

Brandywine Valley SPCA - Pennsylvania

October 2017 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
Live Release Rate	95%	97%	N/A	96%

Live Release Rate = Live Release / [Live Release + (Total Euthanasia – Owner Request)]

The October Live Release Rate does not include the 0 owner requested euthanasia and 19 animals that died naturally in shelter/care or was processed out as Admin Missing.

Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	289	112	0	401
Owned Pets	122	89	0	211
Total	411	201	0	612

The public can schedule surgeries for their owned pets through our Animal Health Center.

Live Intake

Stray	290	59	0	349
Owner Surrender	101	37	0	138
Adoption Return	7	15	0	22
Transfer In	1	145	0	146
Seized/Custody	0	0	0	0
Total	399	256	0	655

Live Release

Adoption	151	177	0	328
Return to Owner	10	40	0	50
Transfer Out	27	21	0	48
Return to Field	154	0	0	154
Total	342	238	0	580

Return to Field Program: When a healthy unowned cat enters the shelter, the most compassionate and lifesaving approach is to spay/neuter, vaccinate, ear-tip, and return them to where they were found. As long as the cat is thriving, the Return to Field approach is the most humane and effective way to manage the stray cat population in the community.

Euthanasia

Shelter	17	8	0	25
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
Total	17	8	0	25

Other Outcomes

Died	10	2	0	12
Admin Missing*	7	0	0	7
Total	17	2	0	19

* Admin Missing refers to animals that might have escaped, been stolen, not returned from foster care, or otherwise unaccounted for via a normal outcome such as a data entry error or possible duplicate entry.