

Schales

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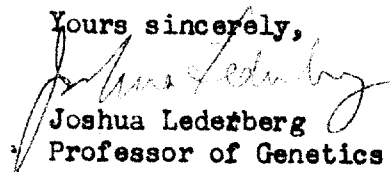
Dr. John L. Fuller
Jackson Laboratory
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Dear Dr. Fuller:

I have had an inquiry from Dr. Schales of New Orleans about the genetics of "congenital subluxation of the hip" in German Shepherds. The condition appears to be based on an inadequate development of the acetabulum, resulting in destruction of the hip after about six months of age.

If you can furnish me, or obtain for me from your colleagues, citations to any literature on this subject, I will be most grateful. On the other hand, if the condition has not been worked out, and you would be interested in collecting pedigree data, I will be happy to recommend Dr. Schales directly to you.

Yours sincerely,


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