

## **Pursuing Justice - Improving Lives**

2020-2021 Fact Sheet

# **York County**

MidPenn is free civil legal aid.

MidPenn Legal Services is a non-profit law firm providing free civil legal aid to low-income families in crisis. We provide legal advice and counsel to help very low-income families solve problems that focus on improving their personal safety, family stability and economic security. MidPenn attorneys and paralegals handle cases involving domestic violence, housing law, public benefits, expungement, supportive benefits, consumer law, family law, tax controversies and elder law.

#### **MidPenn York County**

Office Location: 29 North Queen Street, York, PA 17403



- Population: 499,058
- Poverty Population: 41,851
- Eligible For Legal Aid: 57,110

#### **MidPenn's Funders**

The Pennsylvania Legal Aid Network provides 49.8% 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 20.3% of our funds. Additional support comes from the York County Bar Association, the York County Area Agency on Aging, the United Way of York and individual donors.

### York County Year in Review

	MidPenn Staff	Volunteer Attorneys	Total	%
Housing	311	4	315	33%
Domestic Violence	236	71	307	33%
Family	65	33	98	10%
Consumer	51	27	78	8%
Employment	35	2	37	4%
Public Benefits	82	2	84	9%
Other	24	1	25	3%
Total	804	140	944	100%

- 10,268 hours spent on cases.
- \$351,616 in savings and economic benefits to MidPenn clients and their communities.
- 1,463 adults and children benefited from MidPenn's advocacy.

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