

Brandywine Valley SPCA - Delaware August 2018 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
Live Release Rate	87%	93%	96%	91%

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

The August Live Release Rate does not include the 0 owner requested euthanasia and 20 animals that died naturally in shelter/care or was processed out as Admin Missing.

Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	143	193	0	336
Owned	371	115	0	486
Total	514	308	0	822

Live Intake

Stray	124	226	1	351
Owner Surrender	64	17	1	82
Adoption Return	6	37	0	43
Transfer In	31	224	0	255
Seized/Custody	36	121	24	181
Total	261	625	26	912

Live Release

Adoption	112	286	22	420
Return to Owner	15	110	0	125
Transfer Out	27	37	1	65
Return to Field	48	0	0	48
Total	202	433	23	658

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	31	31	1	63
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
Total	31	31	1	63

Other Outcomes

Died	15	4	0	19
Admin Missing	0	1	0	1
Total	15	5	0	20

** 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.*