprioception both pelvic limbs, no meds

SPECIES RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE LUMBAR SPINE AND PELVIS

Canine Radiographs of the lumbar spine in two orthogonal imaging planes and the pelvis in a ventrodorsal projection are provided for review.

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

BREED
German Shepard The vertebral endplates of the lumbosacral junction present moderate spondylosis formation. The remainder of the osseous and surrounding soft tissue structures of the lumbar spine are within normal limits. S1 is not fused with S2 and is asymmetrically articulating with the sacroiliac joints.

SEX
Spayed Female The osseous and surrounding soft tissue structures of the pelvis are within normal limits. Both coxofemoral joints present very mild osteophyte new bone formation, the joint space of the coxofemoral joints is diverging medially.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- AGE**
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- Asymmetric lumbosacral transitional vertebra (Type III)
 - Spondylosis deformans lumbosacral junction
 - Mild degenerative osteoarthritis coxofemoral joints bilaterally, due to hip dysplasia

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study of the lumbar spine presents without specific abnormalities, explaining the acute onset of ataxia. The appreciated lumbosacral transitional vertebral can predispose for degenerative lumbosacral stenosis but is considered as an incidental finding at this point.

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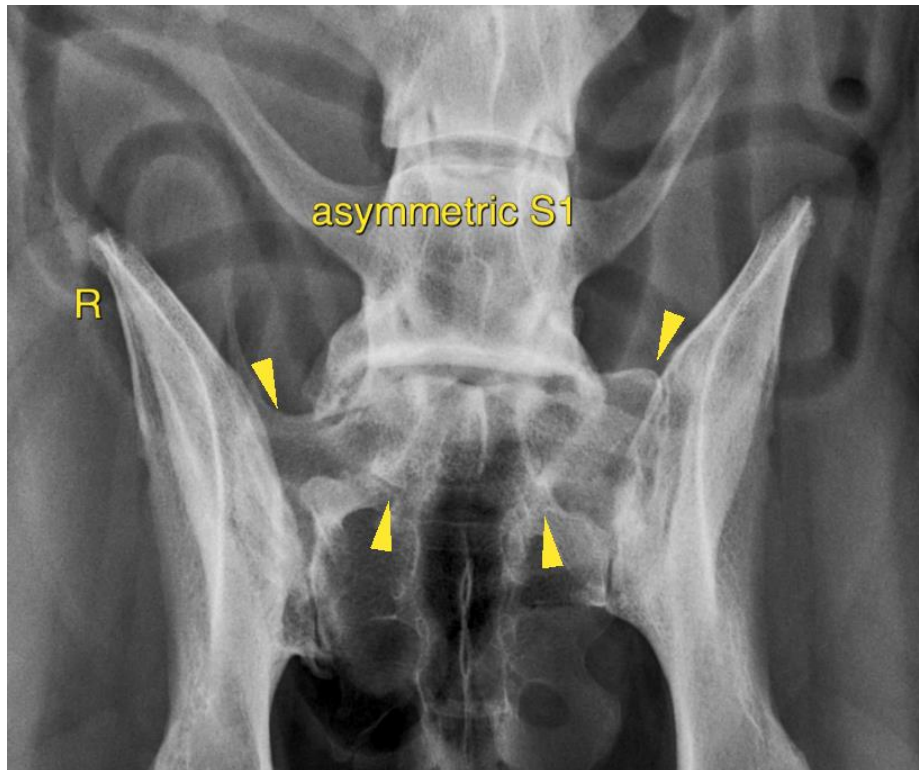
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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