

**VETERINARY MEDICAL CENTER of Central N.Y.**  
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AEC No. 37343

Client ID: 37343

**Page 1 - Patient Summary**

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|                              |                       |                         |  |                                   |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|
| Owner's Last Name<br>DeCarlo | First Name<br>Mark    | Patient's Name<br>Brick | Species<br>Canine                          | Breed<br>Terrier, Airedale        |
| Street<br>131 Richards Rd    |                       | Sex<br>Neutered Male    | Age<br>11 Mos.                             | Color<br>Black/ Tan               |
| City<br>Camillus             | State<br>NY           | Zip<br>13031            | Family Veterinarian<br>Camillus - Dr. Otto |                                   |
| Phone<br>(315) 487-1812      | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Phone |                         | Time<br>18:44                              | Date<br>Monday, February 21, 2005 |

Temp 100.3 HR 110 RR panting Weight 53 pounds 2/21/2005

**Presenting complaint and history:** Vomited up food one time on Saturday, been anorexic (very unusual for him) and lethargic. No previous medical problems, no current meds. Dog will eat absolutely everything he can, but no known ingestion.

**Visit Summary:** Upon presentation - bright alert and responsive, hydrated, in good body condition. Heart and lungs clear, mucous membranes red with CRT less than 2 seconds. Abdomen slightly tense, mild reaction to palpation. No distinct foreign bodies palpated, but the stomach is prominent on palpation. Normal stool in colon, normal testicles.

**radi:** no distinct foreign body or intestinal obstructive pattern. Stomach empty, filled with gas. Duodenal outflow region indistinct.

Spoke with owners - no clear cause of problem, barium series can rule out foreign body. Brick to stay overnight for observation and barium.

**Barium Series:** contrast leaving the stomach normally, able to transit entire GI tract. No foreign body or obstruction noted.

**Addendum - Radiologist reviewed films at discharge - sl slow transit time/ileus (however dog was sedated), small amount in stomach and not fully to descending colon - rec one film at discharge (15:00). ok with owner. Lateral radiograph - barium in colon. Stomach - ingesta.**

**7 am:** Spoke with owner - dog has been bright and active with us, no vomiting, diarrhea, or other unusual signs, but no appetite. Next step - bloodwork vs observation at home. Owner elects bloodwork.

**2/22:** Dog did not eat initial offering of food. Tried Purina E/N with ~1 tsp turkey babyfood and he ate what was offered (~1/3 cup).

**Exam summary -** No obvious oral lesions (difficult to examine mouth, wiggly), tense abdomen but no pain or masses or distension, normal rectal exam with normal stool, BCS=5-6/9, rest nsf.

**CBC:** slight neutrophilic leukocytosis

**Chem:** Mild elevation TP (dehydration?), Phos (age?), and amylase (slight - r/o muscle, renal, pancreas, lab).

**Plan -** SQF, start Pepcid A/C, stay in hospital until owner done work ~3pm today then if no changes - home trial with bland diet and recheck if indicated (recheck lab, ultrasound etc as appropriate).

**\*\*NOTE:** Imaging findings are provisional pending written report from our Board Certified Radiologists - radiographs and barium

**Diagnostics Performed:** radiographs, barium series, cbc, chem

**Problem List:** vomiting (sat), lethargy, anorexia

**Tentative / Final Diagnosis:** Open gastrointestinal - R/O dietary indiscretion, foreign body/material, toxin, infectious, metabolic, other.

**Discharge / Current Medication:** Please refer to Pharmaceutical handout for adverse effects and information.

1. **Pepcid AC 10 mg** (famotidine) -OTC. Give 2 tablets by mouth once daily (twice today) for 3 days. Next dose is due ~8-10 pm tonight.
2. **Bland diet** - give handout. (owner declines prescription, will cook) Feed 3-4 small meals/day for 2-3 days, then gradually re-introduce regular diet mixed with bland over 2-3 days.

**Discharge Instructions (Additional instructions may be printed on receipt):**

1. Watch for vomit, diarrhea, pain, lethargy, poor appetite. Recheck at your veterinarian (or VMC if your veterinarian is unavailable) if you have any concerns. Next steps would be recheck bloodwork, specific tests for pancreatitis, parasites or other as appropriate, ultrasound etc.
2. Please call if you or your veterinarian have any concerns or questions.

Veterinarian(s) Drs. Benapder & Fleckenstein

Discharge date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*Follow up with your local veterinarian

FAX: Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Owner's signature at discharge [Signature]

Date 2/22/05 Time \_\_\_\_\_

# RESULTS

DATE: 02/22/2005  
 ID : 37343  
 SEQ.# : 2  
 DOG  
 STARTUP CYCLE NOT INITIATED

Veterinary Specialty Center/ Animal Emergency Center  
 Animal's Name Bruce Owner's Name DeCarlo  
 Chart Number 37343 Time Drawn 0930a

TIME: 08:51

|       |      |                                  |                 |        |      |        |                 |
|-------|------|----------------------------------|-----------------|--------|------|--------|-----------------|
| WBC : | 15.6 | 10 <sup>3</sup> /mm <sup>3</sup> | < 6.0 - 17.0 >  | MCV :  | 74   | H fl   | < 60 - 72 >     |
| RBC : | 7.13 | 10 <sup>6</sup> /mm <sup>3</sup> | < 5.50 - 6.50 > | MCH :  | 23.0 | pg     | < 19.5 - 24.3 > |
| HGB : | 16.4 | g/dl                             | < 12.0 - 17.0 > | MCHC : | 31.1 | L g/dl | < 34.0 - 38.0 > |
| HCT : | 52.8 | %                                | < 37.0 - 55.0 > | RDW :  | 13.2 | %      | < 12.0 - 16.0 > |
| PLT : | 208  | 10 <sup>3</sup> /mm <sup>3</sup> | < 200 - 500 >   | -MPV : | 8.4  | fl     | < 6.1 - 10.1 >  |

  

|        |      |   |                 |       |      |                                    |                |
|--------|------|---|-----------------|-------|------|------------------------------------|----------------|
| DIFF : |      |   |                 |       |      |                                    |                |
| %LYM:  | 11.2 | % | < 0.0 - 100.0 > | #LYM: | 1.7  | 10 <sup>3</sup> /mm <sup>3</sup>   | < 1.2 - 4.5 >  |
| %MON:  | 3.0  | % | < 0.0 - 100.0 > | #MON: | 0.4  | 10 <sup>3</sup> /mm <sup>3</sup>   | < 0.3 - 1.0 >  |
| %GRA:  | 85.8 | % | < 0.0 - 100.0 > | #GRA: | 13.5 | H 10 <sup>3</sup> /mm <sup>3</sup> | < 3.5 - 12.0 > |

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MULTI: PANEL-V PL4H44

|                             |      |         |
|-----------------------------|------|---------|
| 1 BUN                       | 10   | mg/dl   |
| 2 Glu                       | 110  | mg/dl   |
| 3 ALP                       | 66   | IU/L    |
| 4 T-Pro                     | 7.9  | g/dl ▲  |
| 5 ALT                       | 28   | IU/L    |
| 6 Cre                       | 1.4  | mg/dl   |
| SINGLE EQ4093 G34857 EJ4J70 |      |         |
| 7 Amy                       | 1121 | IU/L ▲  |
| 8 IP                        | 6.6  | mg/dl ▲ |
| 9 Alb                       | 3.4  | g/dl    |

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SINGLE FL4F78 FM4J30

|         |      |       |
|---------|------|-------|
| 6 T-Bil | 0.2  | mg/dl |
| 9 Ca    | 10.9 | mg/dl |

|                                     | Dog       | Cat             |                         |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| Albumin                             | 2.3-3.7   | 2.3-3.4 g/dl    |                         |
| Alkphos.                            | 0-140     | 0-90 u/l        |                         |
| Alt                                 | 10-120    | 10-100u/l       |                         |
| Amylase                             | 300-1100  | 500-1,000u/l    |                         |
| Bun                                 | 10-29     | 15-35 mg/dl     | Sample                  |
| Calcium                             | 8.5-11.2  | 8.9-11.0 mg/dl  | Icteric                 |
| Cholesterol                         | 120-300   | 70-240 mg/dl    | Hemolyzed               |
| Creatinine                          | 0.6-1.6   | 0.6-2.0 mg/dl   | Lipemic                 |
| Glucose                             | 65-120    | 70-125 mg/dl    |                         |
| Magnesium                           | 1.7-2.4   | 2.0-2.7 mg/dl   |                         |
| Phosphorus                          | 2.6-6.0   | 3.5-7.0 mg/dl   |                         |
| T. Bili                             | 0.2-0.3   | 0.2-0.3 mg/dl   | PCV <u>47</u>           |
| T. Protein                          | 5.5-7.5   | 5.8-8.0 g/dl    | Total Solids <u>3.8</u> |
| Uric Acid                           | < 1       | < 1 mg/dl       |                         |
| Na                                  | 144-160   | 150-165         |                         |
| K                                   | 3.5-5.8   | 3.5-8.8         |                         |
| Cl                                  | 109-122   | 112-129         |                         |
| Glucose                             | 60-115    | 60-130mg/dl     |                         |
| Bun                                 | 10-26     | 15-34 mg/dl     |                         |
| Creatinine                          | 0.5-1.3   | 1.0-2.2mmol/l   |                         |
| Sodium                              | 142-160   | 147-162mmol/l   |                         |
| Potassium                           | 3.4-4.9   | 2.9-4.2mmol/l   |                         |
| Chloride                            | 106-127   | 112-129mmol/l   |                         |
| Lactate                             | 0.6-2.9   | 0.5-2.7mmol/l   |                         |
| TCO2                                | 17-25     | 16-25mmol/l     |                         |
| Ionized Ca                          | 1.12-1.40 | 1.2-1.32mmol/l  |                         |
| Anion Gap                           | 8-25      | 10-27mmol/l     |                         |
| Hematocrit                          | 35-50     | 24-40%          |                         |
| Hemoglobin                          | 12-17     | 8-13g/dl        |                         |
| ACT                                 | 90-110    | 100-160sec      |                         |
| <b>Blood Gases- Arterial</b>        |           |                 |                         |
| PH                                  | 7.35-7.45 | 7.25-7.40       |                         |
| PCO2                                | 34-40     | 28-34mm Hg      |                         |
| PO2                                 | 85-100    | 90-110mm Hg     |                         |
| HCO3                                | 20-24     | 16-20 mmol/l    |                         |
| Base excess                         | [0]-[+6]  | [-5]-[+2]mmol/l |                         |
| SO2                                 | >90       | >90%            |                         |
| <b>Blood Gases- Venous</b>          |           |                 |                         |
| PH                                  | 7.35-7.45 | 7.25-7.40       |                         |
| PCO2                                | 33-38     | 33-51mm Hg      |                         |
| HCO3                                | 15-23     | 13-25mmol/l     |                         |
| <b>SCA2000 Coagulation Analyzer</b> |           |                 |                         |
| APTT                                | 45-112    | 75-99 seconds   |                         |
| PT                                  | 12-16     | 16-24 seconds   |                         |