



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

**AKIRA DHALIWAL** P was presented for evaluation of coughing since 6/6/23. Respiratory PCR was submitted on 6/6 and was completely negative. P was placed on an empirical course of doxycycline and cough tablets (dextromorphan and guaifenesin). Mild improvement noted with the cough. O noted worsening cough after the course and an empirical course of Clavamox was initiated because O did not want to pursue radiographs at that time. O noted worsening of cough and mucopurulent nasal discharge. P was presented for recheck evaluation on 6/30 for progressive worsening cough. No travel history. No history of airway irritants. No obvious crackles or wheezes and no murmurs or arrhythmias noted on exam. Severe dry persistent dry cough with tracheal palpation and excitement.

**SPECIES** Canine

**BREED** Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Negative IDEXX respiratory PCR test from 6/6/23.

**Siberian Husky RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX**

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

**SEX RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

**FS** The surrounding bony structures are within normal limits.  
The extrathoracic soft tissues present homogeneous without abnormalities.

**AGE** 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.

**6 Years, 5 Months** 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.

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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.

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

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

**REFERRING VET**

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

Dr. Endo • Normal thorax

**INVOICE INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

**59117** The radiographic study presents without abnormalities, explaining the history of cough. However, a negative radiographic study does not rule out potential underlying tracheitis/bronchitis. If clinical signs persist, workup can be complemented by bronchoscopy including lower airways sampling.

**DATE**

7-1-23



**PATIENT**

Akira Dhaliwal

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.

**SPECIES**

Canine

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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