



**PATIENT**

Penny Lane Newberry

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Patient has known epiglottic mass for duration of 1-2 months. Other than difficulty breathing, patient otherwise healthy.

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**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY OF THE SKULL/NECK**

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

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**COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

Both tympanic bullae are aerated, the mucosal lining is not seen, the bony wall is smooth and thin. The external ear canals are within normal limits.

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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.

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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**

- Right sided laryngeal soft tissue mass

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The CT study is fitting the history of a laryngeal neoplasia, regarding the history the mass is originating from the epiglottis – regarding the CT findings both an origin from the right lateral margin of the epiglottis or the cuneiform process of the right arytenoid cartilage are potentials here. Differentials include squamous cell carcinoma, rhabdomyoma, round cell tumor, chondroma/chondrosarcoma, other. FNA sampling ± cyto brush can be used for further differentiation. Surgical resection appears feasible, there are no signs for overt infiltrative growth and the chances should be discussed with surgeon ± adjuvant chemotherapy.

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Consider full tumor staging.

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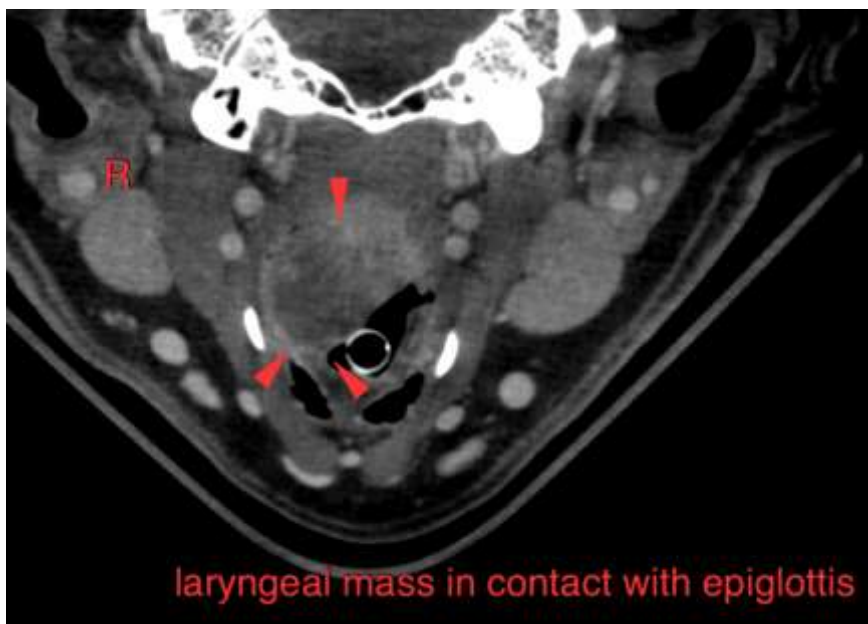
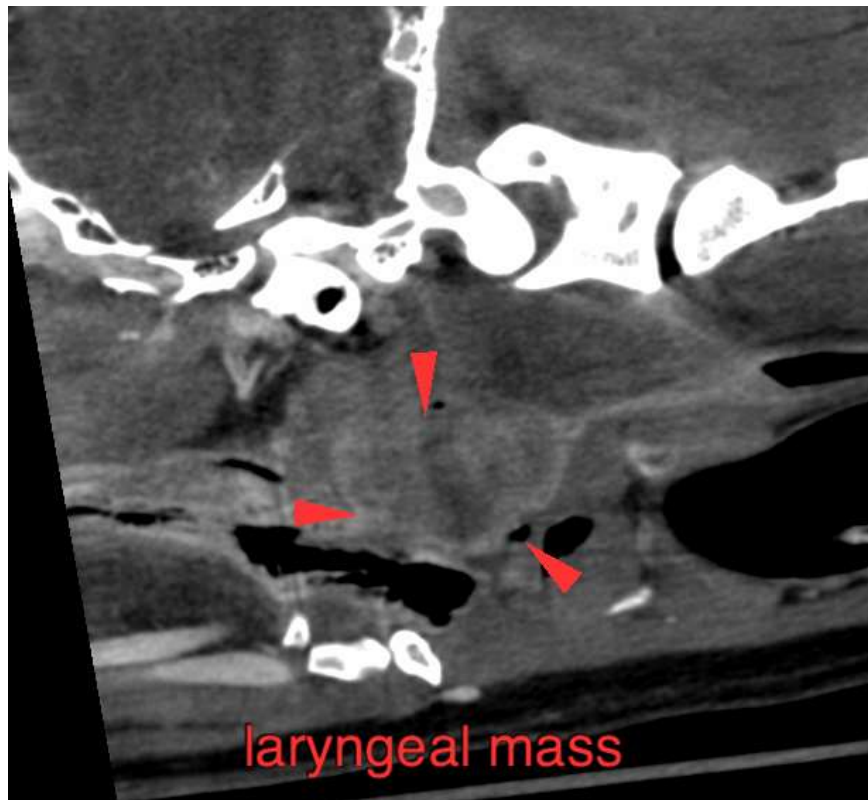
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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