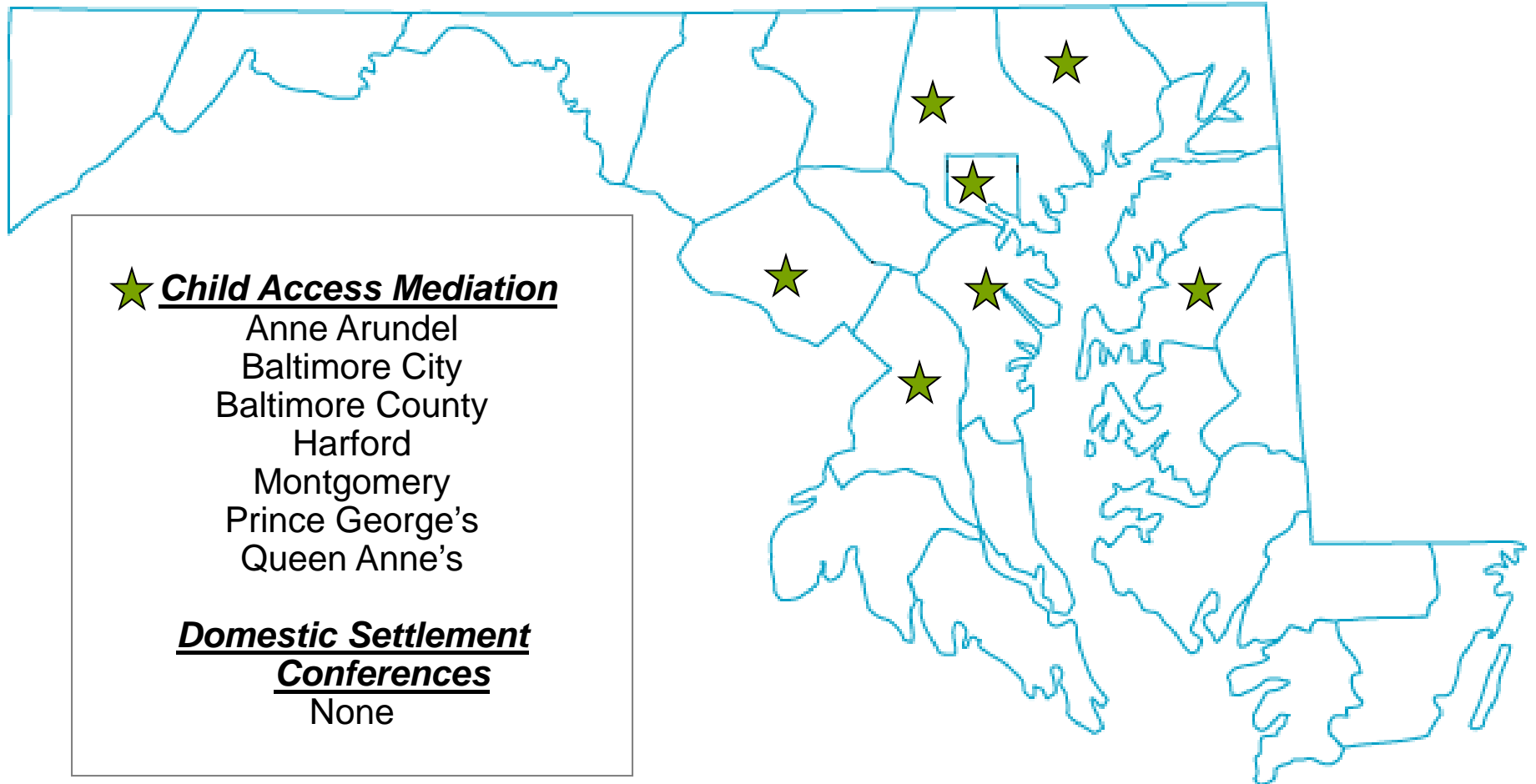


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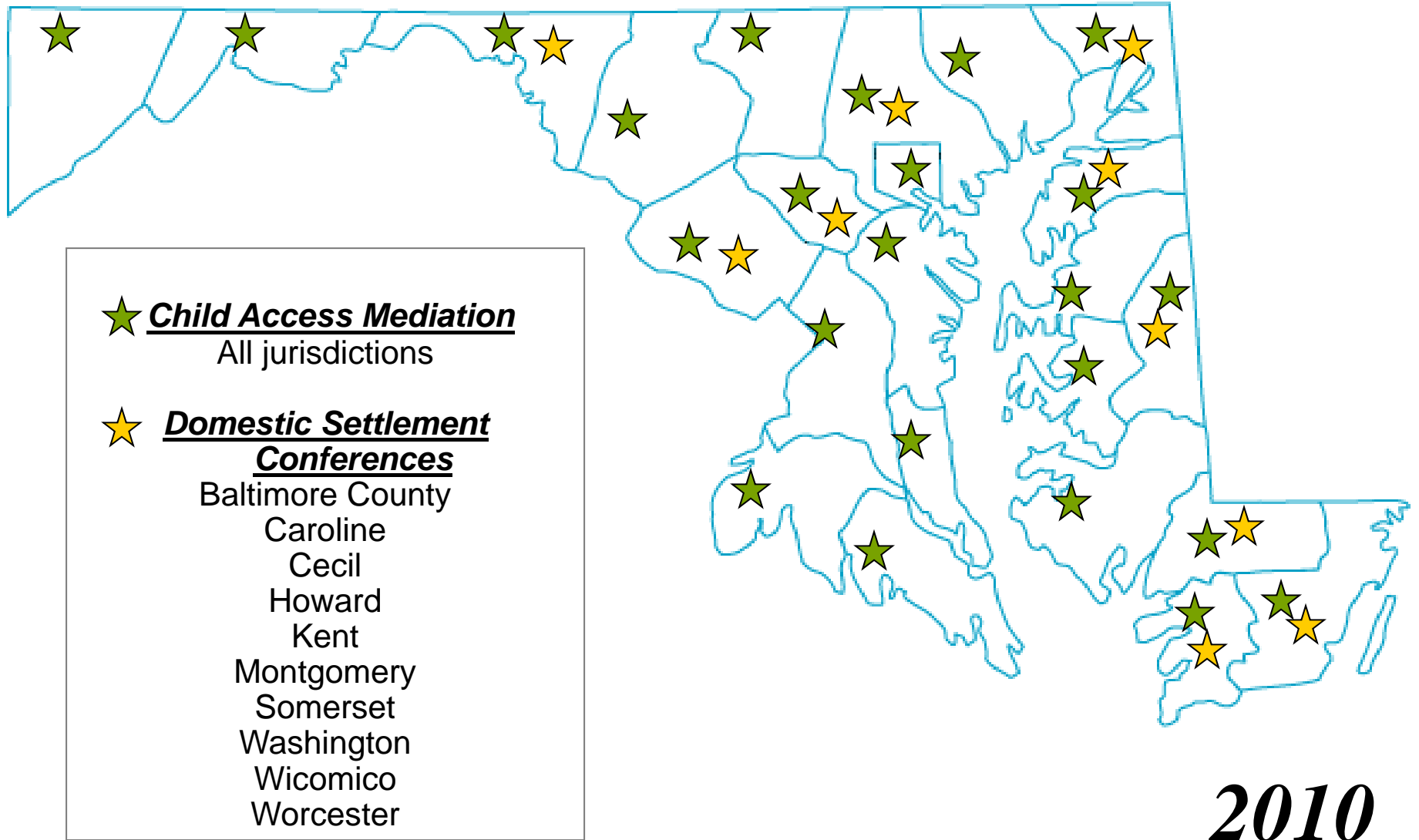


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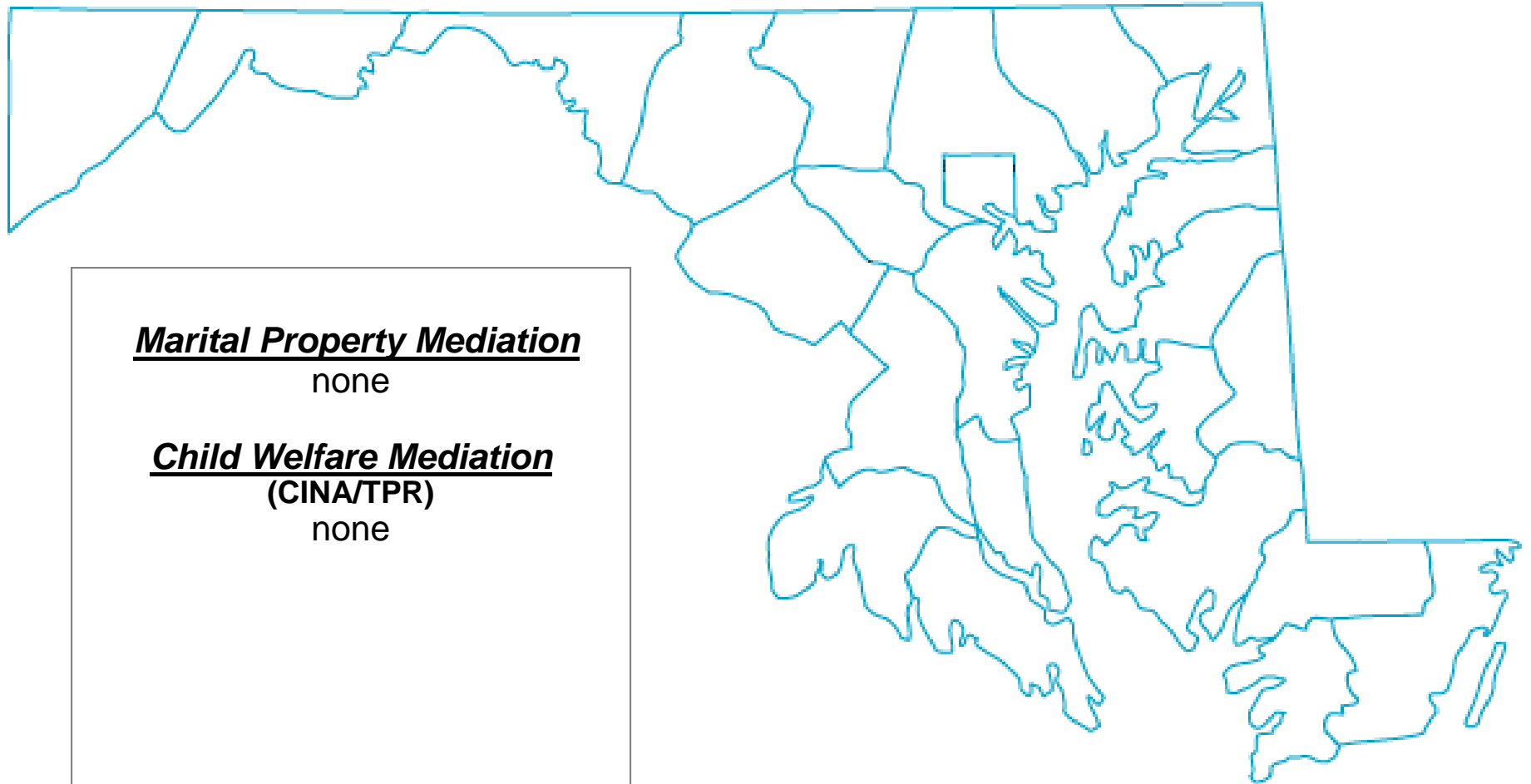


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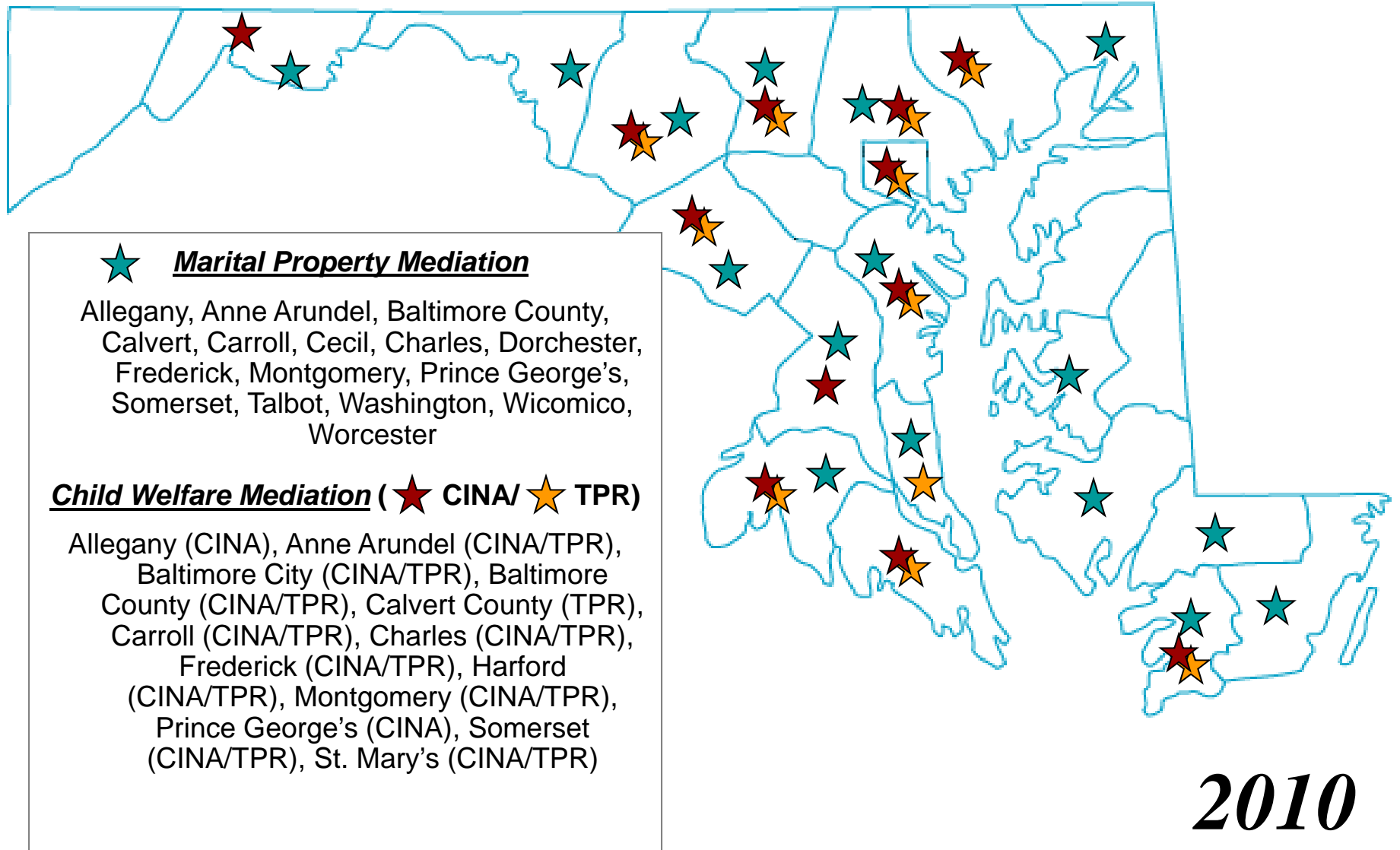


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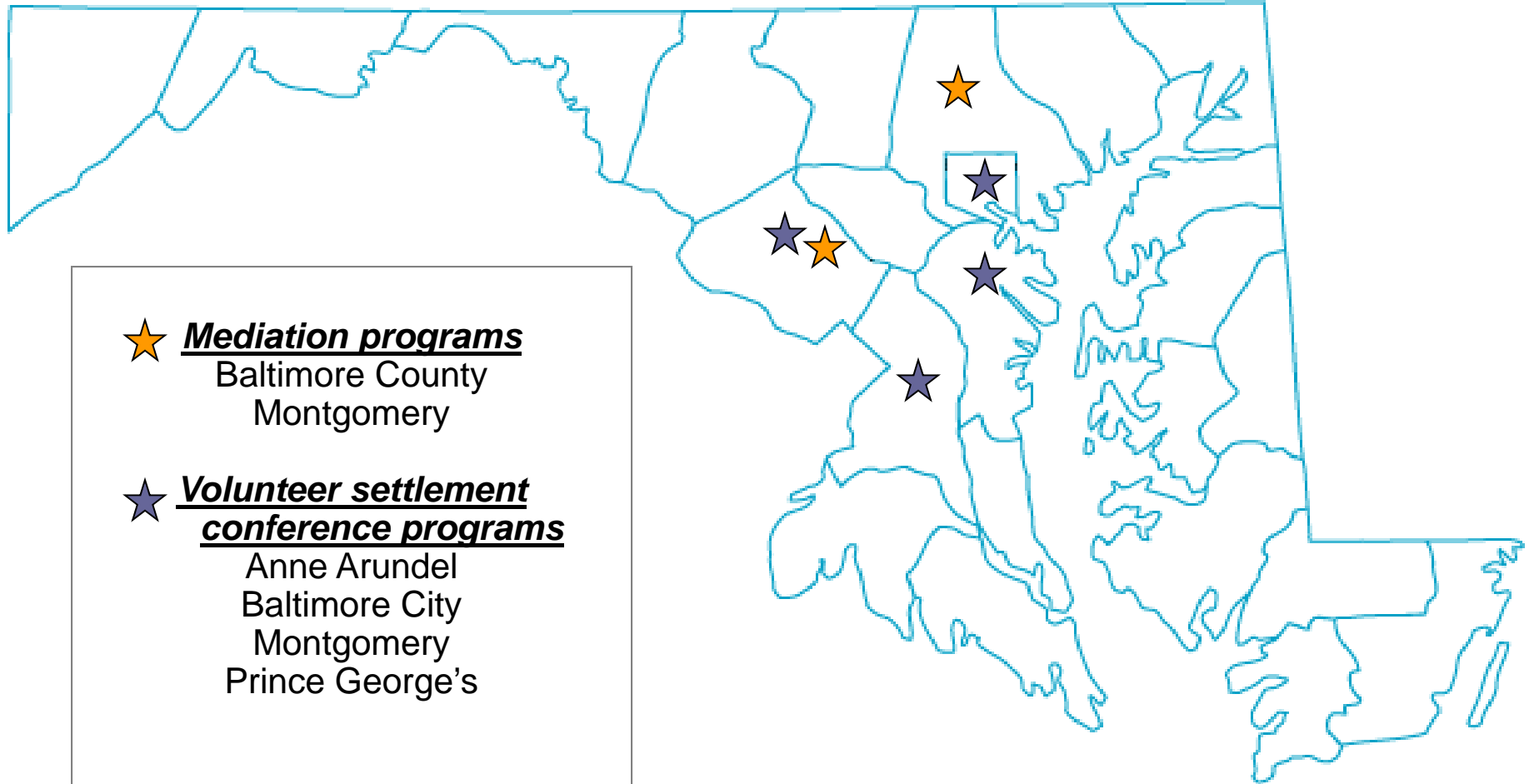


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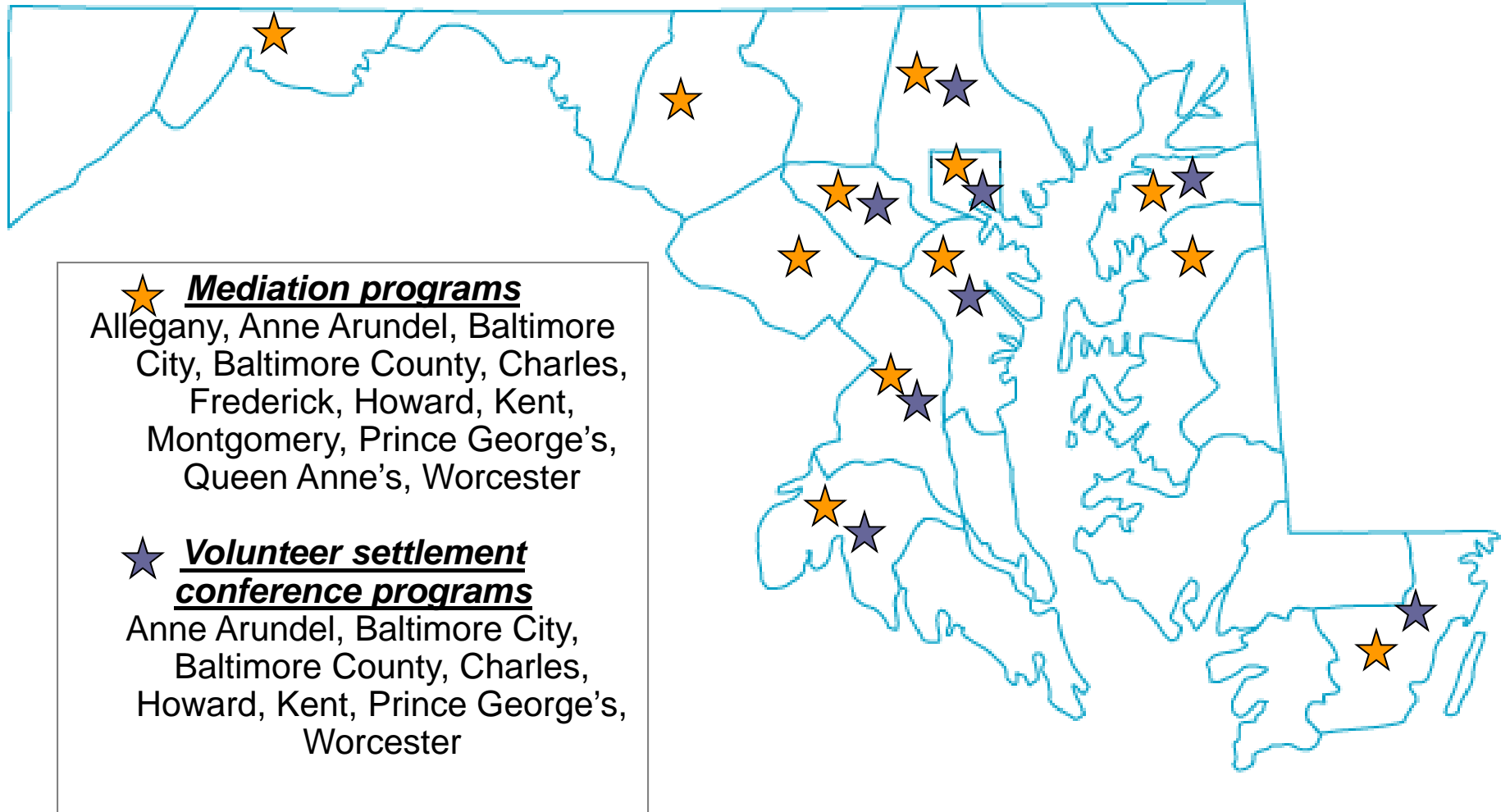


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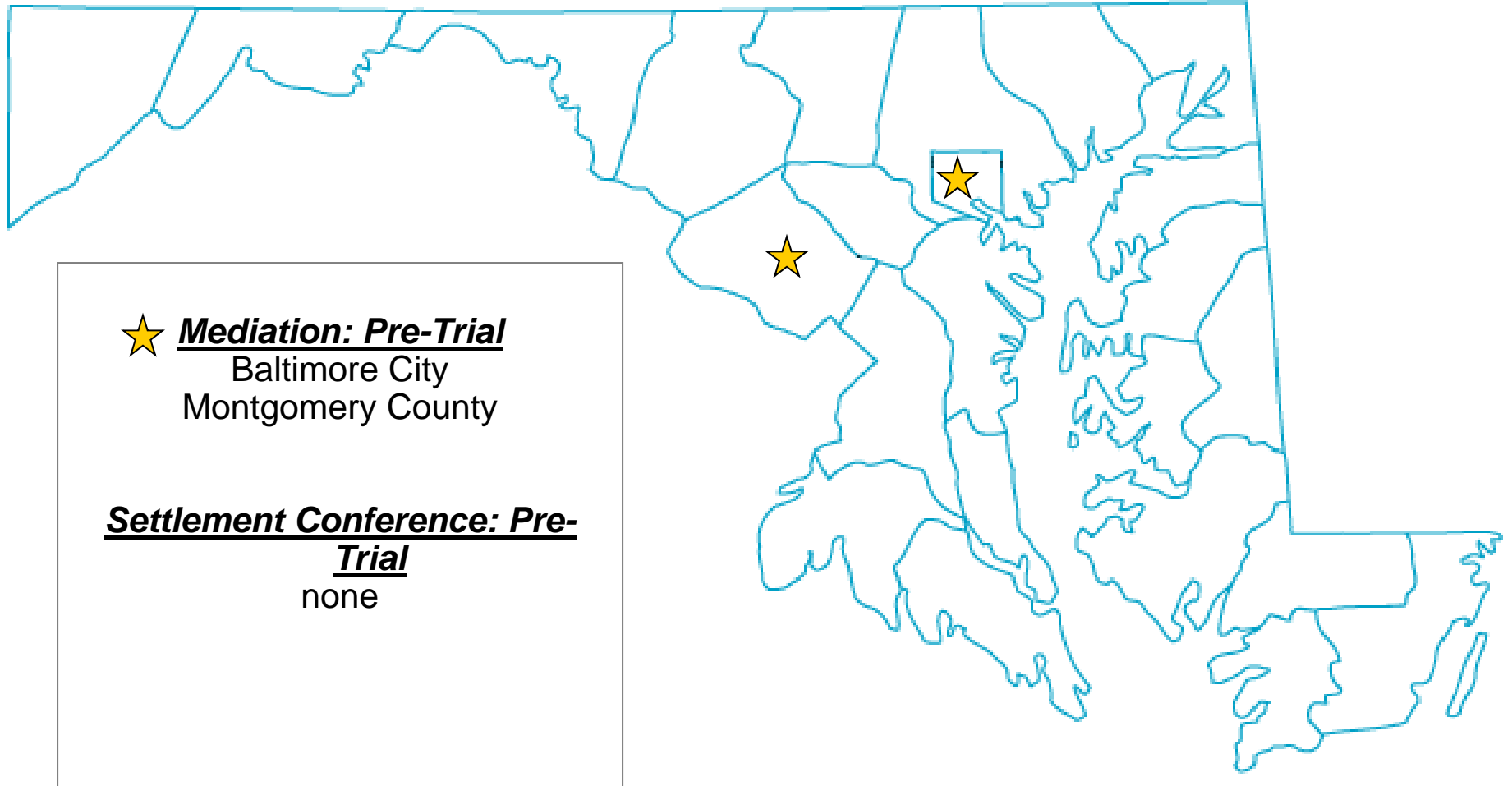


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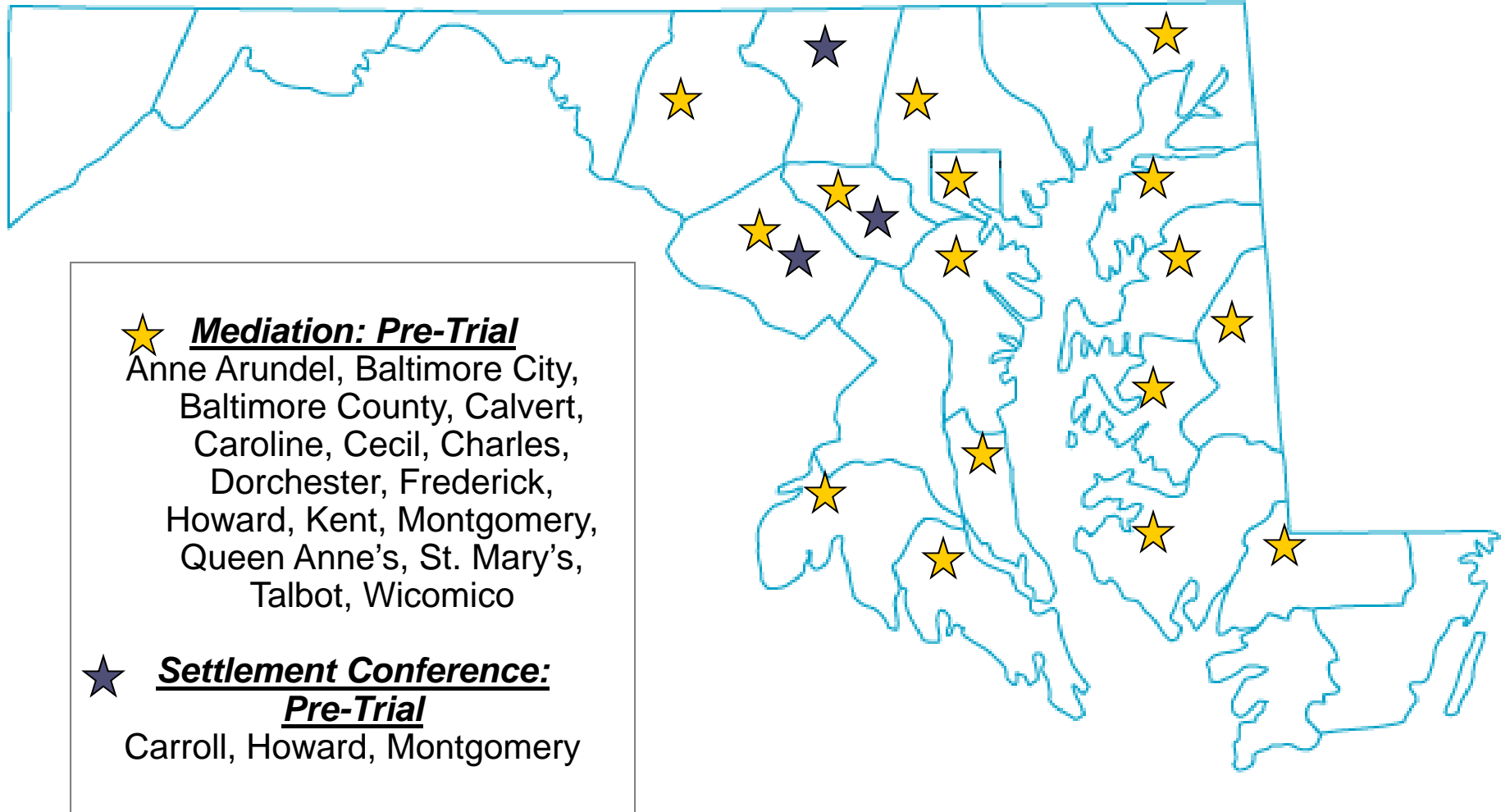
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Settlement conferences are conducted by volunteer lawyers

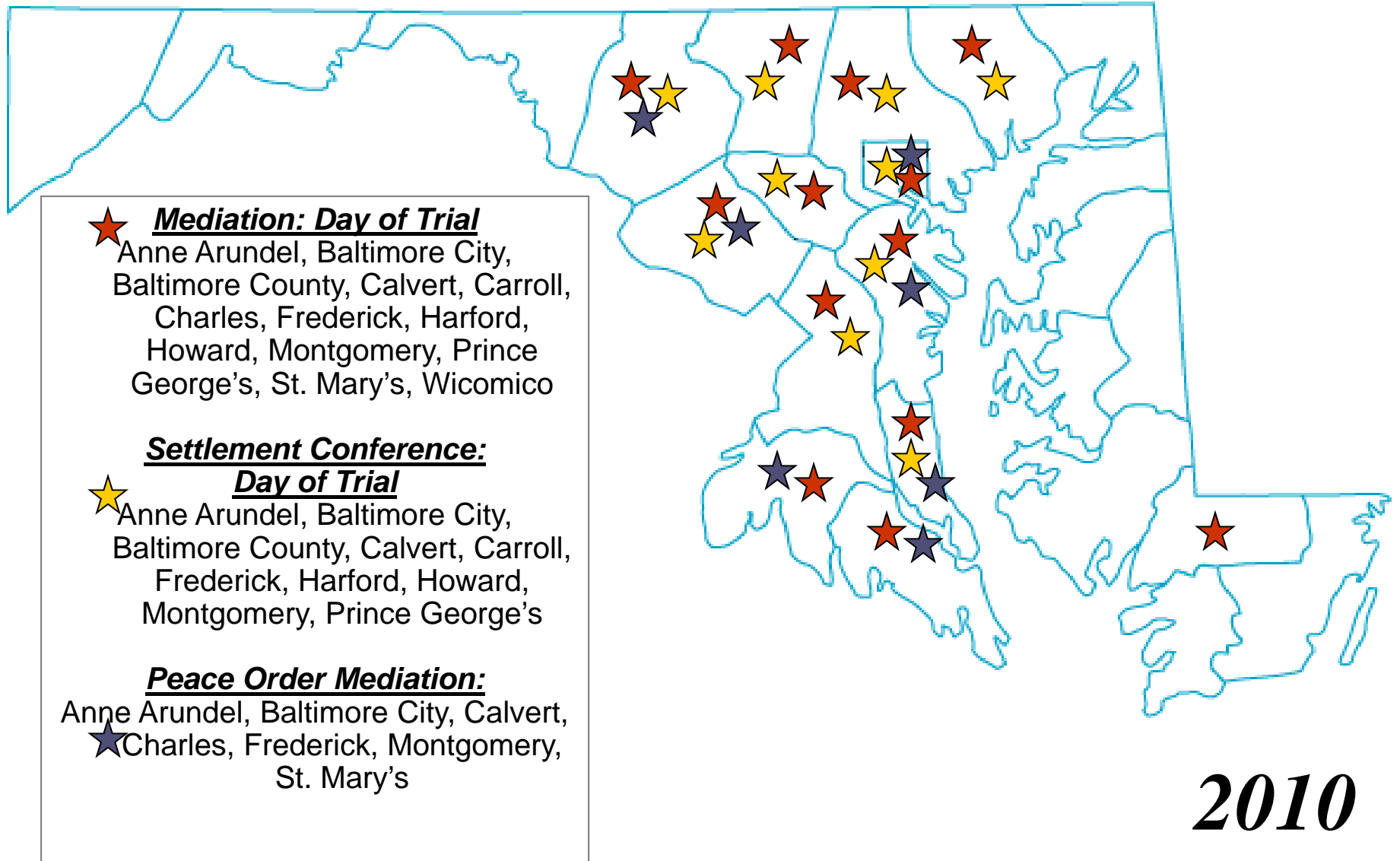
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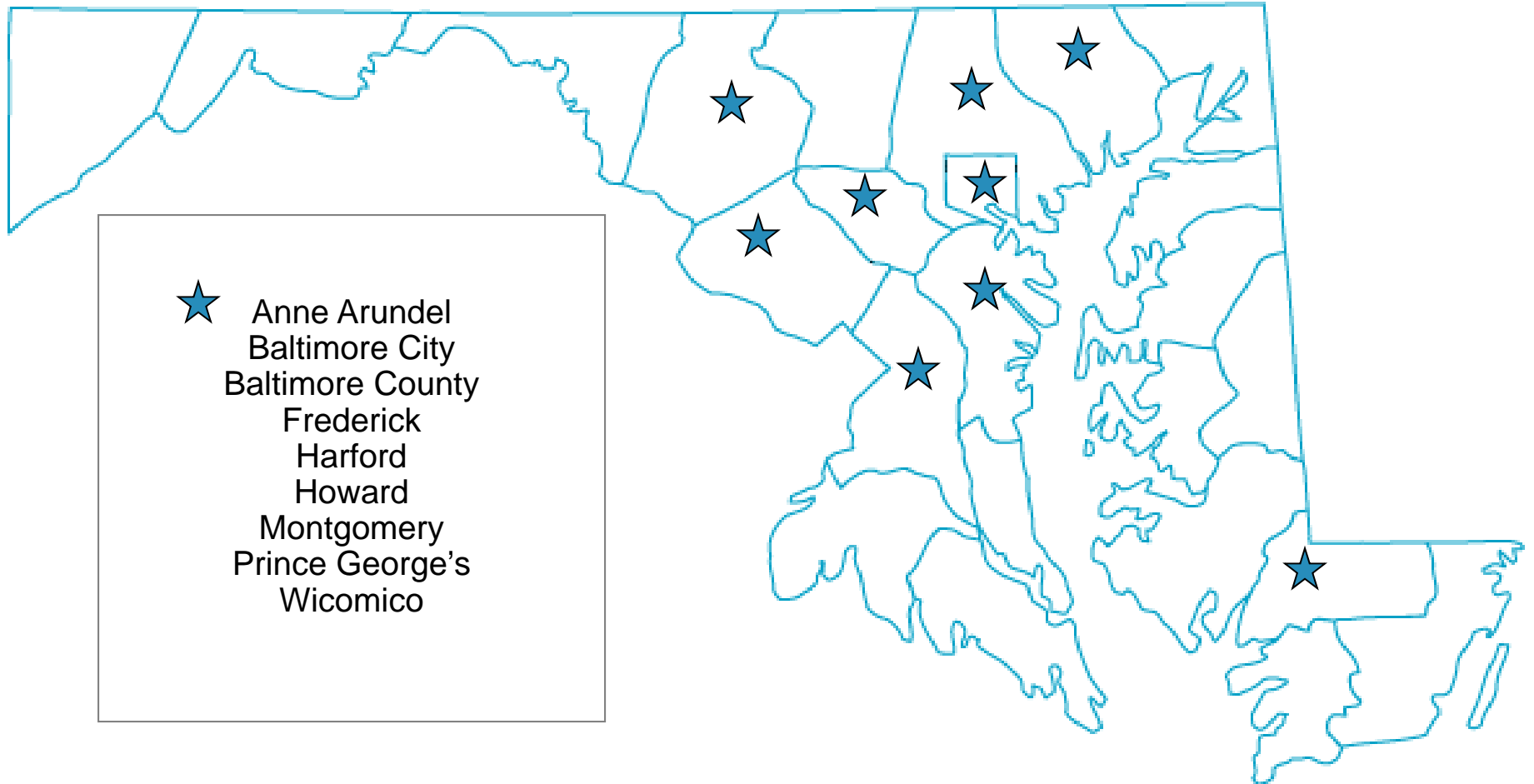


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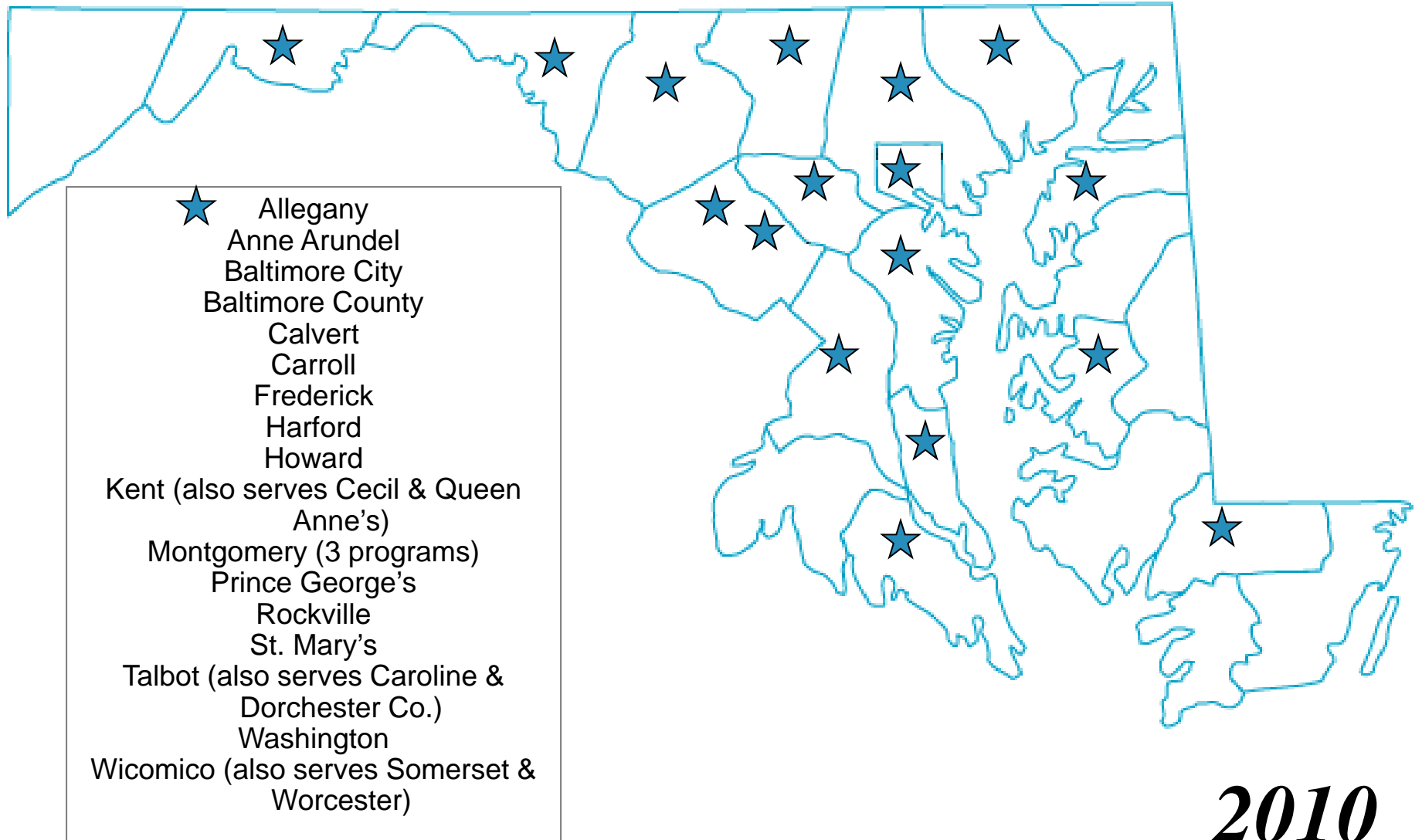
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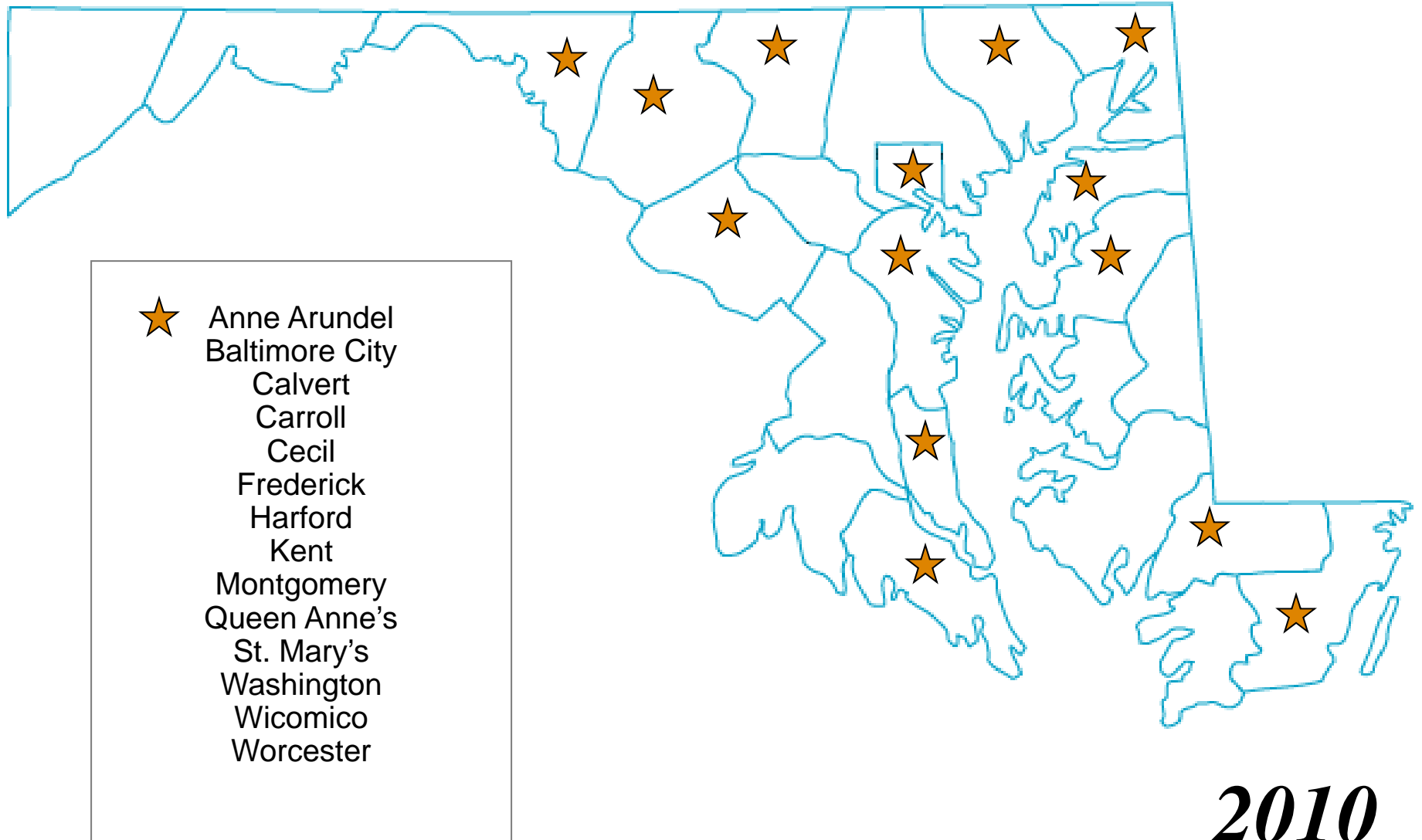
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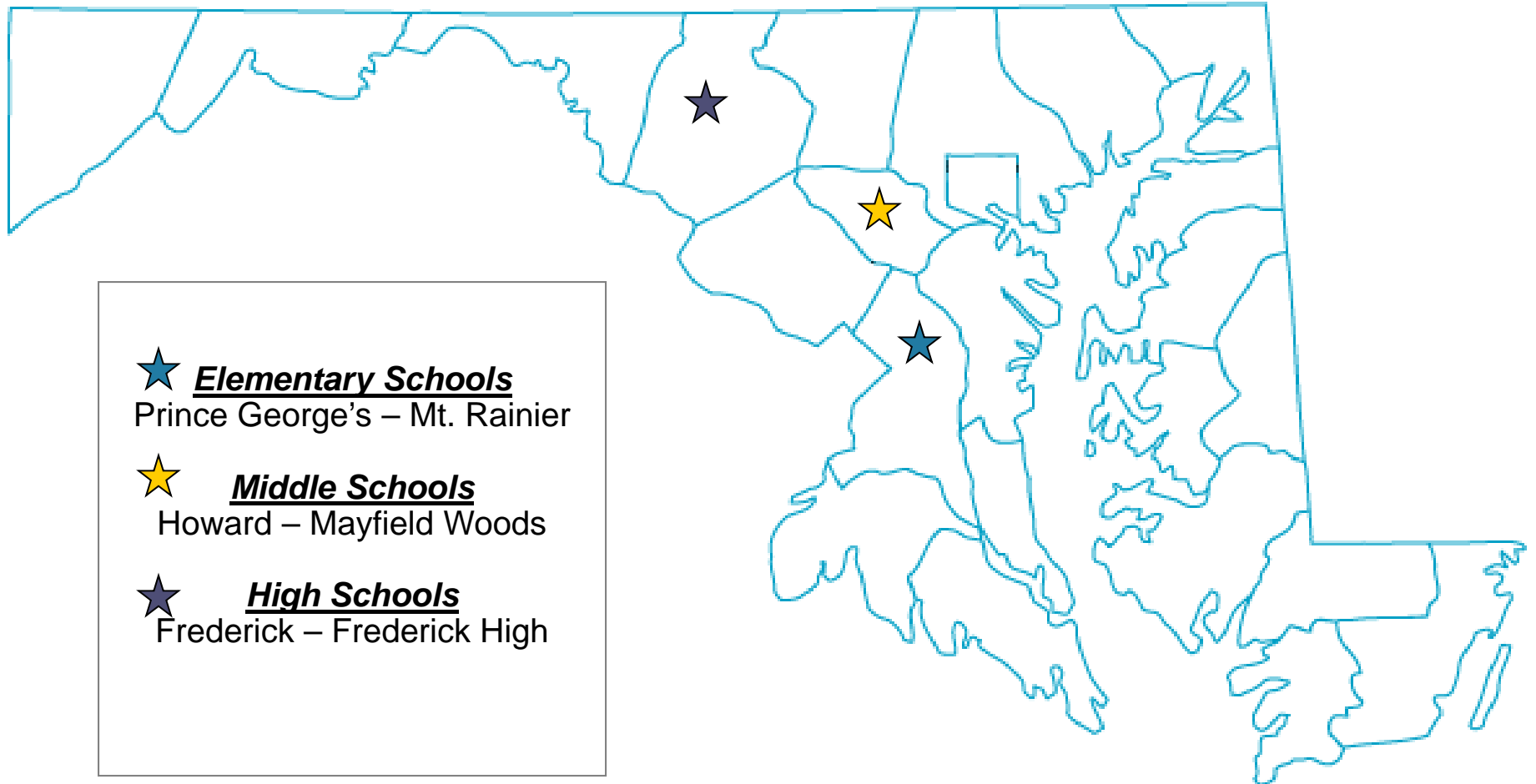
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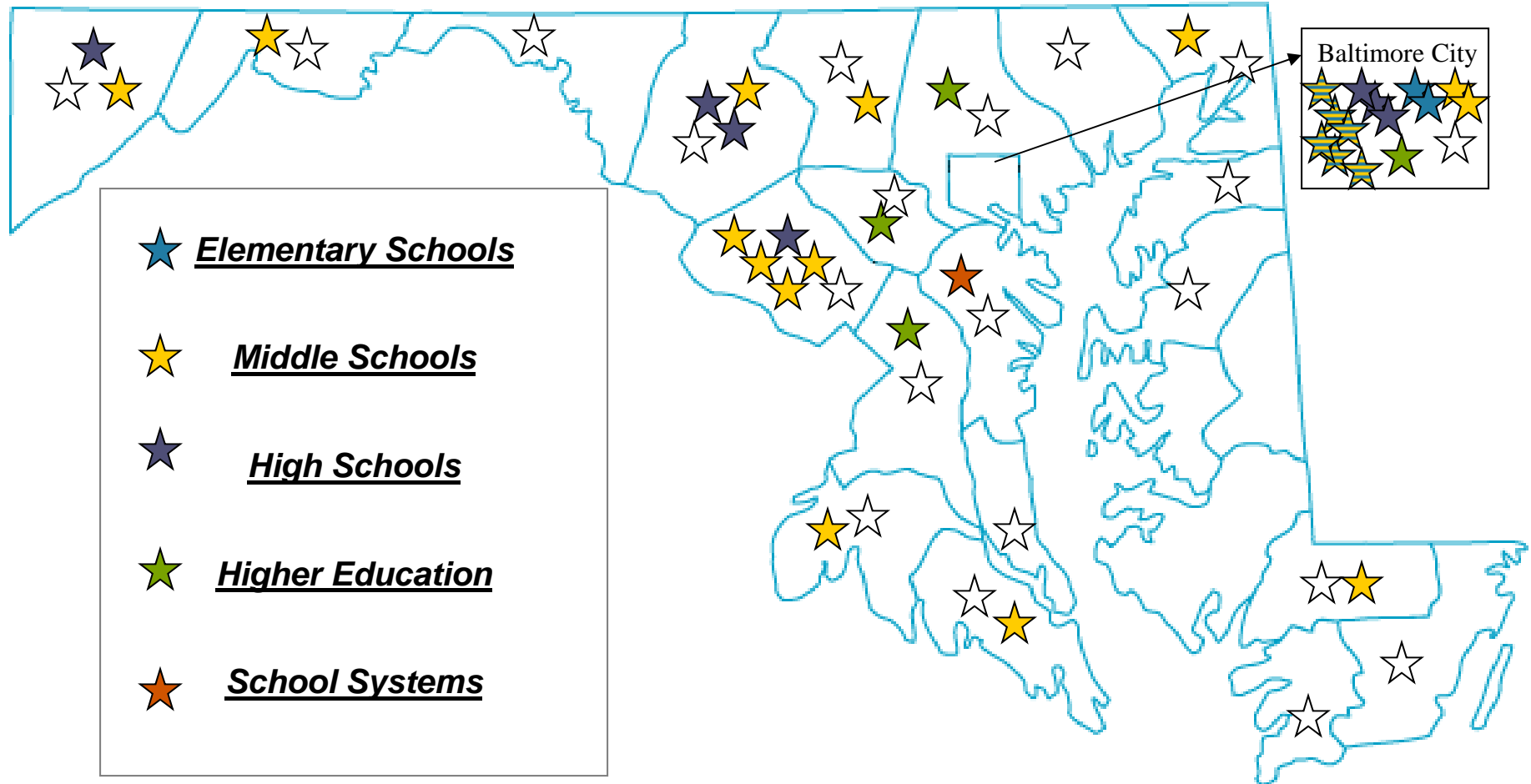
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# MACRO Support for Schools Conflict Resolution by County



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Colored stars represent school conflict resolution programs active in 2010-2011. White stars indicate counties that have received school grants since the inception of the school grants program.

To increase the public's understanding of ADR, *MACRO* has co-sponsored successful conferences with a variety of organizations, both locally and nationally:



- ★ **School-Based Conflict Resolution** - Center for Dispute Resolution at the University of Maryland School of Law
- ★ **Diversity, Ethics and Quality Practice** - Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution
- ★ **Health Care Dispute Resolution** - Center for Dispute Resolution at the University of Maryland
- ★ **Family Mediation** - Center for Dispute Resolution at the University of Maryland
- ★ **Workplace Mediation** - University of Baltimore Center for Negotiation and Conflict Management
- ★ **Business Conflict Resolution Systems Design** - University of Baltimore Center for Negotiation and Conflict Management

- ★ **Mediation Quality Assurance** – Institute for the Study for Conflict Transformation
- ★ **EEO Mediation for Government Agencies** – Governor’s Office
- ★ **District Court Civil Mediation Conference** – District Court of Maryland
- ★ **District Court Criminal Mediation Conference** – District Court of Maryland
- ★ **Evaluation Summit** – Salisbury University
- ★ **Maryland Mediators Convention**
- ★ **MOSS** – Maryland Program for Mediator Excellence
- ★ **Conflict Resolution Skills for Court, Government Agency and Non-profit Supervisors**

**MACRO** has made presentations and given workshops at national conferences and events sponsored by:



- ★ **CPR Institute for Dispute Resolution**
- ★ **Association for Conflict Resolution & its predecessor, the Society for Professionals in Dispute Resolution**
- ★ **American Bar Association, Section of Dispute Resolution**
- ★ **Consortium for Appropriate Dispute Resolution in Special Education**
- ★ **Institute for the Study of Conflict Transformation**
- ★ **Mediator Associations in Florida, Pennsylvania, Texas, New York, Massachusetts, Vermont, North Dakota, Colorado**
- ★ **Policy Consensus Initiative**
- ★ **Georgia State University Center for Negotiation and Conflict Resolution**
- ★ **National Council on Peacemaking and Conflict Resolution**
- ★ **Council of State Governments**
- ★ **Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution**
- ★ **American Arbitration Association**
- ★ **Scottish Mediation Network**
- ★ **Supreme Court of Brazil**
- ★ **Third Annual European Mediation Conference**



## **MACRO's** major accomplishments and awards



- ★ MACRO is creating an innovative web-based ADR Program Evaluations Support System using an open source code
- ★ MACRO Deputy Executive Director, Lou Gieszl, was elected to serve as the International Association for Conflict Resolution's (ACR) President for the 2010-2011 term of office
- ★ MACRO Director of Quality Assistance, Cheryl Jamison, was elected as ACR's Vice President for the 2010-2011 term of office
- ★ MACRO, in collaboration with several mediator groups, developed the Maryland Program for Mediators Excellence which has approximately 800 members
- ★ MACRO created a series of creative Mediation Posters that are customizable online for use by courts and other nonprofit organizations

- ★ MACRO Founder and Chair, Chief Judge Robert M. Bell, was awarded the ABA Dispute Resolution Section's 2003 D'Alemberte/Raven Award for outstanding leadership in the field of conflict resolution
- ★ MACRO Director of Public Policy, Ramona Buck, received the Maryland Bar Association's Dispute Resolution Section's 2005 Chief Judge Bell Award for Outstanding service in the conflict resolution field
- ★ MACRO convened representatives from state government agencies to create an executive branch Shared Neutrals program
- ★ MACRO Executive Director, Rachel Wohl, was awarded ACR's 2001 Mary Parker Follet Award for innovation in conflict resolution
- ★ MACRO was awarded CPR's 2001 Significant Practical Achievement Award for its action plan, ***“Join the Resolution.”***



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