



PATIENT

Tiger Cheeper

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

Domestic Shorthair

SEX

Male

AGE

16 Weeks

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Vaccinated Friday Feline leukemia, FVRCP, and Rabies. On Sunday developed hindlimb paresis. Tender on palpation of lumbar spine. Delayed withdrawal and conscious proprioception in both hind legs, R is worse than L. No known trauma but very energetic kitten and 2 other pets in home. Owner reports he was worse yesterday and is slightly better today. Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Bloodwork is on hold currently.

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORACIC&LUMBAR SPINE AND PELVIS

Radiographs of the thoracic & lumbar spine and the pelvis in two orthogonal imaging planes are provided for review.

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The growth plates are age related open.

No abnormalities of the osseous and surrounding soft tissue structures of the thoracic & lumbar spine are appreciated.

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.

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Normal thoracic & lumbar spine
- Normal pelvis including the coxofemoral joints

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The radiographic study is negative for pathology. If clinical signs deteriorate again, cross-sectional imaging – MRI appears ideal – can be considered in case of strong clinical suspicion for myelopathy.



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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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