RESOURCES WE PROVIDE

Manuals, Handbooks, Directories, and Guides

- Jailhouse Lawyers Handbook
- Prisoners' Rights Handbook
- Criminal Justice Advocacy Directory
- Compassionate Release Guide (PA DOC)

Information About Civil and Constitutional Rights

- Medical and Mental Health Care
- Personal Safety
- Religious Accomodations
- Conditions of Confinement
- LGBTQ+ Rights
- Americans with Disabilities Act

Information Sheets

- PRFA
- Sexual Violence
- Transgender Healthcare
- COVID-19
- Medication for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD) /MAT
- PA DOC Legal Mail
- PA DOC Medical Co-Pay

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PENNSYLVANIA INSTITUTIONAL LAW PROJECT

WHAT WE DO

The Pennsylvania Institutional Law Project (PILP) seeks to advance the civil and constitutional rights of people incarcerated or detained in Pennsylvania.

We are a legal aid organization that provides free civil legal assistance to people who are incarcerated or detained in Pennsylvania who have civil or constitutional rights issues related to their conditions of confinement.

62 County Prisons and Jails

- 24 Pennsylvania State Prisons
- **6** Federal Incarceration Facilities
- 4 Immigration Detention Centers

Fighting for the Rights of ALL Incarcerated People in PA

Pennsylvania Institutional Law Project We correspond primarily through "Legal Mail" so please be sure to write "Legal Mail" on the outside of your envelope or follow your institution's privileged mail procedures when addressing your letter to us.

Please note we do not assist with criminal matters, habeas cases, innocence claims, sentencing, or parole issues.

WHAT ARE CONDITIONS OF CONFINEMENT?

While you are incarcerated, the U.S. Constitution and federal laws continue to protect certain rights such as your right to:

- Medical care
- Mental health care
- Freedom from retaliation
- Freedom from assault and sexual abuse
- Personal safety
- Access to the courts
- Religious accommodations
- Disability accommodations
- Clean, safe, and humane living conditions

WHO DO WE ASSIST?

We assist people incarcerated or detained prisons, in iails, immigration detention centers, and institutional other settings Pennsylvania by providina information, legal advice, advocacy, and representation on civil rights matters. If you feel that your civil or constitutional rights have been violated and you need information or legal advice, you can write to one of our three offices.

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