MRI Lumbar Spine Report

The patient presents with multilevel degenerative changes. There is evidence of mild central canal narrowing from L1-L2 through the upper levels (described as normal). A more significant compression noted within the lower cervical canals resulting in an encroachment upon exit foramina. Multilevel left neural foramen stenosis is observed between L1 and L2 down to M6. Left subarachnoid space appears adequate without notable desiccation or hemorrhage. Featureless lumbosacral disc material diffuse abnormality seen mainly over all levels. Diffuse right paracentral facet joint hypertrophy is present extending into both sacroiliac joints along with secondary osteophyte formation. No associated ligamentum flavum bulging are identified. Associated muscle spasm may be contributing to symptoms. Bony structures appear intact. Radiculopathies due to nerve root compressions by bone growth have been suggested particularly affecting the L2 – S1 roots. Clinically correlates sought.