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HERKIMER – There were 515 persons in Herkimer County on Public Assistance in 305 cases during March 2024, according to a report filed with County Legislators by Commissioner Timothy Seymour.

This compares with 534 individuals in 319 cases at the end of February.

In the Food Stamps program there were 8,685 individuals in 5,077 cases at the end of March, compared to 8,855 individuals in 5,115 cases at the end of February.

In the Medicaid program there were 4,857 individuals in 4,685 cases during March, while in February there were 4,857 individuals in 4,688 cases.

Please note these numbers represent cases processed through the local Welfare Management System. They do not include cases opened through the New York State Health Exchange.