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CHIARI MALFORM SCREEN MRI, SINGLE SLICE[737.2450]

Reason: MRI

Dictated by Melanie Anderson, DVM

Multiple magnetic resonance sequences of the caudal fossa/cervical spine were obtained on March 18, 2021.

Findings:

1. There is crowding of the caudal fossa resulting in flattening of the caudal cerebellum.

- 2. There is mild attenuation of signal immediately rostral to the foramen magnum by the cerebellar vermis, however, the vermis is contained within the caudal fossa without herniation.
- 3. The cervical spinal cord is normal and the central canal is normal in size.

Conclusions:

1. Chiari-like malformation/caudal occipital malformation syndrome. No evidence of syrinx formation or foramen magnum herniation.

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