

## Brandywine Valley SPCA - Delaware January 2022 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
<b>Live Release Rate</b>	97%	93%	100%	95%

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

*The Live Release Rate does not include owner requested euthanasia, campus transfer, or animals that died naturally in shelter/care or was processed out as Admin Missing.*

### Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	191	158	0	349
Owned	341	152	0	493
<b>Total</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>842</b>

### Live Intake

Stray	184	149	1	334
Owner Surrender	47	23	0	70
Campus Transfer	2	17	0	19
Adoption Return	4	10	0	14
Transfer In	33	27	0	60
Seized/Custody	22	73	7	102
<b>Total</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>599</b>

### Live Release

Adoption	137	167	15	319
Campus Transfer	15	33	0	48
Return to Owner	6	95	2	103
Transfer Out	73	25	0	98
Return to Field	89	0	0	89
<b>Total</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>657</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	11	23	0	34
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>34</b>

### Other Outcomes

Died	3	3	2	8
Admin Missing	1	0	0	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</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.*