

## **2009 PRO BONO REPORT**

For calendar year 2009, 88 Lycoming Law Association members and their staff, handled 163 cases, 4 divorce clinics (11 divorces granted), 1 mentoring project ,and supervised 15 custody clinics. The following is a breakdown of the types of cases:

- 126 Protection From Abuse Cases
- 37 Other civil legal issues, including employment issues, estate matters, advance directives, education, family, guardianship, housing, landlord and tenant, bankruptcy, utilities and law suit defense.
- 47 Individuals helped in the clinics

Two North Penn Legal Services staff conducted a Lunch and Learn on Protection from Abuse procedures and developing law. William Knecht was honored by his peers at the Pennsylvania Bar Association with a PBA Pro Bono award for his services to North Penn Legal Services clients.