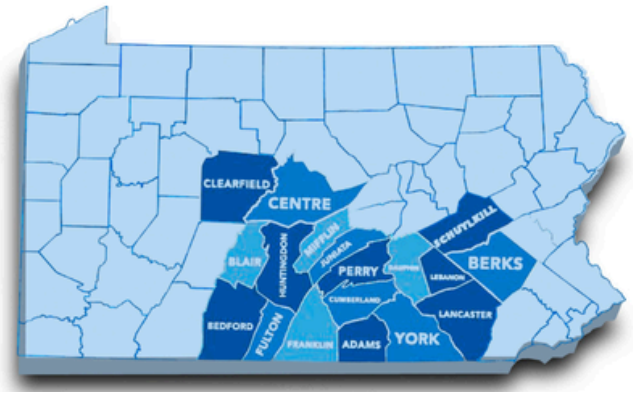
Centre County 2025-2026 Fact Sheet

MidPenn Legal Services

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.

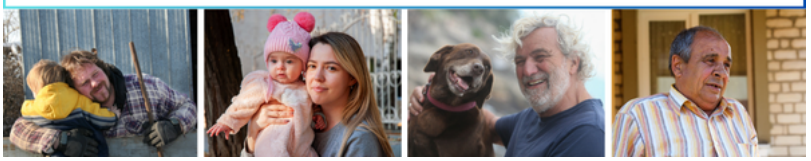
The Pennsylvania Legal Aid Network provides 61.4% of our funding from various sources including, Interest on Lawyer Trust Accounts, state and federal Title XX, filing fee add-ons, and the Disability Advocacy Project. The Legal Services Corporation provides 22.2% of our funds. Additional support comes from the Centre County Office of Aging, the Centre Foundation, the Centre County Housing and Land Trust, the State College Community Land Trust and individual donors.



Population: 158,041 - Poverty Population: 23,282
Eligible For Legal Aid: 27,869

FY 2025-2026	MidPenn Staff	Private Attorney Involvement	Total Cases	% of Casework
Consumer	65	1	66	14%
Employment	19	0	19	4%
Family Law	21	34	55	12%
Domestic Violence	138	0	138	29%
Housing	107	0	107	23%
Public Benefits/Health	49	0	49	10%
LITC	7	0	7	1%
Other	12	19	31	7%
	418	54	472	

472 Cases Handled.
903 Adults and Children Benefited from MidPenn's Advocacy.
$740,760 Economic Benefit to MidPenn Clients and Community.



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