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ABDOMINAL ULTRASOUND (NAB)

PATIENT NAME: _____ MR# _____

DATE: _____ TECH INITIAL: _____ EXT: _____

FACILITY: MWH / MIF / ICW / MILH / MIKG / MINS / SH

INDICATION: ☐ Abdominal pain. ☐ Elevated liver serum enzyme levels ☐ Abnormal liver function tests

☐ Abnormal physical exam finding : _____

☐ Other: _____

COMPARISON: ☐ None ☐ _____

TECHNIQUE: Transabdominal grayscale and duplex sonography of the abdomen performed.

☐ In addition, targeted sonographic evaluation was performed at the site of clinical concern.

FINDINGS:

LIVER:

☐ The liver is normal in size and echotexture. No focal mass visualized. (Normal length ≤ 17 cm)

☐ Fatty infiltration of the liver suggested by loss of periportal echoes/increased echogenicity compared to the right kidney/loss of through transmission. No focal mass visualized.

☐ Coarse hepatic echotexture. No focal mass visualized.

☐ Nodular hepatic contour with coarse echotexture. No focal mass visualized.

☐ OTHER: _____ ***[ADD DICTATION]

GALLBLADDER: (Check all that apply)

☐ Normally distended. (Normal ≤ 10 cm length)

☐ No pericholecystic fluid, gallbladder wall thickening, shadowing calculi, or sludge.

☐ Negative sonographic Murphy's sign.

☐ Surgically absent

☐ OTHER (see below):

☐ Distended gallbladder

☐ Pericholecystic fluid

☐ Shadowing calculi: ☐ mobile ☐ non mobile

☐ Positive sonographic Murphy's sign

☐ Abnormal gallbladder wall thickening (_____ mm thickness) (Normal ≤ 3 mm thickness)

☐ Sludge

☐ Polyp(s) _____

☐ OTHER _____ ***[ADD DICTATION]

BILE DUCTS:

☐ No abnormal intra- or extra- hepatic biliary ductal dilatation

☐ Extrahepatic bile duct measures _____ mm. (Normal ≤ 6 mm under age 60, allow 1 mm extra per decade above age 60;

Normal ≤ 10 mm status post cholecystectomy)

☐ OTHER _____ ***[ADD DICTATION]

PORTAL VEIN:

☐ Patent with appropriate flow to the liver. (Normal main portal vein ≤ 17 mm diameter)

☐ OTHER _____ ***[ADD DICTATION]

PANCREAS:

☐ Visualized pancreas is within normal limits.

☐ Visualized pancreas is unremarkable, but please note that significant portions of the pancreas are suboptimally visualized, potentially obscuring pathology.

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[] Pancreas not visualized and likely obscured by overlying viscera.
[] OTHER. _____ ***[ADD DICTATION]

RIGHT KIDNEY: _____ cm in length. (Normal range 9-13 cm)

- [] Normal renal parenchymal echogenicity
[] No obstruction, renal calculi, or focal lesion.
[] OTHER. (see below)
 [] Increased renal parenchymal echogenicity
 [] Cyst(s)
 [] Solid Mass
 [] Hydronephrosis (mild/moderate/severe)
 [] Shadowing Calculus
 [] Cortical thinning

NOTES: _____ ***[ADD DICTATION]

LEFT KIDNEY: _____ cm in length. (Normal range 9-13 cm)

- [] Normal renal parenchymal echogenicity
[] No obstruction, renal calculi, or focal lesion.
[] OTHER. (see below)
 [] Increased renal parenchymal echogenicity
 [] Cyst(s)
 [] Solid Mass
 [] Hydronephrosis (mild/moderate/severe)
 [] Shadowing Calculus
 [] Cortical thinning

NOTES: _____ ***[ADD DICTATION]

SPLEEN: _____ cm in maximal dimension (Normal \leq 13 cm)

- [] Homogenous in echotexture without discrete splenic abnormality.
[] OTHER _____ ***[ADD DICTATION]

ABDOMINAL AORTA:

- [] Normal caliber abdominal aorta.
[] Suboptimally visualized secondary to overlying bowel gas, although visualized segments are normal caliber.
[] Could not be adequately assessed due to technical factors.
[] Atherosclerotic irregularity of the abdominal aorta noted.

[] OTHER. _____ ***[ADD DICTATION]

IVC: [] Patent. [] OTHER. _____ ***[ADD DICTATION]

IMPRESSION: *Preliminary findings/impression subject to radiologist review.*

- [] Normal abdominal ultrasound.
[] Normal abdominal ultrasound. However, please note that there was suboptimal visualization of the
_____. Follow up CT or MRI could be performed as deemed clinically
necessary.

[] ADD DICTATION