

**Brandywine Valley SPCA**  
**Pennsylvania, Delaware, Louisiana**  
**4th Quarter 2021 Shelter Statistics**

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
<b>Live Release Rate</b>	95%	94%	98%	95%

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

*The Live Release Rate does not include the 0 owner requested euthanasia and 98 animals that died naturally in shelter/care or were processed out as Admin Missing.*

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**Spay/Neuter Surgeries**

Shelter	1689	957	0	2646
Owned	1656	842	0	2498
<b>Total</b>	<b>3345</b>	<b>1799</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5144</b>

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**Live Intake**

Stray	1082	709	52	1843
Owner Surrender	195	195	11	401
Campus Transfer	156	521	23	700
Adoption Return	35	104	1	140
Transfer In	596	886	0	1482
Seized/Custody	52	154	11	217
<b>Total</b>	<b>2116</b>	<b>2569</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>4783</b>

**Live Release**

Adoption	1384	1281	94	2759
Campus Transfer	155	522	23	700
Return to Owner	51	388	5	444
Transfer Out	97	210	14	321
Return to Field	476	0	0	476
<b>Total</b>	<b>2163</b>	<b>2401</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>4700</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	111	115	2	228
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>228</b>

**Other Outcomes**

Died	78	11	1	90
Admin Missing	2	6	0	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>98</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.*