

FRANKLIN COUNTY LEGAL SERVICES

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Family Law Attorney Position Opening

Franklin County Legal Services (“FCLS”) is a charitable, nonprofit agency located in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. FCLS was founded in 2002. Our mission is to provide access to legal representation, advice, and education to low-income individuals with civil legal problems. Services are provided free of charge to the recipients of the services. Our work provides access to justice and helps meet basic human needs through the provision of civil legal services. Access to help for all types of civil legal problems is provided by FCLS with our primary in-house practice areas focusing on the greatest needs of family law, immigration, and landlord/tenant.

FCLS is seeking applicants for a full-time Family Law Attorney position. The Family Law Attorney will provide civil legal services to indigent clients, with a focus on child custody matters. The Family Law Attorney will participate with the Franklin County Bar Association’s family law section and coordinate services with the Bar and Court as needed. The Family Law Attorney will participate in screening/advice sessions for potential clients. Position may involve remote work and travel.

The position is funded for two years with the possibility of extension.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Graduate of an ABA accredited law school;
- Admission to the Pennsylvania Bar;
- Will consider law school graduates prior to Bar admission and attorneys licensed in another state;
- Experience in Pennsylvania Family Law preferred;
- Ability to work independently; and
- Strong commitment to public interest law.

SALARY AND BENEFITS

Salary range: \$50,000 to \$60,000 per year, depending upon experience

Generous paid leave, healthcare benefits, telework options, and professional/membership fees are provided. FCLS attorneys are eligible to apply for the PA IOLTA Board Loan Repayment Assistance Program offered by the Pennsylvania Bar Foundation.

HOW TO APPLY:

Submit resume and cover letter via email (brittany@fcls.net) to Brittany Henderson, Executive Director. Subject Line: Attorney Position.

Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Equal Opportunity Employer.