

Brandywine Valley SPCA - Delaware September 2019 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
Live Release Rate	92%	95%	100%	94%

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

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

Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	80	168	0	248
Owned	269	104	0	373
Total	349	272	0	621

Live Intake

Stray	102	232	2	336
Owner Surrender	97	8	0	105
Adoption Return	6	17	0	23
Transfer In	112	197	0	309
Seized/Custody	10	61	0	71
Total	327	515	2	844

Live Release

Adoption	85	194	5	284
Return to Owner	4	121	1	126
Transfer Out	158	104	2	264
Return to Field	26	0	0	26
Total	273	419	8	700

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	23	20	0	43
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
Total	23	20	0	43

Other Outcomes

Died	18	1	0	19
Admin Missing	0	0	0	0
Total	18	1	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.*