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PATIENT: RICARDO FELISME

DOB: 09/30/1980 DOS: 02/03/2022 CHART #: 24405

EXAM: MRI OF THE LUMBAR SPINE WITHOUT CONTRAST

HISTORY: Low back pain.

COMPARISON: None.

Additional sanitizing / safety protocols recommended by the CDC were performed.

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

Sagittal and axial T1 weighted, sagittal STIR weighted and sagittal and axial T2 weighted images of the lumbar spine were obtained.

FINDINGS: There are no endplate changes. Pedicles are intact.

The pars interarticularis is unremarkable. There is no stress reaction. Posterior elements are symmetric. The musculature is unremarkable. The retroperitoneum is within normal limits. There is no paraspinal abnormality.

There is prominent straightening of the lumbar lordosis. Disc height and hydration is normal throughout. There is no fracture or listhesis.

Conus medullaris is unremarkable. There is no solid organ injury.

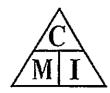
L1-L2: There is no central or foraminal stenosis.

L2-L3: There is no central or foraminal stenosis.

L3-L4: There is a disc bulge. A herniation is seen at the proximal right foramen.

L4-L5: There is a disc bulge. There is no stenosis. A herniation is seen at the proximal to mid right foramen seen on image #9 of series #3.

L5-S1: There is a disc bulge. There is no stenosis.



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IMPRESSION:

1. A HERNIATION IS NOTED AT THE MID-TO-PROXIMAL RIGHT FORAMEN AT THE L4-L5 LEVEL, AS NOTED.

- 2. THERE IS A HERNIATION NOTED AT THE RIGHT FORAMEN AT THE L3-L4 LEVEL, AS NOTED.
- 3. STRAIGHTENING OF THE LUMBAR LORDOSIS SUGGESTS PROMINENT SPASM. DISC BULGES ARE SEEN AT THE L3-L4 THROUGH L5-S1 LEVELS.

Thank you for referring this patient to us.

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