

## **Blair County** 2023-2024 Fact Sheet

## Our Mission

MidPenn Legal Services is a non-profit, public interest law firm that provides high quality free civil legal services to low-income residents and survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault in 18 counties in Central Pennsylvania.

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 44.1% 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 27.2% of our funds. Additional support comes from the Blair County Bar Association and individual donors.



- Population: 121,854
- Poverty Population: 15,388
- Eligible For Legal Aid: 20,669

	MidPenn Staff	Private Attorney Involvement	Total Cases	%
Housing	208	0	208	37%
Domestic Violence	203	0	203	35%
Family	14	1	15	3%
Health	10	0	10	2%
Consumer	58	2	60	10%
Employment	22	0	22	4%
<b>Public Benefits</b>	45	0	45	8%
Other	4	0	4	1%
Total	564	3	567	



- 6,748 hours spent on cases.
- \$178,917.3 in savings and economic benefits to MidPenn clients and their communities.
- 913 adults and children benefited from MidPenn's advocacy.

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