

## Brandywine Valley SPCA - Delaware October 2020 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
<b>Live Release Rate</b>	94%	94%	86%	94%

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

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### Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	330	171	0	501
Owned	345	120	0	465
<b>Total</b>	<b>675</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>966</b>

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### Live Intake

Stray	330	171	4	505
Owner Surrender	116	46	3	165
Adoption Return	6	22	0	28
Transfer In	75	145	0	220
Seized/Custody	24	41	1	66
<b>Total</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>984</b>

### Live Release

Adoption	186	291	3	480
Return to Owner	15	113	0	128
Transfer Out	79	3	3	85
Return to Field	198	0	0	198
<b>Total</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>891</b>

*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	25	1	57
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>57</b>

### Other Outcomes

Died	19	3	1	23
Admin Missing	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>23</b>

*\* 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.*