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PRO BONO  
HOURS REPORTED

\$27,963,750



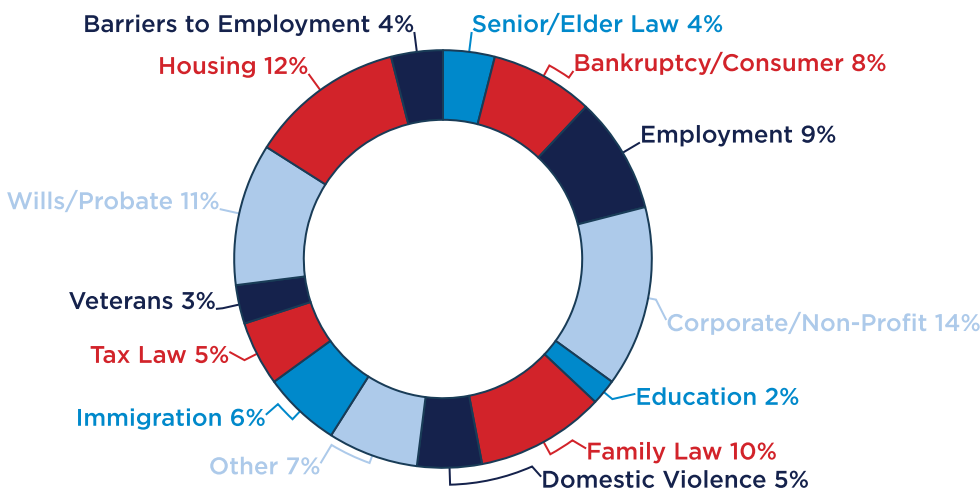
VALUE OF  
PRO BONO SERVICES

\$1,010,914

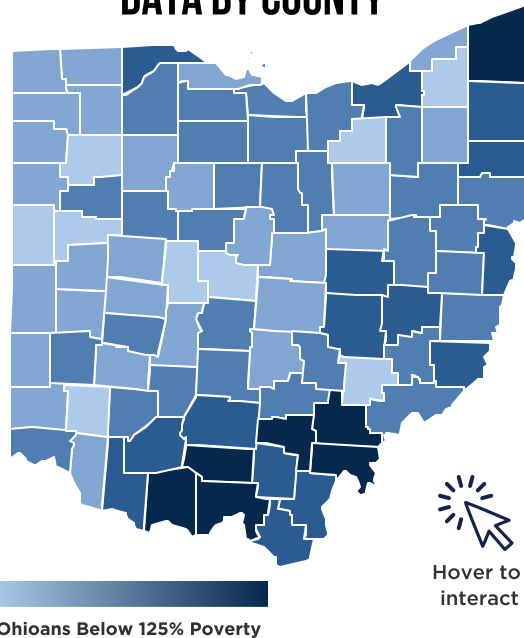


FINANCIAL  
CONTRIBUTIONS

## PRACTICE AREAS



## DATA BY COUNTY



IN 2021,

OHIO LAW FIRMS REPORTED **46,496** HOURS OF PRO BONO SERVICE.

### FIRMS

**JONES DAY  
and  
PORTER WRIGHT**

most overall pro bono in 2021

**MCGOWN & MARKLING**

most hours per attorney

### FIRMS

Matthew Markling, founding director at McGown & Markling, volunteers civil legal services to educational institutions.



"McGown & Markling is dedicated to the common good of Ohio's education community. We believe that all educational institutions and their officials should be provided with focused and effective school law representation. We honor this professional commitment through our exclusive School Law Hotline<sup>SM</sup>, which offers all eligible Ohio educational institutions five hours of pro bono legal services per calendar year. For the 2022 calendar year alone, we are offering over 5,000 pro bono hours to eligible educational institutions, which amounts to over \$1 million worth of legal services offered to Ohio's education community."

OHIO INDIVIDUAL ATTORNEYS REPORTED **65,359** HOURS OF PRO BONO SERVICE.

### INDIVIDUALS

Kristine Maher, attorney at Graydon, volunteers to provide civil legal services to veterans working to make ends meet.



"As the daughter of a Navy veteran and wife of a Marine Corps veteran (with 2 brothers currently serving in the Navy), I wanted to combine my passion for appellate litigation with my interest in public service and serving those who have served and sacrificed for our country. My pro bono work with helping veterans get the benefits and care they deserve from the VA is the most rewarding legal work I've done since I graduated from law school. I get to help veterans get their lives back on track with financial security after they've been injured physically and/or mentally while serving our country. Relieving the financial burden does wonders for their mental health and gives them a new outlook on life. I could not be more proud of the impact that this work has on veterans in our community."

## WHY DO YOU VOLUNTEER?

Support the Profession's Public Image

Reduce Social Inequalities

Work with Other Attorneys

Professional Recognition

Personal Values

Personal Satisfaction

Firm Encouragement

Gain Professional Experience

Ethical & Professional Duty  
Help Others in Need

THANK YOU

TO ALL OHIO ATTORNEYS WHO WORK TO RESOLVE CIVIL LEGAL ISSUES FOR IN-NEED OHIOANS.