

Brandywine Valley SPCA - Delaware January 2018 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
Live Release Rate	98%	94%	100%	97%

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

The January Live Release Rate does not include the 0 owner requested euthanasia and 5 animals that died naturally in shelter/care or was processed out as Admin Missing.

Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	482	147	0	629
Owned	176	109	0	285
Total	658	256	0	914

Live Intake

Stray	305	194	0	499
Owner Surrender	78	11	0	89
Adoption Return	4	33	0	37
Transfer In	23	62	0	85
Seized/Custody	6	30	0	36
Total	416	330	0	746

Live Release

Adoption	60	152	0	212
Return to Owner	2	62	0	64
Transfer Out	106	30	0	136
Return to Field	240	0	0	240
Total	408	244	0	652

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	7	15	0	22
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
Total	7	15	0	22

Other Outcomes

Died	4	1	0	5
Admin Missing	0	0	0	0
Total	4	1	0	5

** 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.*