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PATIENT: ANDREW CATO  
DOB: 08/10/1987 DOS: 09/27/2022 CHART #: 4285  
EXAM: MRI OF THE RIGHT KNEE WITHOUT CONTRAST

HISTORY: Knee pain, radiating down the leg, difficulty going up and down the stairs.

TECHNIQUE: Multiplanar MR imaging of the right knee was performed without contrast on Hitachi open MRI unit.

Coronal PD, T2 and STIR; sagittal PD and PD fat suppressed; axial T2 and T2 fat suppressed images of the knee were obtained.

COMPARISON: None.

FINDINGS: No bone marrow edema, bony lesion or fracture identified.

There is soft tissue edema along the anterior aspect of the knee joint.

Increased signal is noted in the anterior cruciate ligament suggesting a partial tear.

The posterior cruciate ligament, medial and lateral menisci and collateral ligaments are normal in signal and appearance. The quadriceps and patellar tendons are preserved.

The periarticular soft tissue planes are maintained.

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### IMPRESSION:

1. PARTIAL TEAR OF THE ANTERIOR CRUCIATE LIGAMENT.
2. SOFT TISSUE EDEMA ALONG THE ANTERIOR ASPECT OF THE KNEE JOINT.

Thank you for referring this patient to us.

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