



*Herkimer County*

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HERKIMER – There were 509 persons in Herkimer County on Public Assistance in 303 cases during April 2022, according to a report filed with County Legislators by Commissioner Timothy Seymour.

This compares with 515 individuals in 318 cases at the end of March.

In the Food Stamps program, there were 8,616 individuals in 4,829 cases at the end of April, compared to 8,707 individuals in 4,874 cases at the end of March.

In the Medicaid program, there were 5,475 individuals in 5,058 cases during April, while in March there were 5,475 individuals in 5,046 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.