



The Animal Shelter Alliance of Portland (ASAP) is a coalition of the greater Portland metro area's leading animal welfare organizations and the veterinary medical community.

Our mission states: Working together, we develop and sustain metro-wide programs and services that reduce the number of homeless cats and dogs, and save the lives of all shelter pets that can be humanely and responsibly re-homed.

ASAP has adopted the language of the Asilomar Accords to standardize the collection and reporting of shelter data.



| Animal Shelter Alliance of Portland Community Statistics | 2006 | | | 2010 | | | 2014 | | | 2017 | | | 2018 | | | 2019 | | | Percent Change 2006 to 2019 | Percent Change 2018 to 2019 |
|--|---------------------------|--------|--------|---------------------------|--------|--------|---------------------------|--------|--------|---------------------------------|--------|--------|---------------------------------|--------|--------|---------------------------------|--------|--------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | Dog | Cat | Total | Dog | Cat | Total | Dog | Cat | Total | Dog | Cat | Total | Dog | Cat | Total | Dog | Cat | Total | | |
| A BEGINNING SHELTER COUNT | 323 | 699 | 1,022 | 323 | 750 | 1,073 | 519 | 543 | 1,062 | 272 | 419 | 691 | 294 | 451 | 745 | 347 | 425 | 772 | -24.5% | 3.6% |
| B Subtotal: Intake from the Public | 14,930 | 22,353 | 37,283 | 11,410 | 19,615 | 31,025 | 9,164 | 12,071 | 21,235 | 8,065 | 10,424 | 18,489 | 7,955 | 9,774 | 17,729 | 7,725 | 10,366 | 18,091 | -51.5% | 2.0% |
| C Subtotal: Incoming Transfers from Within Coalition | 485 | 1,061 | 1,546 | 262 | 1,310 | 1,572 | 219 | 1,498 | 1,717 | 228 | 1,290 | 1,518 | 209 | 1,133 | 1,342 | 122 | 1,424 | 1,546 | 0.0% | 15.2% |
| D Subtotal: Incoming Transfers from Outside Coalition | 1,949 | 932 | 2,881 | 3,216 | 1,507 | 4,723 | 4,117 | 2,557 | 6,674 | 5,600 | 4,341 | 9,941 | 5,272 | 5,927 | 11,199 | 4,882 | 6,122 | 11,004 | 282.0% | -1.7% |
| E Subtotal: Intake from Owner Request Euthanasia | 1,172 | 1,553 | 2,725 | 1,065 | 1,156 | 2,221 | 813 | 664 | 1,477 | 668 | 452 | 1,120 | 752 | 495 | 1,247 | 669 | 425 | 1,094 | -59.9% | -12.3% |
| F Total Intake [B + C + D + E] | 18,536 | 25,899 | 44,435 | 15,953 | 23,588 | 39,541 | 14,313 | 16,790 | 31,103 | 14,561 | 16,507 | 31,068 | 14,188 | 17,329 | 31,517 | 13,398 | 18,337 | 31,735 | -28.6% | 0.7% |
| G Owner/Guardian Req Euthanasia (U/U Only) | 1,172 | 1,553 | 2,725 | 1,046 | 1,112 | 2,158 | 813 | 664 | 1,477 | 666 | 452 | 1,118 | 752 | 495 | 1,247 | 669 | 425 | 1,094 | -59.9% | -12.3% |
| H ADJUSTED TOTAL INTAKE [F minus G] | 17,364 | 24,346 | 41,710 | 14,907 | 22,476 | 37,383 | 13,500 | 16,126 | 29,626 | 13,895 | 16,055 | 29,950 | 13,436 | 16,834 | 30,270 | 12,729 | 17,912 | 30,641 | -26.5% | 1.2% |
| I ADOPTIONS | 6,785 | 10,366 | 17,151 | 8,163 | 12,313 | 20,476 | 8,306 | 11,840 | 20,146 | 9,183 | 12,528 | 21,711 | 8,671 | 13,738 | 22,409 | 8,082 | 14,317 | 22,399 | 30.6% | 0.0% |
| J OUTGOING TRANSFERS: Within Coalition | 832 | 1,240 | 2,072 | 247 | 1,316 | 1,563 | 219 | 1,498 | 1,717 | 228 | 1,290 | 1,518 | 209 | 1,133 | 1,342 | 122 | 1,424 | 1,546 | -25.4% | 15.2% |
| K OUTGOING TRANSFERS: Outside Coalition | 644 | 190 | 834 | 949 | 460 | 1,409 | 572 | 619 | 1,191 | 307 | 389 | 696 | 332 | 276 | 608 | 405 | 328 | 733 | -12.1% | 20.6% |
| L1 RETURN TO OWNER/GUARDIAN | 5,412 | 561 | 5,973 | 4,099 | 1,110 | 5,209 | 3,905 | 594 | 4,499 | 3,774 | 554 | 4,328 | 3,585 | 583 | 4,168 | 3,491 | 637 | 4,128 | -30.9% | -1.0% |
| L2 RETURN TO HABITAT | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 172 | 172 | 0 | 124 | 124 | 0 | 140 | 140 | 0 | 256 | 256 | 0.0% | 82.9% |
| DOGS & CATS EUTHANIZED: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M Healthy | 39 | 131 | 170 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -100.0% | 0.0% |
| N Treatable/Rehabilitatable | 610 | 2,772 | 3,382 | 261 | 2,155 | 2,416 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -100.0% | 0.0% |
| O Treatable/Manageable | 1,532 | 3,767 | 5,299 | 416 | 1,179 | 1,595 | 40 | 89 | 129 | 0 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 11 | 12 | 4 | 2 | 6 | -99.9% | -50.0% |
| P Unhealthy/Untreatable | 2,530 | 6,314 | 8,844 | 1,667 | 4,797 | 6,464 | 1,410 | 1,851 | 3,261 | 1,258 | 1,350 | 2,608 | 1,299 | 1,301 | 2,600 | 1,238 | 1,179 | 2,417 | -72.7% | -7.0% |
| Q TOTAL EUTHANASIA [M + N + O + P] | 4,711 | 12,984 | 17,695 | 2,346 | 8,131 | 10,477 | 1,450 | 1,940 | 3,390 | 1,258 | 1,357 | 2,615 | 1,300 | 1,312 | 2,612 | 1,242 | 1,181 | 2,423 | -86.3% | -7.2% |
| R Owner Req Euthanasia (U/U Only) | 1,172 | 1,553 | 2,725 | 1,054 | 1,121 | 2,175 | 813 | 664 | 1,477 | 666 | 452 | 1,118 | 752 | 495 | 1,247 | 666 | 424 | 1,090 | -60.0% | -12.6% |
| S ADJUSTED TOTAL EUTHANASIA [Q minus R] | 3,539 | 11,431 | 14,970 | 1,292 | 7,010 | 8,302 | 637 | 1,276 | 1,913 | 592 | 905 | 1,497 | 548 | 817 | 1,365 | 576 | 757 | 1,333 | -91.1% | -2.3% |
| U DIED OR LOST IN SHELTER/CARE | 48 | 220 | 268 | 54 | 315 | 369 | 23 | 189 | 212 | 34 | 211 | 245 | 38 | 172 | 210 | 34 | 205 | 239 | -10.8% | 13.8% |
| W ENDING SHELTER COUNT | 372 | 917 | 1,289 | 390 | 687 | 1,077 | 357 | 481 | 838 | 299 | 451 | 750 | 347 | 426 | 773 | 369 | 414 | 783 | -39.3% | 1.3% |
| Live Release Rate | 78.38% | 49.30% | 61.53% | 91.09% | 66.45% | 76.55% | 95.25% | 91.20% | 93.15% | 95.6% | 93.8% | 94.7% | 95.8% | 94.7% | 95.2% | 95.4% | 95.4% | 95.4% | 55.0% | 0.2% |
| Euthanasia per 1,000 human population ¹ | 8.90 per 1,000 human pop. | | | 5.07 per 1,000 human pop. | | | 1.57 per 1,000 human pop. | | | 1.14 per 1,000 human population | | | 1.13 per 1,000 human population | | | 1.03 per 1,000 human population | | | | |

Animal Shelter Alliance of Portland - Area Human Population

| Jurisdiction | 2006 | 2010 | 2014 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | Chg 06 -19 |
|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Clackamas County (Oregon) | 376,251 | 375,992 | 391,525 | 413,000 | 419,425 | 423,420 | 12.5% |
| Multnomah County (Oregon) | 687,373 | 735,334 | 765,775 | 803,000 | 813,300 | 821,730 | 19.5% |
| Washington County (Oregon) | 513,181 | 529,710 | 560,465 | 595,860 | 606,280 | 613,410 | 19.5% |
| Clark County (Washington) | 409,230 | 425,363 | 442,800 | 471,000 | 479,500 | 488,500 | 19.4% |
| Total Population | 1,986,035 | 2,066,399 | 2,160,565 | 2,282,860 | 2,318,505 | 2,347,060 | 18.2% |

Notes: ¹ Total euthanasia (includes owner-request)

Population data:

2009 data collected from U.S. Census Bureau - "2009 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates"

2010 data collected from U.S. Census Bureau - "2010 Demographic Profile Data"

2011-2019 data collected for OR from PSU certified annual population estimates, and for WA annually from the Office of Financial Management

ASAP Shelter Members

- Cat Adoption Team
- Clackamas County Dog Services
- Multnomah County Animal Services
- Oregon Humane Society
- Humane Society for Southwest Washington
- Washington County Animal Services

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