

Brandywine Valley SPCA - Delaware August 2021 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
Live Release Rate	95%	91%	88%	93%

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

The August Live Release Rate does not include the 0 owner requested euthanasia and 16 animals that died naturally in shelter/care or were processed out as Admin Missing.

Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	368	164	0	532
Owned	357	149	0	506
Total	725	313	0	1038

Live Intake

Stray	342	177	3	522
Owner Surrender	81	19	0	100
Campus Transfer	73	130	0	203
Adoption Return	4	10	0	14
Transfer In	44	65	0	109
Seized/Custody	127	72	0	199
Total	671	473	3	1147

Live Release

Adoption	215	201	6	422
Campus Transfer	67	93	0	160
Return to Owner	14	86	0	100
Transfer Out	100	49	1	150
Return to Field	167	0	0	167
Total	563	429	7	999

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	28	33	1	62
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
Total	28	33	1	62

Other Outcomes

Died	14	2	0	16
Admin Missing	0	0	0	0
Total	14	2	0	16

** 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.*