

POSITION-DEPENDENT DISC HERNIATION AND ASSOCIATED SPINAL INSTABILITY

The recumbent image (34A) shows degenerative disc disease at L5/S1 and an associated minor disc bulge at this level. The upright image (34B) reveals further narrowing of the disc space and a focal posterior disc herniation (arrow) at L5/S1. In addition, associated minor degenerative intersegmental hypermobile instability (retrolisthesis) is present at this same level in the upright position.

Case courtesy of Stand-Up MRI of Orlando, P.A.



34A - Recumbent



34B - Upright

UNOPERATED HYPERMOBILE INTERSEGMENTAL SPINAL INSTABILITY

The recumbent image (28A) shows degenerative disc disease at L4/5 and L5/S1. The upright image (28B) reveals degenerative intersegmental hypermobile instability (anterolisthesis: arrow) at the L4/5 level. The L4/5 and L5/S1 levels show further narrowing of the disc spaces in the upright position.

Case courtesy of Melville MRI, P.C.



28A - Recumbent



28B - Upright