ABOUT US

Legal Aid of Southeastern Pennsylvania (LASP) is a private, non-profit corporation committed to delivering high quality free civil legal services to low income people, victims of domestic abuse and seniors living in Bucks, Montgomery, Chester and Delaware Counties.

There are two LASP offices within Delaware County. Our main office is located in Chester where we employ five highly experienced staff attorneys, two paralegals, a secretary and part-time receptionist. In an effort to better serve the legal needs of low-income Delaware County residents, we opened an office in Media in April 2016. It is occupied by an office manager and three of the attorneys who divide their time between offices.

The legal services provided to our clients include landlord/tenant disputes, public housing, utilities, consumer problems including foreclosures and sheriffs' sales, bankruptcy, denial or termination of government benefits such as welfare, Social Security and unemployment compensation, protection from abuse, custody, child dependency, and elder law issues.

PRO BONO OPPORTUNITIES

Albert Einstein said, “In matters of truth and justice, there is no difference between large and small problems, for issues concerning the treatment of people are all the same”. This is the reason organizations like LASP exist but we cannot do it alone. Because we seek to help all who are eligible for our services, there are many times that we enlist the help of attorneys who are willing to volunteer their services
through our pro bono program. Our office coordinates with the Delaware County Bar Association to locate attorneys to handle custody and divorce matters as well as bankruptcy and elder law issues. To that end, we are in need of pro bono volunteers. If you have questions or are interested in volunteering please contact our Delaware County Pro Bono Coordinator, Tom Kerstan, Esquire at tkerstan@lasp.org or 610-874-8721. If you are not currently volunteering, please give serious consideration to doing so. Your services would be greatly appreciated by both LASP and our clients.

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