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EXAM: MRI LEFT KNEE WITHOUT CONTRAST

HISTORY: Lateral knee pain. Assess for lateral meniscus tear.

TECHNIQUE: MRI was performed on the GE Signa HD 1.5 Tesla magnet.

Axial FSE T2, coronal T1, coronal proton density with fat saturation, sagittal proton density with fat saturation, sagittal proton density weighted images were performed.

COMPARISON: No previous relevant examinations available for comparison.

FINDINGS:

The patella is not malpositioned. There is preserved cartilage associated with the central patellar apex and lateral patellar facet. However, there is grade 2+ chondral thinning of the medial patellar facet. This is best seen on image 14 of series 102. Findings confirmed on sagittal images 10 through 12 of series 106.

The extensor mechanism is intact. There is a small enthesophyte at the insertion of the quadriceps.

There is a joint effusion without a popliteal cyst.

The cruciate and collateral ligaments are intact. In the lateral compartment there is minimal cartilage thinning. There is no lateral meniscus tear. The popliteus tendon is normal.

In the medial compartment coronal image 10 of series 104 and axial image 20 of series 102 which shows a root avulsion tear of the posterior horn of the medial meniscus. The adjacent and partially extruded meniscal body shows some degree of enlargement due to mucoid changes which are internal.

In addition, there is chondromalacia of the femoral condyle and tibial plateau which is quite modest although there is a suggestion of very early osteoarthrosis.

IMPRESSION:

- 1. Chondromalacia patella, especially medial patellar facet. (See above)
- 2. Joint effusion.

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- 3. Chondromalacia medial tibiofemoral compartment.
- 4. Root avulsion tear of the medial meniscus. (See above).

In compliance with recent Worker's Compensation legislation (Labor Code Section 4628 (j) and 5703 (a) and Insurance Code Section 556): I declare under penalty of perjury that I have not violated Labor Code Section 139.3 and that the information contained in this report and its attachments, if any, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, except as to information that I have indicated I received from others. As to that information, I declare under penalty of perjury that the information accurately described the information provided to me and, except as noted herein, that I believe it to be true. Furthermore, this evaluation is in compliance with the guidelines established by the Industrial Medical Council or Administrative Director pursuant to paragraph (5) of subdivision (j) of Labor Code Section 139.2 or 5307.6.

Signed by me in the County of Orange, this 20 day of 4 2023.

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