



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Wynn Levine Attacked by an animal 5 days ago with a large draining abscess over L4 region. Difficulty jumping but walking around fine and mild lethargy noted.
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: T=105.4 F. Draining abscess over L4 region.

SPECIES RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE LUMBAR SPINE

Feline Radiographs of the lumbar spine in three imaging planes are provided for review totaling 3 images. One ventrodorsal view, two lateral view focus on lumbar spine.

BREED RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

DSH SPINE

SEX T2-T13, L1-L7 and sacrum are collimated.

Male Neutered A large, rounded, soft tissue opaque mass effect with partially defined border is seen within the dorsal subcutaneous soft tissues superimposed and over the muscles of the dorsum and the spinous processes of L3-L4 and L5, dorsally. Various spots of gas are seen in the border and in the center of the mass effect.

AGE The vertebral bodies are normal in size, shape, opacity, and alignment.

3 Years, 11 Months No narrowed intervertebral disc spaces are seen.

INTERPRETED BY No traumatic or aggressive osseous lesions.

Tilde Rodrigues Froes, DMV, MSc., Dr. Med Vet., Dipl. CBraRVet On the collimated pelvis, the left coxofemoral joint is incongruent, and the cranial acetabular margins are remodeled to a smooth rounded contour. The right coxofemoral joint is congruent.

The collimated abdomen and retroperitoneal space are unremarkable.

HOSPITAL NAME RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Northvale Veterinary Clinic
- Large, rounded soft tissue opaque mass effect with gas spots at the dorsal subcutaneous tissue, and over the L3, L4, and L5 spinous processes, dorsally. The differential diagnosis includes abscess, concurrent swelling, and hemorrhage.
 - There is no evidence of vertebral fracture or subluxation.
 - Left coxofemoral joint incongruency and secondary osteoarthritis.

REFERRING VET INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Dr. Stefanie Simon The radiographic findings correspond to the present clinical signs of an abscess lesion over the L3-L5 lumbar region. No vertebral bone lesion was identified to explain the clinical signs of difficulty jumping. However, a left sided coxofemoral incongruency and degenerative changes were identified and could or could not be correlated to the orthopedic clinical signs. If any neurological signs are identified, consider neurolocalization and cross-sectional imaging for further analysis. Plain radiographs do not rule out ANNPE, medullary trauma, hemorrhagic, inflammatory, infectious, or other causes of myelopathy.

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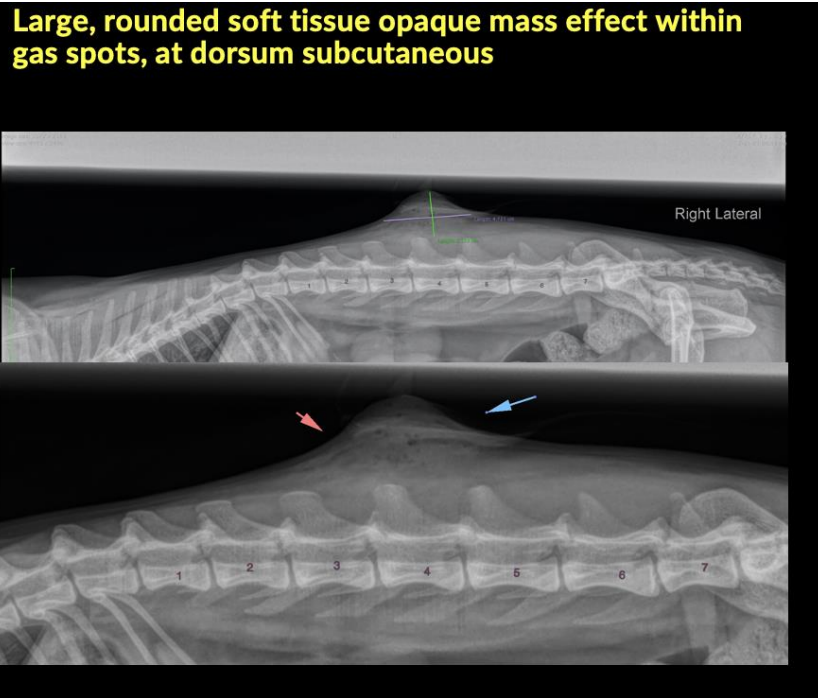
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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