



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Mufasa Suncoast  
Basset Hound Rescue

Hx of severe bilateral otitis externa, struggling to control medically. Planned bilateral TECA

**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY OF THE SKULL**

A high resolution pre- and post-contrast CT study of the skull is provided for review.

**SPECIES**

Canine

**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

A triadan 111 is appreciated.

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

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

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Intact Male

Both tympanic bullae are aerated, the mucosal lining is not seen, the bony wall is smooth and thin. The external ear canals are aerated, the walls of the external ear canals present moderate shell-like mineralization. Level with the right tympanic membrane, a small amount of non-contrast enhancing soft tissue material is visible. Level with the external opening of the external ear canal bilaterally, mild to moderate swelling of the soft tissues is seen.

**AGE**

9 Years

The brain presents no deviation from normal anatomy and symmetry. The brain parenchyma is homogeneous and within normal limits for attenuation and distribution of contrast enhancement. The ventricular system is non-dilated and symmetric.

The submandibular and medial retropharyngeal lymph nodes are small and elongated with a normal short-to-long-axis-ratio is < 0.5, the attenuation and contrast enhancement pattern is uniform.

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**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- History of bilateral otitis externa
- Moderate dystrophic mineralization of the external ear canals
- No evidence of otitis media/interna

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

**REFERRING VET**

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The dystrophic mineralization of the external ear canals is likely a sequela to the history of chronic otitis externa. The small amount of soft tissue material level with the right tympanic bulla is most consistent with small amount of cerumen. No accompanying clinically relevant pathology is appreciated.

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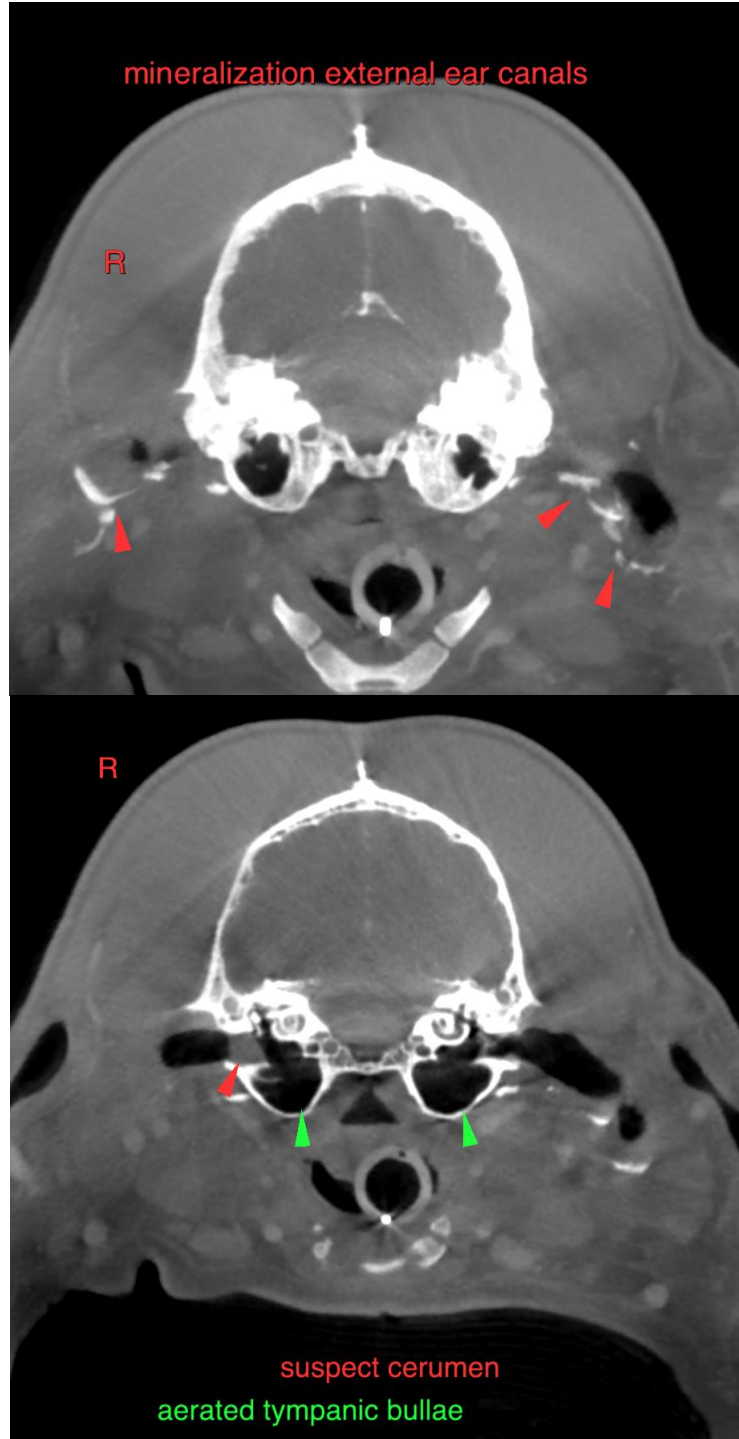
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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