Vaginal and uterine prolapse in a 3-year old ouda ewe in Sokoto, Nigeria

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ABSTRACT

A three (3) year old ewe weighing 37kg was presented to the Usmanu Danfodiyo University veterinary Teaching Hospital Sokoto, Nigeria with a prolapsed vaginal and anorexia. Clinical examination reveals straining, pain, weakness, rough hair coat and diarrhea. The animal was pregnant in its last trimester. Laboratory investigation reveals the presence of helminthes. However the animal lambed 2 days after presentation but uterine prolapse occurred. The Helminthosis was treated using Albendazole suspension; while the prolapsed organs were corrected in each case. Straining must have caused the vaginal prolapse while the violent contraction of the uterus coupled with the fact that the animal is a primiparal and the parturition that interrupted the initial management of the vaginal prolapse may be responsible for the uterine prolapse.

Keyword.

Vaginal, Uterine, Prolapse, Ouda, Ewe.