

Brandywine Valley SPCA Pennsylvania - 4th Quarter 2021 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
Live Release Rate	97%	96%	97%	97%

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

The Live Release Rate does not include the 0 owner requested euthanasia and 20 animals that died naturally in shelter/care or were processed out as Admin Missing.

Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	657	268	0	925
Owned	582	451	0	1033
Total	1239	719	0	1958

Live Intake

Stray	453	145	3	601
Owner Surrender	41	109	10	160
Campus Transfer	101	253	23	377
Adoption Return	19	66	0	85
Transfer In	377	320	0	697
Seized/Custody	0	3	0	3
Total	991	896	36	1923

Live Release

Adoption	854	744	29	1627
Campus Transfer	16	17	0	33
Return to Owner	10	81	0	91
Transfer Out	1	68	6	75
Return to Field	210	0	0	210
Total	1091	910	35	2036

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	31	33	1	65
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
Total	31	33	1	65

Other Outcomes

Died	14	2	0	16
Admin Missing	1	3	0	4
Total	15	5	0	20

** 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

Oct 1st	267	185	4	456
Dec 31st	121	133	4	258