

**PRO BONO, ETHICS AND TECHNOLOGY: PALAWHELP.ORG & PAPROBONO.NET**

Friday, January 12, 2007  
Arbitration Room  
Wayne County Courthouse  
925 Court Street  
Honesdale, PA 18431

Registration 8:45 a.m., Program 9:00 a.m. – 12 noon  
3 Hours CLE Credit/ 1 hour Ethics, 2 Hours Substantive  
Cost: Free

This program has been approved by the Pennsylvania Continuing Legal Education Board for 2.0 hours of substantive law, practice and procedure CLE credit and 1.0 hours of ethics, professionalism or substance abuse CLE credit.

The Monroe County Bar Association is the CLE Provider. The program is partially supported by a Pro Bono Initiative grant from Pennsylvania IOLTA and is a joint program of the Wayne County Bar Association, the Pennsylvania Bar Association Pro Bono Office North Penn Legal Services and Lackawanna Pro Bono, Inc.

8:45 a.m. Registration

9:00 a.m. Introduction of the Large Group Hypothetical  
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Pro Bono Coordinator  
Pennsylvania Bar Association

This opening session will explore the following issues through the prism of a landlord/tenant fact pattern that allows participants to explore the issues below in a large group setting, modeling what small groups will do with additional hypotheticals during the second part of the CLE program.

Defining Pro Bono: What Counts and Why?

Pro Se Representation: How Does It Impact the Access to Justice

Limited Representation Under the Rules

Overview of Landlord/Tenant Law

Introduction to PALawHelp.org

Exploring the Attorney-Client Relationship

The Need for Representation Agreements in Pro Bono Cases

Conflicts and Clinics

Overview of PApobono.net

10:30 a.m. Small Group Work on Additional Hypotheticals

Each group will be given a series of hypotheticals covering family law issues through which the participants will further explore the [www.palawhelp.org](http://www.palawhelp.org) and [www.PApobono.net](http://www.PApobono.net) tools. The groups will each report out on the various hypos.

11:30 a.m. Civil Legal Aid and Pro Bono Service: What Does the Future Hold?

This third and final segment of the CLE program will review the history of civil legal aid in the United States and look at what the future holds for poverty law in our country and in our Commonwealth. The concept of a civil Gideon-like requirement of representation of the poor will be explored.

12 Noon Gala Closing Session/Evaluations/Door Prizes