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HERKIMER – There were 464 persons in Herkimer County on Public Assistance in 281 cases during July 2024, according to a report filed with County Legislators by Commissioner Timothy Seymour.

This compares with 475 individuals in 286 cases at the end of June.

In the Food Stamps program there were 8,611 individuals in 5,033 cases at the end of July, compared to 8,510 individuals in 4,998 cases at the end of June.

In the Medicaid program there were 4,881 individuals in 4,720 cases during July, while in June there were 4,894 individuals in 4,726 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.