



The **Herkimer County Department of Social Services** eligibility staff will continue to maintain our monthly presence in the Town of Webb. As a reminder, staff will be visiting Old Forge on the last Thursday of each month (with alternate dates around the holidays) and will be located at the:

Town of Webb Office Complex
3140 State Rt. 28, Old Forge, New York 13420

Listed below you will find the tentative schedule for the remainder of the year, but please note that weather patterns may require alternate scheduling during the winter months. Office hours will be 10:00am to 2:00pm.

2023 SCHEDULE

May 25	September 28
June 29	October 26
July 27	November 30
August 31	December 28

Eligibility Program Areas

Program Name: HEAP

Contact Information: Julie Foster (315-867-1220) Julie.foster@dfa.state.ny.us

Brief Program Description: Determine eligibility and authorize benefits for those who qualify, authorize

Home energy Assistance funding for regular, emergency situations, cooling benefit, clean and tune of furnaces, furnace repairs, and furnace replacements to alleviate the burden on residents in Herkimer County, if eligible.

Program Name: Medicaid

Contact Information: Lisa Monahan (315-867-1641) lisa.monahan@dfa.state.ny.us

Brief Program Description: Staff determines eligibility for adults and children for medical assistance programs

Referral Process: If you are under 65 and not certified disabled, you can apply with any navigator or CAC representative. If you are over 65, in a nursing home, or certified disabled, you can mail in an application to the department. Please call the above number for additional information.

Program Name: Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

Contact Information: Lisa Monahan, 315-867-1641 lisa.monahan@dfa.state.ny.us

Brief Program Description: This program provides a supplemental nutrition to residents of Herkimer County who are eligible and apply for this benefit (formerly the Food Stamp Program).

Program Name: TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families)

Safety Net Assistance

Contact Information: Eva Kirchberg (315-867-1278) eva.kirchberg@dfa.state.ny.us

Brief Program Description: This program authorizes temporary cash benefits for clients who meet federal and state financial guidelines which allows clients with little or no income, to maintain rent and living expenses.

We encourage potential applicants and recipients to visit <https://mybenefits.ny.gov/> for additional program guideline and screening information.

Other Social Services Functional Areas

Social Services General Inquiries: 315-867-1291

Child Welfare (Preventive, Foster Care, Adoption, Child and Adult Protective): 315-867-1214

Managed/Long Term Care: 315-867-1322

Day Care: 315-867-1233

Child Support Services: 888-208-4485

Child Abuse Hotline: 800-342-3720