

TRAUMATIC VENTRICULITIS IN DEEP LITTER SYSTEM MANAGED POULTRY BIRDS - CASE STUDY

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ABSTRACT

Two cases of traumatic ventriculitis were observed in organized poultry farm in deep litter system. The case his history was supported by uneasiness, lack of appetite, reluctant to take feed and water, gradual weight loss, emaciation and finally death. Postmortem findings confirmed death due to traumatic ventriculitis with penetration of nail both cases. Nail may be picked up from bedding material made up of wood shavings or from commercial ingredients purchased from local market through supplier. A proper care for bedding material and commercial feed may reduce the traumatic ventriculitis in poultry birds.

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