



Hip Evaluation Report

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Reference #: 863373

Report Date: 1/16/2007

Practice #:

Radiography Date: 12/26/2006

Date Received: 1/14/2007

Owner:

SCARLETT SANDERS
3758 FOXHUNT ROAD
CHIPLEY, FL 32428
UNITED STATES

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ANIMAL	
UKC/GRCH STARR SUREFIRE SUPERHERO OF FS CANINE / GERMAN SHEPHERD	Reg. #: DN13826902
Date of Birth: 9/29/2005 Sex: M Weight: 67 lbs. Age: 15 mo.	Microchip: 094*016*626 AVID Tattoo:

RESULTS			
LEFT	Distraction Index (DI)	0.30	DI is less than or equal to 0.30, with no radiographic evidence of DJD.
	Degenerative Joint Disease (DJD)	None	
	Cavitation	No	
	Other Findings	Not Applicable	
RIGHT	Distraction Index (DI)	0.29	DI is less than or equal to 0.30, with no radiographic evidence of DJD.
	Degenerative Joint Disease (DJD)	None	
	Cavitation	No	
	Other Findings	Not Applicable	

Please note that the PennHIP DI is a measure of hip joint laxity. It does not allude to a "passing" or "failing" hip score.

LAXITY PROFILE RANKING

The laxity profile ranking is based on the hip with the greater laxity (DI). This interpretation is based on a cross-section of 7,103 CANINE animals of the GERMAN SHEPHERD breed. The median DI for this group is 0.40.

Percentiles									
> 90th	90th	80th	70th	60th	50th	40th	30th	20th	10th
					Median				
									< 10th

The chart above indicates the ranking of your animal's passive hip laxity (DI) in relation to all CANINE animals of the GERMAN SHEPHERD breed in our database. This result means that 1) your animal's hips are tighter than approximately 90% of this group of animals (alternatively, 10% of the group has tighter hips than your animal), and 2) your animal's hip laxity is in the tighter half of the laxity profile. Breed-specific evaluations are analyzed semi-annually. Consequently, the average laxity and range of laxity for any given group will change over time.

PennHIP does not make specific breeding recommendations. Selection of sire and dam for mating is the decision of the breeder.

NOTE: As a minimum breeding criterion, we propose that breeding stock be selected from the population of animals having hip laxity in the tighter half of the breed (to the left of the median mark on the graph). Higher selection pressure equates to more rapid expected genetic change per generation.

By implementing selection based on passive hip laxity, we expect the breed average DI over the years to move toward tighter hip configuration, meaning lower hip dysplasia susceptibility. The PennHIP database permits scientific adjustment of criteria to reflect these shifts; the average laxity and range of laxity for a particular breed will change over time.

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<http://www.pennhip.org>

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STARR SUREFIRE SUPERHERO OF FS

registered name

GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG

breed

WHITE

color

094 016 626

tattoo/microchip/DNA profile

1249038

application number

1/24/2007

date of report

DN13826902

registration no.

M

sex

9/29/2005

date of birth

14

age at evaluation in months

GS-CA316/14M/P-PI

O.F.A. NUMBER

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The results of the examination submitted to OFA indicate that no evidence of congenital cardiac disease was recognized.

NORMAL - PRACTITIONER

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Based upon the radiograph submitted, there was no evidence of Osteochondrosis or Degenerative Joint Disease (DJD)

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The results of the examination submitted to OFA indicate that no evidence of patellar luxation was recognized.

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Based on the laboratory results submitted no evidence of thyroid disease was recognized.

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MDR1 Genotyping Results

OWNER

Scarlett Sanders

The following dogs have been tested for the Multi-Drug Sensitivity mutation.

Mutant / Mutant

None

Mutant / Normal

None

Normal / Normal

Starr Surefire SuperHero Of FS

Explanation of test results:

Mutant/Mutant- These dogs carry the mutation and can not pass on a normal gene to their offspring. These dogs would be expected to experience toxicity after normal doses of loperamide (Imodium(r)), and some anticancer drugs, and high doses of ivermectin (greater than 50 micrograms per kilogram).

Mutant/Normal- These dogs carry the mutation and may pass on the mutant gene to their offspring. These dogs may experience toxicity after normal doses of loperamide (Imodium(r)), and some anticancer drugs, and high doses of ivermectin (greater than 50 micrograms per kilogram).

Normal/Normal- These dogs do not carry the mutation, and will not pass on the mutation to their offspring. These dogs would not be expected to experience unexpected adverse drug reactions to normal doses of ivermectin, loperamide (Imodium(r)), and some anticancer drugs.

Current list of drugs that have been documented to cause problems:

Ivermectin (Antiparasitic agent)

Loperamide (Imodium(r); over-the-counter antidiarrheal agent)

Doxorubicin (Anticancer agent)

Vincristine (Anticancer agent)

Vinblastine (Anticancer agent)

For more information, please see the following web sites:

<http://www.vgl.ucdavis.edu/research/canine/projects/mdr1/>

<http://www.vetmed.wsu.edu/depts-vcpl/index.asp>

Thank you for participating in our research project.

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