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HERKIMER – There were 746 persons in Herkimer County on Public Assistance in 416 cases during January 2019, according to a report filed with County Legislators by Commissioner Timothy Seymour.

This compares with 684 individuals in 399 cases at the end of December.

In the Food Stamps program, there were 8,519 individuals in 4,743 cases at the end of January, compared to 8,194 individuals in 4,601 cases at the end of December.

In the Medicaid program, there were 4,782 individuals in 4,607 cases during January, while in December there were 4,814 individuals in 4,618 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.