

## Brandywine Valley SPCA Delaware - 4th Quarter 2021 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
<b>Live Release Rate</b>	92%	92%	99%	92%

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

*The Live Release Rate does not include the 0 owner requested euthanasia and 78 animals that died naturally in shelter/care or were processed out as Admin Missing.*

### Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	621	300	0	921
Owned	1066	382	0	1448
<b>Total</b>	<b>1687</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2369</b>

### Live Intake

Stray	629	564	49	1242
Owner Surrender	154	86	1	241
Campus Transfer	55	268	0	323
Adoption Return	16	38	1	55
Transfer In	122	140	0	262
Seized/Custody	52	151	11	214
<b>Total</b>	<b>1028</b>	<b>1247</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>2337</b>

### Live Release

Adoption	530	537	65	1132
Campus Transfer	59	142	23	224
Return to Owner	41	307	5	353
Transfer Out	91	56	8	155
Return to Field	266	0	0	266
<b>Total</b>	<b>987</b>	<b>1042</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>2130</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	80	82	1	163
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>163</b>

### Other Outcomes

Died	64	9	1	74
Admin Missing	1	3	0	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>78</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.*

### Ending Animal Count

October 1st	330	165	63	558
Dec 31st	226	276	22	524