

## Patellar Luxation Examination

Name	Ambrose - Adrahil The Ambrosian
Breed	Chihuahua
Microchip	991003001417299
DOB	3/9/2021
Sex	M
Examining Veterinary Clinic	<b>SWAN VALLEY VET</b> 15 Woollcott Ave West Swan 6055 info@swanvalleyvet.com.au
Veterinarian	<i>DR TRACY PALUSZAK</i>
Date of Evaluation	<i>29/4/22</i>

### Patellar Examination Results

#### 1. Grading - Circle Applicable

	Left				Right			
Normal	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes				<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes			
Bilateral Grade	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Unilateral Grade	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Medial	Yes				Yes			
Lateral	Yes				Yes			
Intermittent	Yes				Yes			
Permanent	Yes				Yes			
Onset 6-12 Months	Yes				Yes			
Onset >12 Months	Yes				Yes			

#### 3. Classification of luxation

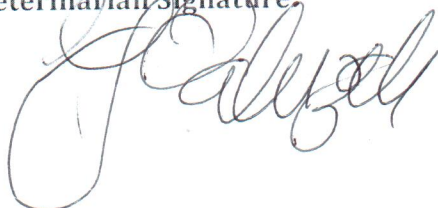
**Grade 1-** The patella easily luxates manually at full extension of the stifle joint, but returns to the trochlea when released.

**Grade 2-** There is frequent patellar luxation which, in some cases, becomes more or less permanent.

**Grade 3 -** The patella is permanently luxated with torsion of the tibia and deviation of the tibial crest of between 30 degrees and 50 degrees from the cranial/caudal plane.

**Grade 4 -** The tibia is medially twisted and the tibial crest may show further deviation medially with the result that it lies 50 degrees to 90 degrees from the cranial/caudal plane.

Veterinarian Signature



Date

*29/4/22*