

**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

**Ethel Petrie** Pt presented in April for occasional limping on left hind - no pain on palpation. Pt has been on/off rimadyl, but o noted it's not helping. Pt presented for sedate rads/exam today. On PE: bilat anterior drawer and thrust, R>L.

**SPECIES RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE PELVIS AND STIFLE JOINTS**

**Canine** The osseous and surrounding soft tissue structures of the pelvis are within normal limits. Both coxofemoral joints present smooth osseous margins and congruent joint spaces.

**BREED** The volume of the right thigh musculature is decreased in comparison to the left hind limb.

**Retriever x** The periarticular bones of both stifle joints present mild osteophyte new bone formation. Mild cranial subluxation of the tibia bilaterally is appreciated. The stifle joints bilaterally present a moderate intracapsular soft tissue swelling, effacing the infrapatellar fat-pad cranially and distorting the fascial plane caudally.

**SEX**

Spayed Female

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

**AGE**

8.5 Years

- Mild degenerative osteoarthritis stifle joints bilaterally
- Articular swelling stifle joints bilaterally
- Mild disuse atrophy right thigh musculature
- Normal pelvis & coxofemoral joints

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

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The mild degenerative joint disease of both stifle joints and joint effusion of the stifle joints in combination with the mild cranial tibial subluxation are highly suggestive for underlying pathology of the cranial cruciate ligament ± meniscal pathology.

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A positive drawer sign or tibial compression test under general anesthesia will support the diagnosis - partial rupture of the cranial cruciate ligament and potential thickening of the synovial capsule can result in only mild instability.

**REFERRING VET**

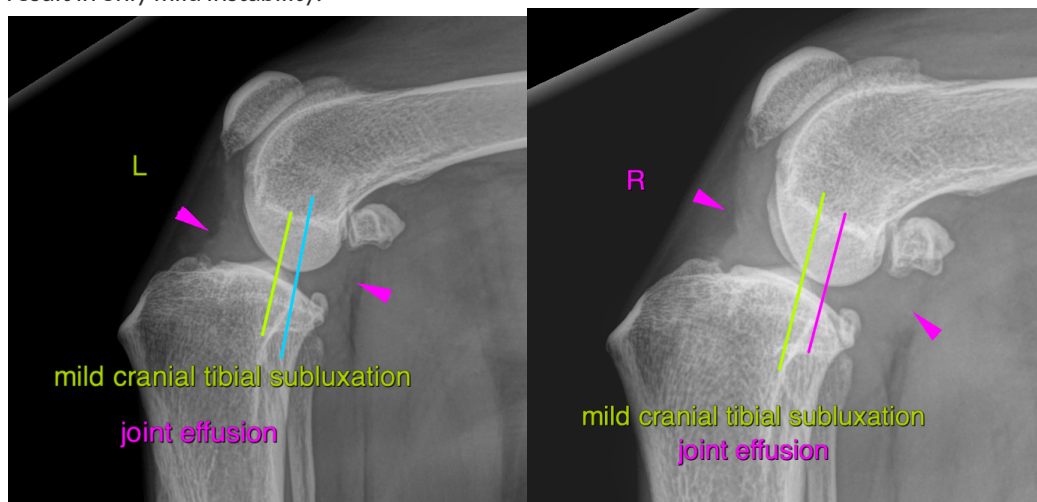
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**PATIENT**

Ethel Petrie

**The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. 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.

**BREED**

Retriever x

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