

Week 2: March 27, 2020

The 24Pet® ShelterWatch Report: COVID-19 Impact report is a weekly gauge of U.S. homeless pet population in the care of animal welfare organizations. Data is aggregated via the PetPoint Animal Management Software, a cloud-based application developed and launched in 2005. PetPoint is the most widely used animal management application in North American animal welfare.

The March 27th PetPoint COVID-19 Report aggregates data from 1191 animal welfare organizations (“AWOs”) in the United States, it compares it to data from the week before the federal declaration (March 7-13) and same week in 2019 (March 23-29).

For the purposes here, AWOs are defined as animal control agencies, SPCAs, humane societies and rescue groups. Only data from AWOs operating PetPoint during both January 1, 2019 to current have been included.

	March 21-27, 2020			WoW change	YoY Change	March 7-13, 2020			March 23-29, 2019		
	Cat	Dog	Total			Cat	Dog	Total	Cat	Dog	Total
Intake Total	6129	10124	16253	-46%	-54%	12331	17974	30305	14966	20056	35022
Surrender	1700	2279	3979	-54%	-58%	4003	4559	8562	4562	4898	9460
Stray	2704	3660	6364	-43%	-51%	5162	6005	11167	6327	6621	12948
Return	313	694	1007	-36%	-43%	565	1006	1571	591	1172	1763
Transfer In	967	2243	3210	-48%	-56%	1808	4354	6162	2344	5025	7369
Seized	445	1248	1693	-40%	-51%	793	2050	2843	1142	2340	3482
Outcome Total	7908	14236	22144	-31%	-30%	13825	18296	32121	12173	19580	31753
Adoption	5228	8535	13763	-25%	-24%	7926	10305	18231	7219	10803	18022
Return to Owner	233	1861	2094	-38%	-44%	441	2961	3402	477	3249	3726
Transfer Out	1114	2489	3603	-47%	-32%	3672	3175	6847	2027	3257	5284
Euthanasia	1056	1260	2316	-30%	-45%	1610	1685	3295	2116	2098	4214
Died	277	91	368	6%	-27%	176	170	346	334	173	507
Foster Starts	4236	6240	10476	82%	54%	2572	3191	5763	3487	3336	6823

Population	March 27, 2020			WoW change	YoY Change	March 8, 2020			March 29, 2019		
	Cat	Dog	Total			Cat	Dog	Total	Cat	Dog	Total
Total	62705	64133	126838	-8%	-2%	66735	70930	137665	62625	66639	129264
In Foster	21132	21052	42184	28%	46%	16521	16441	32962	15270	13599	28869
Not Foster	41573	43081	84654	-19%	-16%	50214	54489	104703	47355	53040	100395

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