

## PATIENT DISCHARGE SUMMARY

**OSU Case Number:** 000448316

**Client:** Teresa Sweeney

**Patient:** Forest Pearl Jd

**Referring Veterinarian:** Tod Beckett Fax: (614) 766-2470

**Date Admitted:** 7/02/2018 **Date Discharged:** 7/02/2018

**Patient Status:** Released

**Clinician:** John Bonagura DVM, DACVIM

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**Final Diagnosis: Structurally normal heart**

**No evidence of congenital heart disease**

**No evidence of hypertrophic cardiomyopathy**

**History and Clinical Problems:** Forest Pearl JD is a 4 year old male Maine Coon cat that presented to The Ohio State University College of Veterinary Medicine Cardiology Service for echocardiographic certification of cardiac health. He has been doing well and there are no concerns about him.

**Diagnostic Procedures and Physical Findings:** Healthy cat with no murmurs or gallops detected

Wt. 11.4 kg

Echocardiography:

A screening echocardiogram was performed

This examination emphasized cardiac chamber size, wall thicknesses, and heart function

2D echocardiographic imaging was within limits of normal and similar to his last examination

There was no evidence of congenital heart malformation or of hypertrophic cardiomyopathy

Ventricular systolic function was normal

**Prognosis:** This screening examination did not reveal any evidence of congenital or acquired heart disease.

Some disorders, such as hypertrophic cardiomyopathy (HCM) are classified as adult-onset, genetic heart diseases. These may develop later in life and for this reason the examination findings should be interpreted as "normal for this time frame".

Cats used for recurrent breeding should be re-evaluated at regular intervals (e.g., yearly) since HCM can develop later in life, even after a normal screening examination.

**Next Appointment:** If breeding is continued a reevaluation echocardiogram should be scheduled in approximately one year. You can discuss this with the cardiologist if you have any questions.

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John Bonagura, DVM, DACVIM