PAWS CHICAGO SHELTER DATA

ADOPTION PROGRAM	2024 DOG	2024 CAT	2024 TOTAL	2023 DOG	2023 CAT	2023 TOTAL	2022 DOG	2022 CAT	2022 TOTAL
PET ADMISSIONS	2045	2369	4415	2,214	2,730	4,854	2,257	2,556	4,813
Owner Surrender to PAWS Chicago	664	992	1656	547	1,103	1,650	494	1,043	1,537
Transfer from Organizations within Chicago	841	1157	1999	1,109	1,419	2,528	696	1,104	1,800
Incoming Transfers from Organizations Outside of Chicago	506	208	714	453	179	632	1,032	333	1,365
Strays	11	8	19	8	21	29	14	12	26
Born in Care	23	4	27	7	8	15	21	64	85
ADOPTIONS	1982	2399	4382	1,973	2,588	4,561	2,098	2,531	4,629
OUTGOING TRANSFERS	43	2	45	32	5	37	22	11	33
RETURNED TO OWNER	43	10	53	52	14	66	74	3	77
LOST		1	1						
*DOGS & CATS EUTHANIZED	36	36	72	29	20	49	32	30	62
Percent of Outcomes	1.70% 17 Medical 19 Behavior	1.46% 36 Medical	1.57% 53 Medical 19 Behavior	1.38% 14 Medical 15 Behavior	0.76% 20 Medical	1.03% 34 Medical 15 Behavior	1.43% 18 Medical 14 Behavior	1.15% 30 Medical	1.28% 48 Medical 14 Behavior
*DIED WHILE IN SHELTER	13	14	27	12	10	22	14	29	43
Percent of Outcomes	0.61%	0.57%	0.59%	0.57%	0.38%	0.46%	0.63%	1.11%	0.89%
SAVE RATE	98.02%	97.83%	97.93%	98.23%	98.95%	98.62%	98.15%	97.94%	98.04%

^{*2024} Rabbit - Pet Admissions (1) / Transfers from Organizations within Chicago (1) / Adoptions (1)

*EUTHANASIA POLICY

Every homeless pet at PAWS Chicago is treated with complete medical care and is guaranteed life. Euthanasia is reserved only for dangerous dogs who pose a threat to the public or those cats and dogs that are irremediably suffering, in which medical treatment cannot alleviate their conditions.

PAWS CHICAGO BY THE NUMBERS

SPAY/NEUTER	2024	2023	2022
TOTAL SURGERIES	17,168	16,587	15,424
Public (owned)	8,816	10,270	9,822
TNR (all ferals)	3,672	2,428	1,977
PAWS Internals	2,899	3,129	3,070
Other Rescue Organizations (not including ferals)	1,781	760	555
TOTAL ANIMALS SERVED			
Adoptions, Animals in Custody, & Clinical Services Provided	23,842	22,170	22,107
PET FOOD BANK			
Number of Cats & Dogs			7,816
Pounds of Food Distributed	84,430	54,989	18,108
VOLUNTEER PROGRAM			
Total Volunteer Hours	125,071	106,221	95,386
New Volunteers (Via Orientation)	2,344	1,935	2,420
Average Daily Number of Animals in Foster	201.8	171.09	192.59