

MidPenn Legal Services fights for low-income families and domestic violence survivors, delivering free legal aid that transforms crisis into stability.

MidPenn Legal Services provides free civil legal aid to low-income families in crisis. MidPenn serves 18 counties in Central Pennsylvania. We provide legal advice and counsel to help very low-income families and survivors of domestic violence solve problems that focus on improving their personal safety, family stability and economic security.

The Pennsylvania Legal Aid Network provides 51.9% of our funding from various sources including, Interest on Lawyer Trust Accounts, state and federal Title XX, filing fee add-ons, and the Disability Advocacy Project. The Legal Services Corporation provides 30.1% of our funds. Additional support comes from the Cumberland County Bar Association, Big Spring Community Chest, the United Way of Carlisle and Cumberland County, the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency and individual donors.



Population: 264,422 - Poverty Population: 19,473
Eligible For Legal Aid: 24,977

FY 2024-2025	MidPenn Staff	Private Attorney Involvement	Total Cases	% of Casework
Housing	173	3	176	17%
Domestic Violence	431	4	435	42%
Family	131	76	207	20%
Consumer	36	42	78	8%
Employment	18	2	20	2%
Elder Law	28	21	49	5%
Public Benefits/Health	50	2	52	5%
Tax Issues	12	0	12	1%
Other	4	1	5	<1%
Total	883	151	1,034	



1,034 Cases Handled.
2,215 Adults and Children Benefited from MidPenn's Advocacy.
\$406,142.80 Economic Benefit to MidPenn Clients and Community.

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