

Brandywine Valley SPCA - Delaware October 2019 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
Live Release Rate	91%	91%	60%	91%

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 21 animals that died naturally in shelter/care or was processed out as Admin Missing.

Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	132	140	0	272
Owned	385	102	0	487
Total	517	242	0	759

Live Intake

Stray	142	231	4	377
Owner Surrender	78	8	0	86
Adoption Return	3	11	0	14
Transfer In	19	103	0	122
Seized/Custody	18	51	2	71
Total	260	404	6	670

Live Release

Adoption	72	160	0	232
Return to Owner	6	104	0	110
Transfer Out	81	62	3	146
Return to Field	59	0	0	59
Total	218	326	3	547

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	21	31	2	54
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
Total	21	31	2	54

Other Outcomes

Died	17	4	0	21
Admin Missing	0	0	0	0
Total	17	4	0	21

** 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.*