

**Brandywine Valley SPCA
Pennsylvania & Delaware
4th Quarter 2020 Shelter Statistics**

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
Live Release Rate	96%	96%	92%	96%

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

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

Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	1617	1005	0	2622
Owned	1779	776	0	2555
Total	3396	1781	0	5177

Live Intake

Stray	1305	599	23	1927
Owner Surrender	352	149	3	504
Campus Transfer	8	79	0	87
Adoption Return	29	107	0	136
Transfer In	567	1313	0	1880
Seized/Custody	60	115	7	182
Total	2321	2362	33	4716

Live Release

Adoption	1337	1763	11	3111
Campus Transfer	8	79	0	87
Return to Owner	72	352	7	431
Transfer Out	150	30	4	184
Return to Field	740	0	0	740
Total	2307	2224	22	4553

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	89	84	2	175
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
Total	89	84	2	175

Other Outcomes

Died	54	18	2	74
Admin Missing	5	5	0	10
Total	59	23	2	84

** 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.*