
Why do I need a lawyer?



Many decisions today are difficult and will affect the rest of your life. A lawyer can explain different aspects of the law and assist you with complicated legal matters. By law, only a lawyer may give legal advice and the right to practice law is given by the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. Only after a lawyer has been admitted to the Pennsylvania Bar may he/she represent clients.

Your lawyer is governed by the Rules of Professional Conduct and all details of your client-lawyer relationship are considered confidential. **The Monroe County Bar Association Lawyer Referral** can help you find a qualified attorney who is experienced in the field of law for your specific legal matter.



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At www.monroebar.org you will find lawyers who have experience in the appropriate field of law in which you are interested. You may select up to three attorneys. In order to be eligible for the discounted consultation, **you MUST send an email** by clicking on the link below the attorney's information. Your contact information will be forwarded to the attorney. The attorney will then know that you have been referred by the Monroe County Bar Association Lawyer Referral Service. Feel free at this time to call the attorney to make an appointment for the consultation. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the MCBA office at 570-424-7288. **The attorney may charge up to \$25.00 for the first 30 minute consultation.** Bring all documents relating to your legal problem to the first meeting. It is very important to give the attorney all the facts relating to your case, both favorable and unfavorable. The lawyer will then discuss procedures that will be involved in handling the matter for you. You and the attorney should discuss the fees to be charged for his/her services and how that fee will be determined. It is important to have a fee agreement confirmed in writing after hiring the lawyer to represent you.

Why should I use the Monroe County Bar Association Lawyer Referral Service?

The Monroe County Bar Association Lawyer Referral Service is offered at no charge to the general public. The Referral Service can refer you to an attorney who is experienced in the field of law most appropriate to your situation. The attorney may charge up to \$25.00 for the first 30 minute consultation. All of the lawyers referred by the service are members in good standing of the Monroe County Bar Association, have experience in their selected fields of law and are governed by the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania and the Rules of Professional Conduct.

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