

Brandywine Valley SPCA - Delaware October 2021 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
Live Release Rate	88%	94%	100%	92%

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

Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	219	100	0	319
Owned	351	109	0	460
Total	570	209	0	779

Live Intake

Stray	245	216	26	487
Owner Surrender	22	20	0	42
Campus Transfer	13	111	0	124
Adoption Return	3	14	0	17
Transfer In	34	9	0	43
Seized/Custody	21	69	0	90
Total	338	439	26	803

Live Release

Adoption	153	175	7	335
Campus Transfer	5	52	0	57
Return to Owner	10	129	3	142
Transfer Out	3	12	2	17
Return to Field	88	0	0	88
Total	259	368	12	639

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	34	22	0	56
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
Total	34	22	0	56

Other Outcomes

Died	31	4	0	35
Admin Missing	0	2	0	2
Total	31	6	0	37

** 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.*