



Arlo

Arlo is a 10 month old Bulldog Mix who was presented to Mount Laurel Animal Hospital in January 2023 for vomiting and bloody diarrhea. X-rays were taken of Arlo's belly which showed foreign material in the stomach. Foreign material is anything in the gastrointestinal tract that is not food. Depending on where in the gastrointestinal tract it is, a foreign body can be removed by induction of vomiting, endoscopy, or surgery. In Arlo's case, surgery was necessary.

With the help of the EMPATH Project, Arlo was able to get his surgery that very same day. A large amount of unidentifiable, but certainly non-food material, was removed from Arlo's stomach. He recovered well and was sent home later that day to be with his family while he healed.