



## PATIENT

Ozzy Franchi

## SPECIES

Feline

## BREED

DSH

## SEX

MN

## AGE

1

## WEIGHT

11.4

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## PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

- Referred from rDVM due to snoring and breathing loudly
- Owner can hear him breathing (no sneezing/coughing)
- On PE slight nasal strider (02/20/26)
- rDVM performed radiographs (10/28/25)= NSF, recommended CT scan
- Skull CT performed with contrast on 04/30/2026
- Complete bloodwork= NSF
- Today Fever of 103.6F
- PE today= lungs clear but slight inspiratory wheeze- URI noise

## COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE HEAD

A pre- and post-contrast CT study of the head are provided for review totaling 2 series. One pre-contrast series of the head bone algorithm. One post-contrast series of the head, bone algorithm.

## COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The nasal cavities are well aerated. The nasal turbinates are well defined, with preserved architecture. There is no evidence of mass effect, turbinate destruction, abnormal fluid accumulation, or radiopaque foreign material.

The paranasal bones are within normal limits. The cribriform plate is intact

The choanae, nasopharynx, soft palate, glottis, and palatine tonsils are unremarkable.

The trachea is visualized to the level of C3, with normal luminal diameter, aeration, and wall definition.

The tympanic bullae and external ear canals are air-filled and within normal limits.

The hyoid apparatus is mildly asymmetric, likely positional, without evidence of fracture or osseous irregularity.

The globes and retrobulbar spaces are within normal limits.

All teeth are within normal limits.

The medial retropharyngeal and mandibular lymph nodes are within normal size and morphology.

All remaining cranial and facial structures are within normal limits.

## COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Unremarkable computed tomographic study of the head.
- No evidence of structural abnormalities involving the nasal cavities or nasopharyngeal region.

## INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The present CT examination of the head does not identify a structural cause for the reported upper respiratory noise. The nasal passages, nasopharynx, and upper airway are within normal limits on CT.



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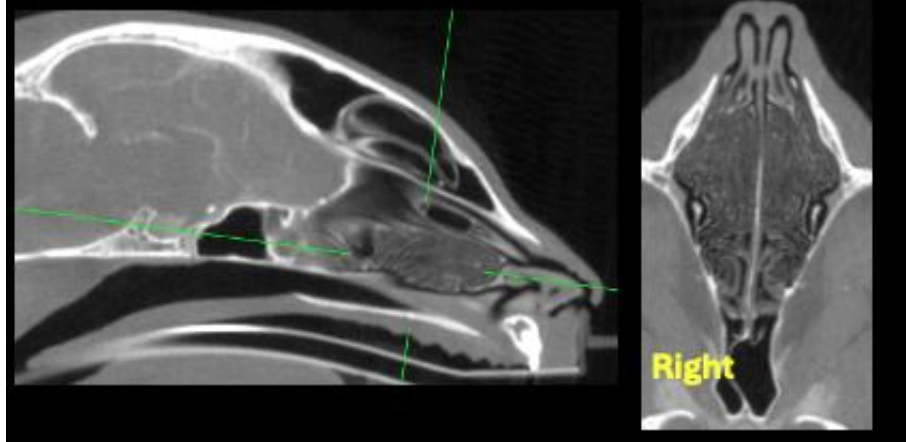
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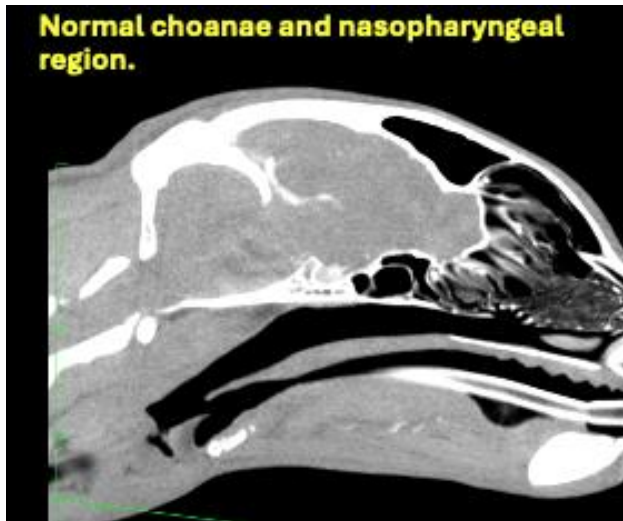
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Given the clinical presentation (audible stertor, mild inspiratory wheeze on auscultation, and low-grade fever), an infectious or inflammatory etiology (e.g., viral upper respiratory infection) should be considered as a potential differential at this time. CT is limited in the assessment of mucosal inflammation in its early or subclinical stages.

### Nasal cavities within normal limits.



### Normal choanae and nasopharyngeal region.



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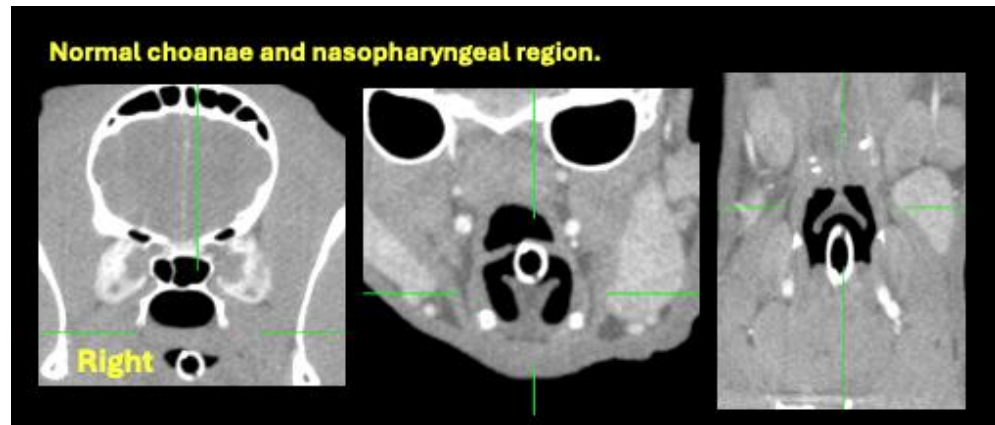
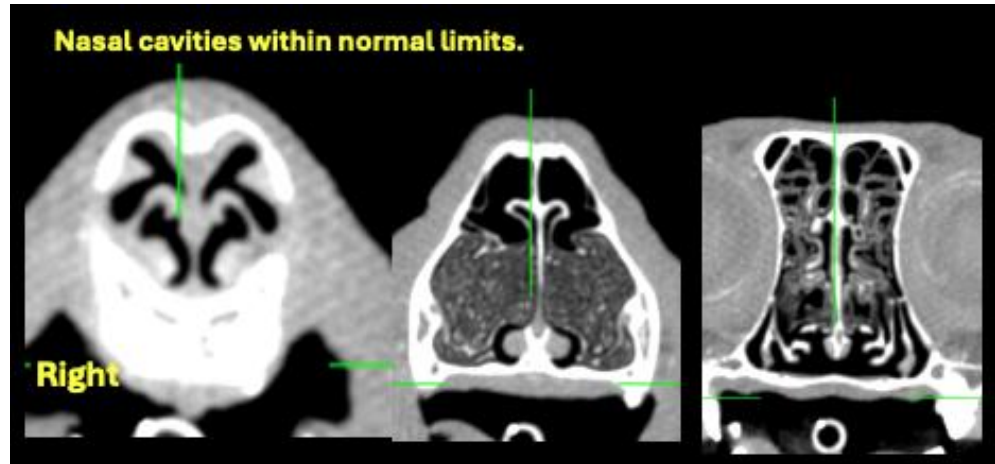
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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