



Pursuing Justice - Improving Lives

2020-2021 Fact Sheet

Adams, Bedford, Berks, Blair, Centre, Clearfield, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Fulton, Huntingdon, Juniata, Lancaster, Lebanon, Mifflin, Perry & York

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's Service Area

MidPenn provides free civil legal services to 18 counties in Central Pennsylvania.



- Population: 3,066,081
- Poverty Population: 12%
- Eligible For Legal Aid: 459,631

MidPenn's Funders

The Pennsylvania Legal Aid Network provides 50.3% 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 23.4% of our funds. Additional support comes from United Ways, bar associations, local groups, private foundations, individuals, state and local government contracts.

MidPenn Year in Review

	MidPenn Staff	Volunteer Attorneys	Total	%
Housing	2721	61	2782	28%
Domestic Violence	2169	103	2272	23%
Family	1604	692	2296	23%
Consumer	597	165	762	8%
Employment	261	9	270	3%
Elder Law	159	95	254	3%
Tax Controversies	154	1	155	1%
Public Benefits	858	37	895	9%
Other	150	16	166	2%
Total	8673	1179	9852	

- 103,279 hours spent on cases.
- \$4,388,323 in savings and economic benefits to MidPenn clients and their communities.
- 15,222 adults and children benefited from MidPenn's advocacy.

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