

State of Access to Justice

IN MINNESOTA

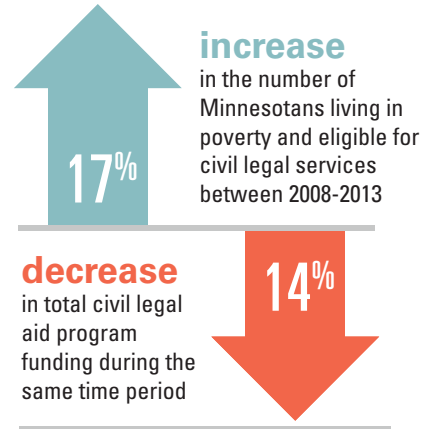
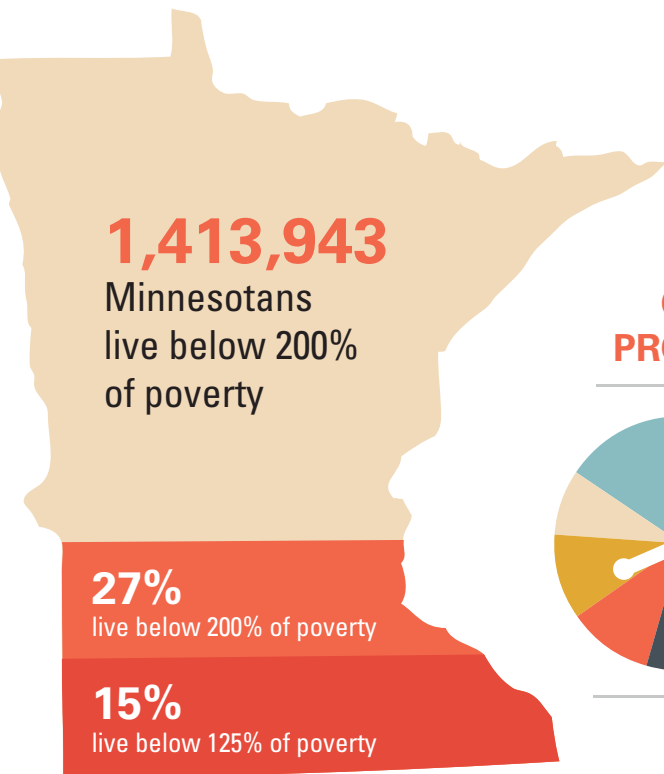
Civil Legal Aid & Pro Bono

WHAT IS THE NEED?¹

125-200% of poverty
Maximum income threshold for most civil legal aid programs in MN



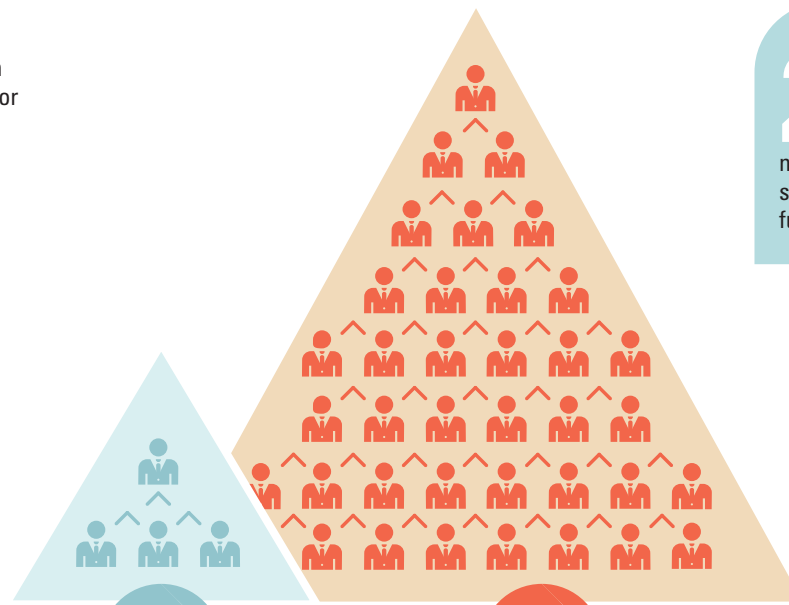
That's **\$30,000/ \$48,500** per year gross for family of 4



CIVIL LEGAL AID & PRO BONO CASE TYPES



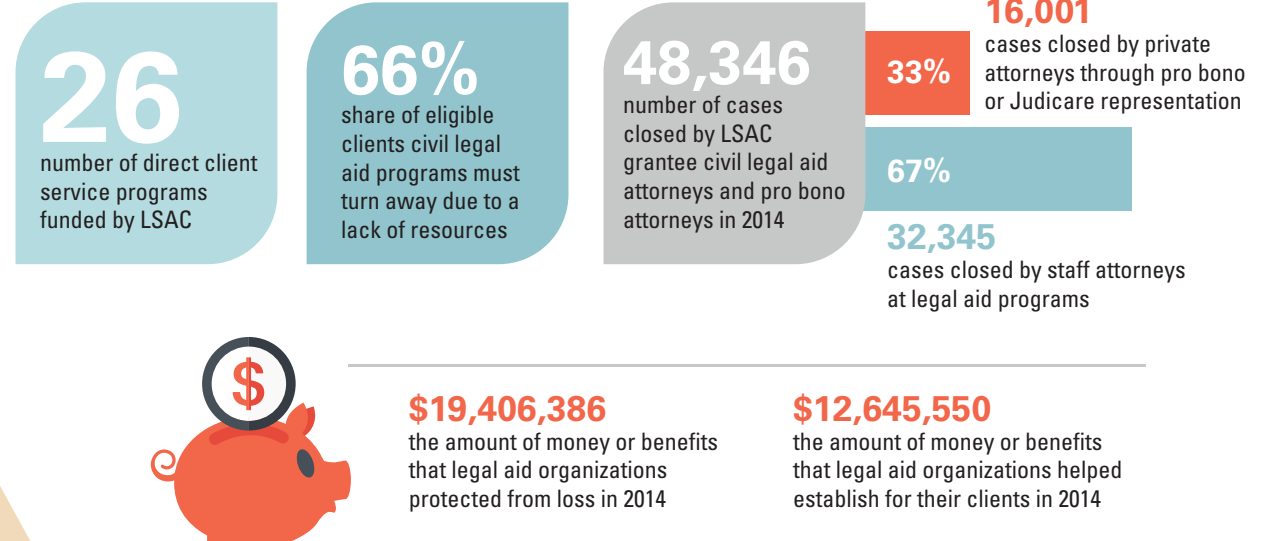
27% Family
24% Housing
12% Consumer
12% Immigration
9% Income/Health Benefits
17% Other



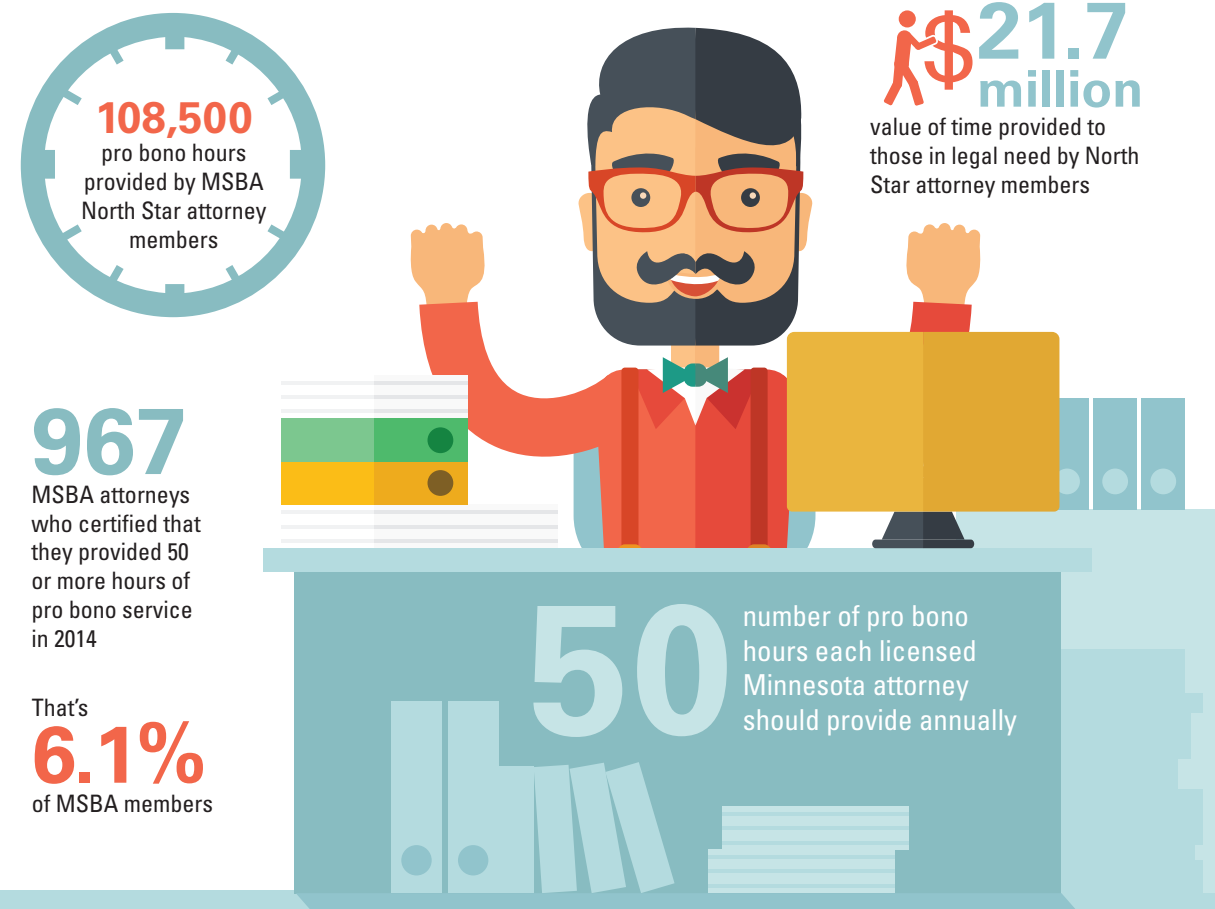
Market Rate Attorneys
1/369
ratio of licensed attorneys in MN available for clients above legal aid income guidelines

Legal Aid Attorneys
1/3682
ratio of civil legal aid attorneys available for low-income clients who are eligible for their services

HOW ARE CIVIL LEGAL AID & PRO BONO PROGRAMS MEETING THE NEED?³

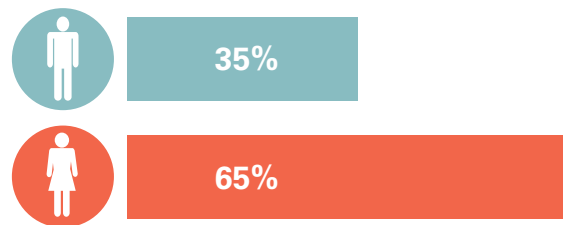


HOW ARE MSBA MEMBERS MEETING THE NEED?⁴

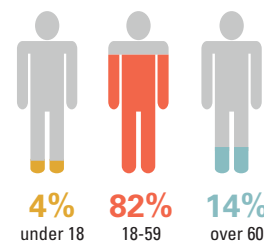


DEMOGRAPHICS² Snapshot of clients of MN programs that receive MN Legal Services Advisory Committee (LSAC) funding

Gender



Age



Race



¹ 2015 U.S. Federal Poverty Guidelines, 2013 MARS Data, 2013 ACS Census Data, 2014 MN Supreme Court Legal Services Advisory Committee (LSAC) Report

² 2014 LSAC Report

³ 2014 LSAC Report, 2012 MN Legal Services Coalition Turndown Study

⁴ 2014 MSBA North Star attorney data, Minn. R. Prof. Conduct 6.1, 2013 MARS Data compared to U.S. Census Data