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HERKIMER – There were 444 persons in Herkimer County on Public Assistance in 274 cases during August 2024, according to a report filed with County Legislators by Commissioner Timothy Seymour.

This compares with 464 individuals in 281 cases at the end of July.

In the Food Stamps program there were 8,617 individuals in 5,044 cases at the end of August, compared to 8,611 individuals in 5,033 cases at the end of July.

In the Medicaid program there were 4,899 individuals in 4,724 cases during August, while in July there were 4,881 individuals in 4,720 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.