

## PennHIP Report

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## Patient Information

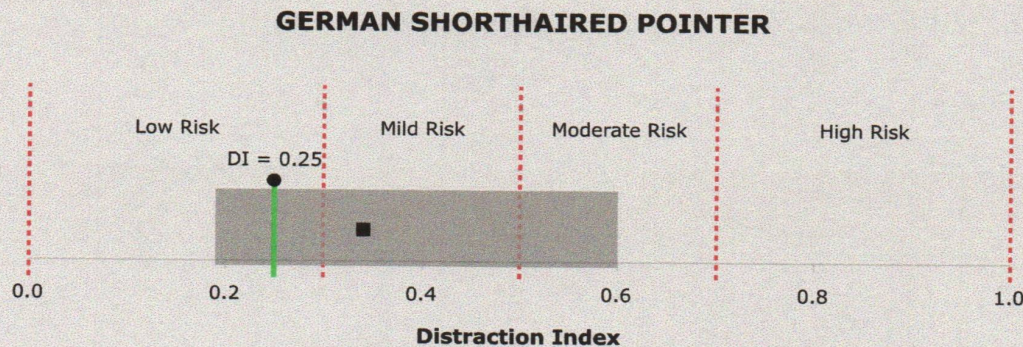
Client: Swieter, Robbie	Tattoo Num:
Patient Name: Sharp Shooters Only The Worthy	Patient ID: 17663
Reg. Name:	Registration Num: SS34747601
PennHIP Num: 200446	Microchip Num: 985141004808148
Species: Canine	Breed: GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTER
Date of Birth: 14 May 2022	Age: 22 months
Sex: Female	Weight: 50 lbs/22.7 kgs
Date of Study: 26 Mar 2024	Date Submitted: 26 Mar 2024
Date of Report: 27 Mar 2024	

## Findings

Distraction Index (DI): Right DI = 0.25, Left DI = 0.23.  
 Osteoarthritis (OA): **No radiographic evidence of OA for either hip.**  
 Cavitation/Other Findings: No cavitation present.

## Interpretation

Distraction Index (DI): The laxity ranking is based on the hip with the greater laxity (larger DI). In this case the DI used is 0.25.  
 OA Risk Category: The DI is less than or equal to 0.30. This patient is at minimal risk for hip OA.  
 Distraction Index Chart:



**BREED STATISTICS:** This interpretation is based on a cross-section of 1770 canine patients of the GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTER breed in the AIS PennHIP database. The gray strip represents the central 90% range of DIs (0.19 - 0.60) for the breed. The breed average DI is 0.34 (solid square). The patient DI is the solid circle (0.25).

**SUMMARY:** The degree of laxity (DI = 0.25) falls within the central 90% range of DIs for the breed. This amount of hip laxity places hip at a minimal risk to develop hip OA. **No radiographic evidence of OA for either hip.**

**INTERPRETATION AND RECOMMENDATIONS:** No OA/Minimal Risk: Unlikely to show radiographic evidence of hip OA; even more unlikely to develop clinical signs of hip dysplasia. **Recommendations:** Normal to strenuous activity is permitted. Keep lean: try to maintain BCS at 5/9 for a longer and healthier life. **Breeding Recommendations:** Please Consult the PennHIP Manual.

**COMMENTS:**

Thank you for following policy and sending at least 2 Distraction views, as confirmation, when the hips appear tight (less than 0.30 DI).