Dauphin County 2025-2026 Fact Sheet

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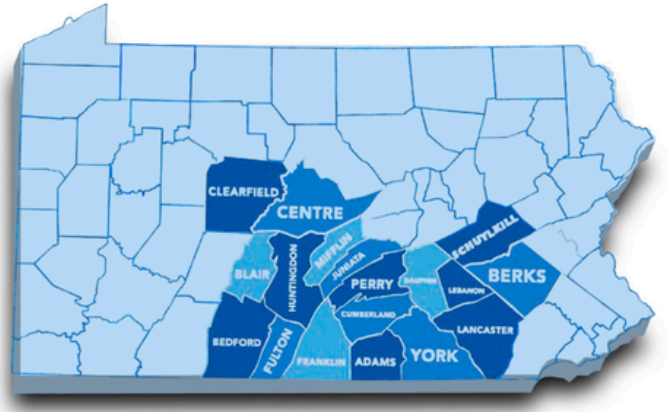
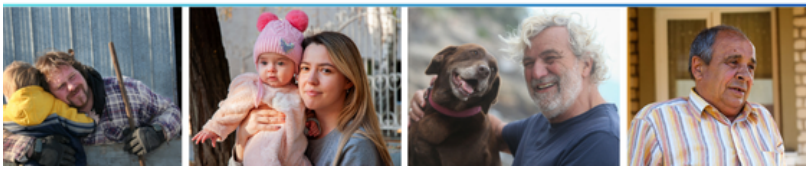


Population: 286,108 - Poverty Population: 34,256
Eligible For Legal Aid: 42,682

FY 2025-2026	MidPenn Staff	Private Attorney Involvement	Total Cases	% of Cases
Housing	408	9	417	31%
Protection from Abuse/Sexual Violence Protective Order	27	0	27	2%
Family	287	109	396	29%
Public Benefits/Health	51	17	68	5%
Expungement/Record Sealing	82	0	82	6%
Unemployment Compensation	40	5	45	3%
Tax Issues	25	0	25	2%
Consumer	157	17	174	13%
Elder	112	2	114	8%
Other	9	1	10	1%
	1198	160	1358	



1,358 Cases Handled.
2,883 Adults and Children Benefited from MidPenn's Advocacy.
$305,956 Economic Benefit to MidPenn Clients and Community.



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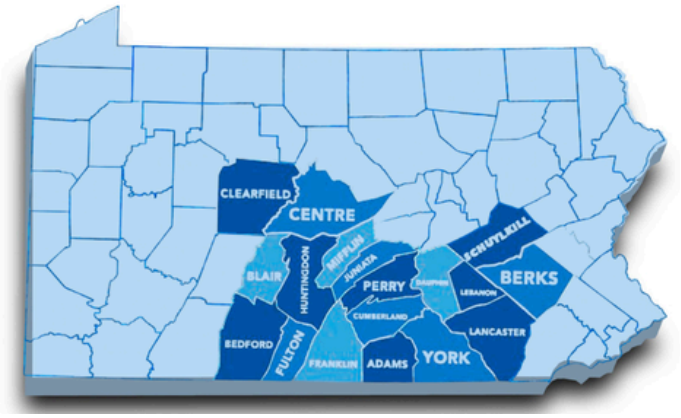
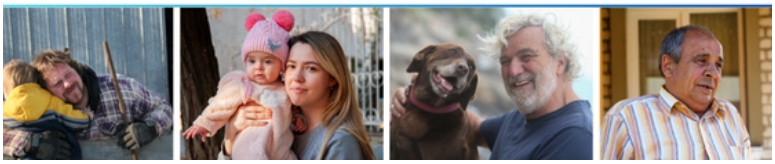


Population: 45,941 - Poverty Population: 3,712
Eligible For Legal Aid: 5,184

FY 2025-2026	MidPenn Staff	Private Attorney Involvement	Total Cases	% of Cases
Housing	20	0	20	7%
Protection from Abuse/Sexual Violence Protective Order	148	0	148	56%
Family	50	2	52	20%
Public Benefits/Health	2	1	3	1%
Expungement/Record Sealing	5	0	5	2%
Unemployment Compensation	3	1	4	2%
Tax Issues	4	0	4	2%
Consumer	15	1	16	5%
Elder	11	3	14	5%
	258	8	266	



266 Cases Handled.
618 Adults and Children Benefited from MidPenn's Advocacy.
$23,511 Economic Benefit to MidPenn Clients and Community.



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