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FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL 867-1222

HERKIMER – There were 717 persons in Herkimer County on Public Assistance in 410 cases during March 2020, according to a report filed with County Legislators by Commissioner Timothy Seymour.

This compares with 705 individuals in 401 cases at the end of February.

In the Food Stamps program, there were 8,117 individuals in 4,585 cases at the end of March, compared to 8,041 individuals in 4,566 cases at the end of February.

In the Medicaid program, there were 4,791 individuals in 4,597 cases during March, while in February there were 4,782 individuals in 4,583 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.