



**PATIENT**

Bugs Cabrera

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

4yr 1m old M (in-tact) French bulldog "Bugs" presented today for inappetence, lethargy and heavy panting. Starting last night, O describes P has been shivering and panting. P didn't eat the entirety of his food last night, O says this is very unlike P. Today, P has not eaten anything, has not drunk water and has been lethargic, not wanting to go on walks or play. O says P's panting has gotten worse throughout the day.

**SPECIES**

Canine

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Physical Examination Key -- (N= Normal, A= Abnormal) Hydration: Appropriately hydrated Mentation: BAR, panting, restless EENT: No nasal discharge; clear no discharge OU; clean no exudate AU; No cough on tracheal palpation. Oral Cavity: No dental tartar present Lymph Nodes: Symmetrical, no changes in size, shape, consistency Skin: Good hair coat, no signs of ectoparasites. No lesions noted. CV/Respiratory: No murmur/arrhythmia or crackles/wheezing auscultated (difficult with heavy panting).

**BREED**

French Bulldog

Synchronous pulses, normal rate. Normal bronchovesicular sounds. Abd/GI: Tense painful abdomen, unable to palpate deeply Uro/Perineum: prostate palpates wnl - non painful Musculoskeletal: Normal ambulation, no lameness noted. No pain with palpation along the spine. No pain on palpation of limbs, normal flexion/extension present in all joints of all limbs. BCS 5/9 Neurological: Appropriate

**SEX**

Male

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN**

Radiographs of the abdomen in two orthogonal imaging planes are provided for review.

**AGE**

4 Years, 1 Month

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

The surrounding bony structures are within normal limits.

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No abnormalities of the extraabdominal soft tissues are noted. The abdominal wall is smooth and thin.

The serosal detail is maintained throughout the peritoneal and retroperitoneal space.

The liver is appropriate in position, size and presents uniform opacity.

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The splenic head is in the anticipated position and within normal limits for size and opacity. The splenic body and tail are considered normal for position, size, shape and opacity.

Both kidneys are seen and present with normal size, shape, delineation and opacity. The urinary bladder is in its anticipated position. No radiopaque calculi are noted throughout the upper and lower urinary tract.

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Dr. Duke

The stomach is in its anticipated position and empty.

The small intestinal loops are of even diameter and non-dilated, a small amount of gas is seen within the small intestinal loops and considered within normal limits.

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The colon is seen in the expected position and presents with appropriate content.

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

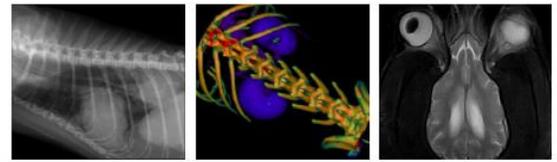
- Normal abdomen, but empty stomach

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The empty stomach is considered as a sequela to the hyporexia. There is no evidence of radiopaque foreign material or signs for gastrointestinal mechanical obstruction. If not done so



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yet, consider complementing workup by blood work including cpl to rule out pancreatitis.

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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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