

VIRTUAL BLOAT SEMINAR

Helping Newfoundland

Dog Owners

to Better understand

Bloat



TIMBERKNOLL'S
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committed to spreading
hope and healing by providing
Newfoundland dog pet therapy
to Veterans, Military Families,
First Responders
Patients battling serious illness
and the
Medical staff
who care for them*



Since the beginning of this year, TimberKnoll's Spirit Cove has brought Newfie Therapy to over 5300 patients! Hospital workers and First Responders are particularly hard hit by the trauma of saving lives during Covid. Our therapy dogs have brought the much-needed stress relief and hope that these special heroes so desperately need.

Newfie Therapy is the only National Network of Newfoundland therapy dogs. If you're doing therapy work or interested in learning about doing therapy work and would like to be a part of the Newfie Therapy network, email us at: info@newfietherapy.org

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contact your veterinarian immediately**

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Dr. Kenney graduated from the United States Military Academy at West Point, and she served as an officer in the Army as a helicopter pilot. . Kenney graduated from the Veterinary School of Medicine at Auburn University then she opened the Union County Pet Hospital.

With almost 30 years of experience in general veterinary medicine, Dr. Kenney is a strong advocate of continuing veterinary education. and she enjoys teaching others and sharing this passion for knowledge.

She is a Past President of the Southeastern Newfoundland Club and a board member of the SENC Rescue Inc (Newfoundland Rescue for the Southeast US).

Furthermore, she is a founding board member of the North Georgia Animal Emergency Hospital and currently presides as President of the board.

The Phases of Bloat



Phase 1

- Pacing, panting and salivating
- Attempts to Vomit
- Visible Enlargement of the stomach/abdomen



Phase 2

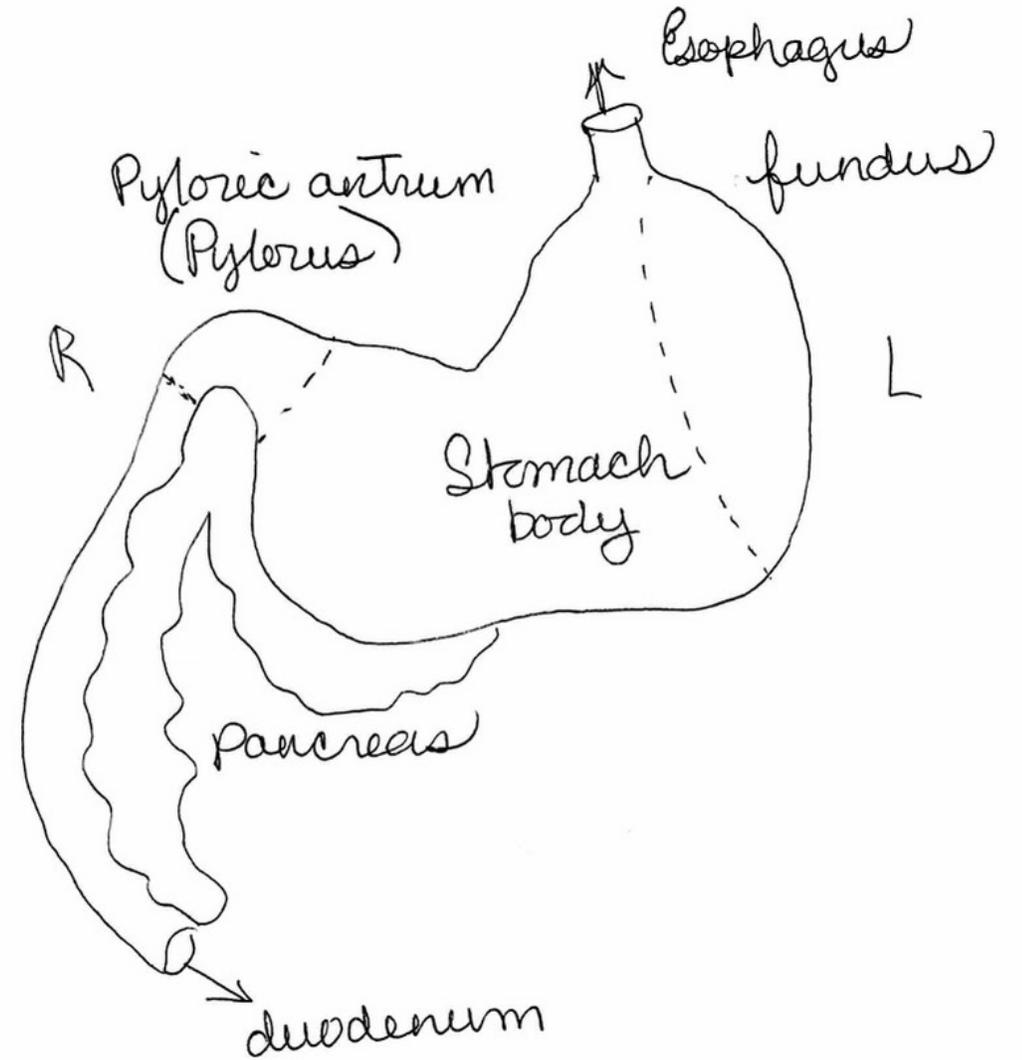
- Pacing, panting and salivating
- Attempts to vomit every 2 to 3 minutes
- Continued enlargement of the stomach/abdomen and feels tight to the touch
- Gums turn dark red in color
- High heart rate – 200 beats per minute



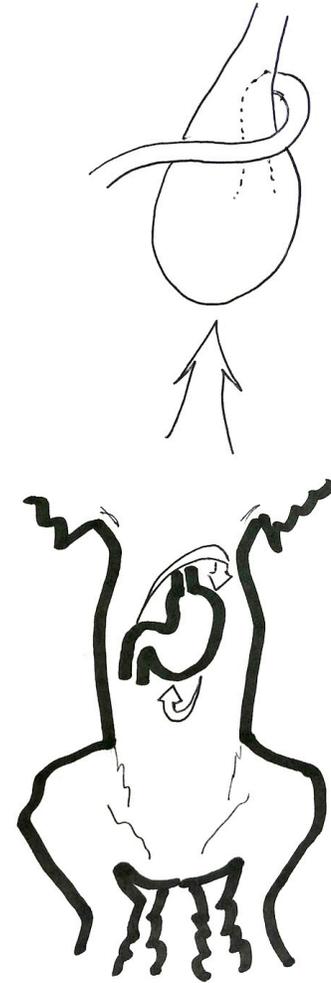
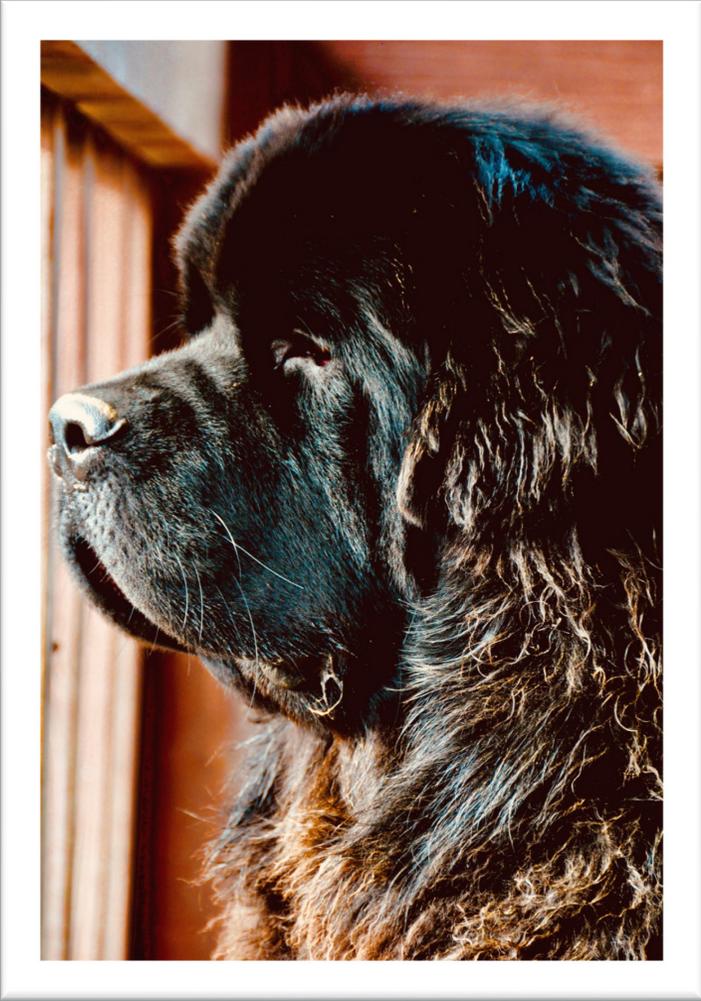
Phase 3

- Gums transition to white or blue in color
- The dog is very shaky while standing or potentially unable to stand
- Stomach/abdomen feels hard to the touch
- Further escalated heart rate
- Whimpering or other sounds indicating pain

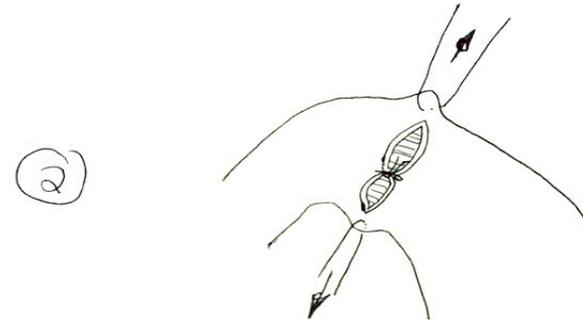
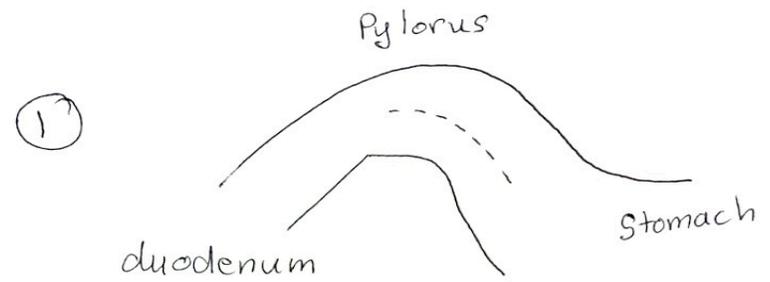
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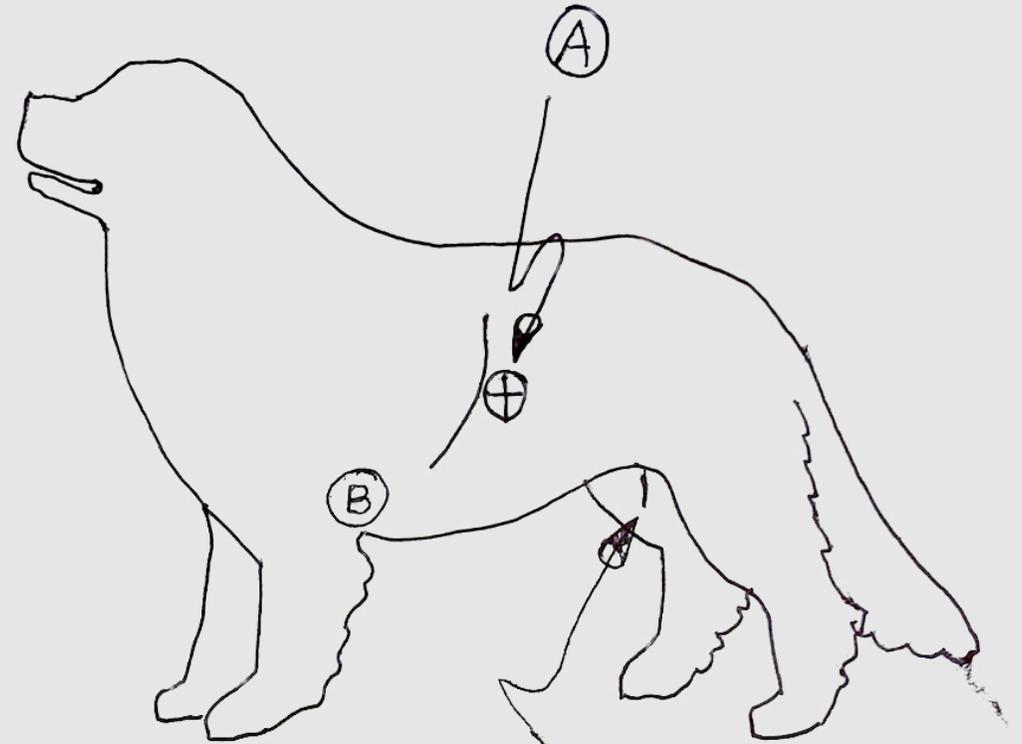


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A: Needle
B: Heartbeat
C: femoral artery