



## PATIENT

Chip Martinez

## SPECIES

K9

## BREED

Maltese Mix

## SEX

Male Neutered

## AGE

1Y

## WEIGHT

15.2

## INTERPRETED BY

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## IMAGING PERFORMED BY

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## HOSPITAL NAME

DTLAvets

## REFERRING VET

Dr. Castaneda

## INVOICE

75318

## DATE

6-4-26

## PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Chip presents for evaluation of possible labored breathing, intermittent left hindlimb lameness, and ongoing loose stool. Owner reports episodes resembling reverse sneezing during walks and requests assessment to rule out abnormalities of the lungs, trachea, or upper airways. EDUD: mildly decreased appetite; normal urination; diarrhea without blood. No coughing, sneezing, or vomiting. Drinking and energy normal. Diet: dry food or FreshPet once daily; no recent changes. No current medications; no refills needed. No flea or heartworm prevention. BARPH. Oral exam: pink, moist mucous membranes;

## RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX

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

## RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The surrounding bony structures are within normal limits.

The extrathoracic soft tissues present homogeneous without abnormalities.

The heart is of normal size and shape; there is no evidence of cardiac chamber or vascular enlargement. The pulmonary vasculature is within normal limits.

The cranial mediastinum presents the expected soft tissue opacity. The mediastinal width is less than twice the width of the vertebral column at the same level.

The trachea is normal in diameter and presents the anticipated course. The luminal outline of the trachea is smooth.

The bronchial tree presents with thin walls and tapers uniformly towards the periphery as expected.

The lung parenchyma presents the expected architecture and opacity; the intrapulmonary vascular branching is seen up to the third order lung vessels.

The diaphragm is well delineated with even surface and the expected mild cranial bulging of the diaphragmatic cupola.

## RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Normal thorax

## INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study of the thorax reveals no abnormalities.

**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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