

2006 Northeast PA Pro Bono Seminar

Please complete this survey and return it to the registration desk before leaving for the day.

1. In what county do you primarily practice? _____
2. Which of the following best describes your practice setting?

<input type="checkbox"/> Solo practice	<input type="checkbox"/> Government agency
<input type="checkbox"/> Firm with five attorneys or fewer	<input type="checkbox"/> Legal services program
<input type="checkbox"/> Firm with six to ten attorneys	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe): _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Firm with more than 10 attorneys	_____
3. For how many years have you been practicing law?

<input type="checkbox"/> One year or less	<input type="checkbox"/> Between six and ten years
<input type="checkbox"/> Between one and five years	<input type="checkbox"/> More than 10 years
4. Is this your first time attending the Northeast PA Pro Bono Seminar? Yes No
5. If not, how many times have you attended in the past? _____
6. How many pro bono cases have you handled in the last year? (For the purpose of this survey, pro bono cases are defined as legal matters in which (a) your clients are considered "low income" and (b) from the outset you have agreed that your services will be free.) _____
7. Were those cases referred to you by a pro bono program? Yes No Some
8. If any of those cases were not referred to you by a pro bono program, how did the pro bono clients choose you?
 - a. Referred by a member of the clergy
 - b. Referred by a social service or governmental agency
 - c. Referred by a friend, family member, or neighbor of yours
 - d. No referral
 - e. Other: _____
9. How many pro bono cases have you handled in the past five years? _____
10. Were those cases referred to you by a pro bono program? Yes No Some
11. If any of those cases were not referred to you by a pro bono program, how did the pro bono clients choose you?
 - a. Referred by a member of the clergy

- b. Referred by a social service or governmental agency
- c. Referred by a friend, family member, or neighbor of yours
- d. No referral
- e. Other: _____

12. How many hours (est.) did you spend on pro bono work in the last year? _____
Last 5 years? _____

13. How has the amount of pro bono work you have done over the past five years changed?
 Increased Decreased Stayed the same Don't know

14. If the amount of pro bono work you have done over the past five years has changed, describe the reasons for the change.

15. Do you anticipate that you will do pro bono work in the next year? Yes No

16. As a result of today's seminar, are you more or less likely to do pro bono work in the future? More likely Less likely No change

17. If today's seminar has made you more or less likely to do pro bono work, why?

18. Have the Northeast PA Pro Bono Seminars made you aware of resources that you feel would be useful to you in performing pro bono work? (For example, a pro bono program in your county, the PA Bar Association's pro bono office, PALawHELP, PAProbono.net, the American Bar Association Center for Pro Bono, or the National Association of Pro Bono Professionals.) Yes No

19. How can pro bono work be made easier?

20. Comments:
