

## **Pursuing Justice - Improving Lives**

2021-2022 Fact Sheet

## **Lebanon 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 Lebanon County**

Office Location: 1150 Chestnut Street, Suite 1, Lebanon, PA 17042



- Population: 140,410
- Poverty Population: 14,687
- Eligible For Legal Aid: 19,642

#### MidPenn's Funders

The Pennsylvania Legal Aid Network provides 57.3% 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 20.6% of our funds. Additional support comes from the PA Commission on Crime and Delinquency, the Lebanon Area Agency on Aging and individual donors.

# Lebanon County Year in Review

	MidPenn Staff	Volunteer Attorneys	Total	%
Housing	135	1	136	22%
<b>Domestic Violence</b>	184	0	184	30%
Family	13	166	179	29%
Consumer	44	5	49	8%
Employment	18	0	18	3%
Tax Controversies	6	0	6	1%
<b>Public Benefits</b>	43	0	43	7%
Total	443	172	615	

- 4,432 hours spent on cases.
- \$24,399 in savings and economic benefits to MidPenn clients and their communities.
- 1402 adults and children benefited from MidPenn's advocacy.

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