

Mass Veterinary Cardiology Services

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Echocardiogram Report

Date: 04/02/2011 Cats registered name: Tac-n-Tac Hajimi Cats call name: Hajeemi
Age/DOB: Breed Maine Coon Sex M Client Name: Collins, Terry/Tony Weight: Color: Brown Classic
tabby w/white
Exam performed by: Nancy Morris DVM, Diplomate ACVIM Cardiology
Cardiac Screening Exam

Physical Exam

Heart Rate: 185 Weight:

Auscultation: normal Location of murmur: -

Gallop Sound? No

Other findings or comments:

Echocardiogram: mmode

LVIDd 1.50 cm IVSd 0.50 cm LVPWd 0.48 cm
LVIDs 0.72 cm IVSs 0.76 cm LVPWs 0.85 cm
FS% 52% LA 1.32 cm AO 1.11 cm LA/AO 1.18

Subjective Left Atrial size: *normal*

Systolic Anterior Motion of the mitral valve: *no*

Left ventricular outflow velocity: *0.86 m/sec*

End Systolic cavity obliteration: *no*

Papillary muscles: *normal*

Comments:

Assessment/Diagnosis: *Normal - -*

Recommendations: *cleared for breeding - - Physical exam and echocardiographic support for HCM can develop at any time in a cats life, therefore echo screening is suggested every 6 months for breeding cats either male or female. HCM has been shown to have an autosomal dominant mode of inheritance in Maine Coon Cats. HCM is probably hereditary in other cat breeds as well. Other causes for thickened and stiff heart muscle or hypertrophy is high blood pressure and high circulating thyroid hormones. If your cat is over 7 years of age or has known kidney disease, he or she should have a blood pressure and T4 blood level done to rule out these as a potential cause for hypertrophy.*

Veterinarians Signature: *Nancy Morris DVM; DACVIM - C*

Equipment make/model used: *Acuson cypress*