



Oregon Humane Society – 2019 Pet Adoption Stats

2019 OHS Adoptions:

11,712 total adoptions in 2019. *Stopped tracking adoption rate, only using live release rate moving forward.

OHS Live Release Rate (AKA Save Rate):

OHS Saved 11,961 animals with an Annual Live Release Rate of: 98%

OHS saved 4,581 dogs with an Annual Live Release Rate of: 98%

OHS saved 6,799 cats with an Annual Live Release Rate of: 98%

OHS saved 581 small animals with an Annual Live Release Rate of: 96%

Total Incoming Pets: 12,283 (-2.3%)

Total Incoming Pets from Oregon: 6,948 (-1.0%)

Total Incoming Pets from Elsewhere: 5,335 (-4.79%)

Total Owner Surrenders/Returns: 3,981 (-3.9%)

Length of Stay Averages

The Oregon Humane Society calculates the average length of stay (LOS) by including the day of arrival through the day of disposition (adoption, transfer, euthanasia or return to owner). This includes all time the animal was in the care of the Oregon Humane Society.

Felines:

Cats: 12.1 days (+3.4%)

Kittens: 15.1 days (-4.4%)

Canines:

Dogs: 9.6 days (+7.9%)

Puppies: 11.8 days (-4.8%)

Second Chance interagency transfer

7,834 animals (-3.6% from 2018) **from 75 animal welfare agencies** (humane societies, rescues, animal controls) in the Pacific NW, Oregon, California, Washington, Texas, Hawaii, and Louisiana giving them a “second chance” at finding a loving home when time and resources have run out at their shelter.