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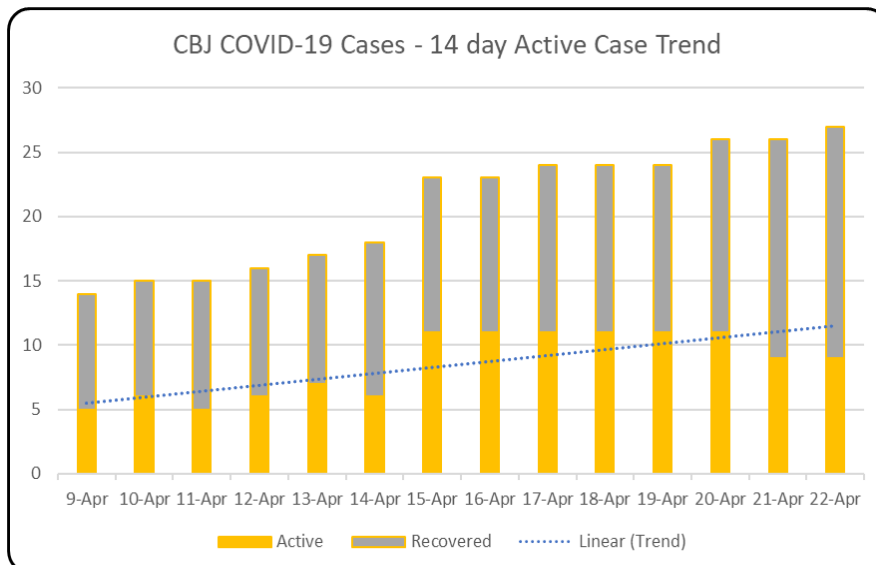
FROM: Mila Cosgrove, Incident Commander

RE: City & Borough of Juneau COVID-19 Response – Emergency Operations Center Update

### Situational Update – Incident Level 2

Numbers changed from yesterday are highlighted

Category	Juneau		Statewide
Confirmed cases	27		335
Travel	1		
Secondary	20		
Community	5		
Under Investigation	1	Up	
Cumulative Tests	745		10,858
% of population tested	2.33%		
DPH PUIs	60	Down	
Hospitalized COVID +	0		36 (Cumulative)
Recovered	18		196
Ventilated Patients	1	Up	
Fatalities	0		9



CBJ Operations continue with staff reassigned to EOC functions where appropriate. Minor staff outages due to childcare and medically advised quarantine. Staffing issues are not impairing operations.

BRH Operations continue as normal. They have limited staff out due to illness or quarantine. Staffing issues are not impairing operations.

Supply chain is operational with no significant reported shortages.

Additional detail is available on the CBJ Dashboard which can be found on at: [Juneau.org/COVID-19](http://Juneau.org/COVID-19)

## **EOC Highlights**

Operational Period 9 (4/16/2020 – 4/23/2020).

EOC is working on identifying any barriers to soft openings of the economy, specifically PPE and testing kit availability.

BRH is planning for soft reopening of surgery unit moving beyond true emergencies. They are planning to open at about 50% of normal capacity. This will give them time to check new processes and procedures to make sure they can operationally accommodate increased volumes and maintain COVID-19 readiness. Medical staff is on board.

BRH received the state license for the alternate care site officially making BRH a 148 bed hospital.

DPH is following 60 individuals – most of whom will fall off by the end of the week. For the last two weeks, all new cases have been connected to a single case. No cases in the last two weeks outside of that.

## **Operational Highlights**

Airport Screening: 22 passengers out of 66 arriving went through the voluntary screening process at the airport. Slight uptick in travelers

Mobile Screening: over 18 calls came in to the call center, 6 of which were referred to testing. There were 5 tests at drive through and 1 at home. To date, sampled 273 for testing. 4 welfare checks were conducted via phone.

Vessel Screening: AMHS will report on Monday (4/27)

Warming Shelter: had 55 individuals overnight.

Feeding Task Force: 19 Breakfast, 34 Lunch, 53 Dinners

Mt. Jumbo: 1 client at Mt. Jumbo.

Mill Campground: Up and running with 4 sites occupied yesterday. Incorporating into census numbers.

Centennial Hall: Small shower trailer is ready. Large shower trailer will be ready by the end of the week.

BRH: pretesting process in place for surgeries. Need a 48 hour turnaround. Mandate 15 also requires testing inpatients. Working on masking protocols for patients. Continuing to create negative airflow spaces for areas where aerosolizing procedures will be conducted.

Safety plans in place for elective procedures. Oxygen supplies looking good.

JSD: Food 7 days a week – at this point planning on continuing through the end of the school year. We can continue as long as needed. With the continuation of social distancing mandate, pursuing alternative ideas for end of year festivities. Some support staff that have finished with distribution of devices. They are making fabric masks and delivering with meals and devices.

### Wednesday Deep Dive: -- Volunteer and Community Collaboration Task Force

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Volunteer Applications Submitted to Date: 273

Volunteers Referred: 178

- Delivery of Food: 43
- Sewing Masks and PPE: 124
- Screening Incoming Passengers: 18

Agencies Supported with Volunteers: 7

- Meals on Wheels (CCS)
- The Glory Hall
- St. Vincent de Paul
- CBJ
- Southeast Mask Makers
- Southeast PPE Rapid Response
- Salvation Army

Requests for Assistance Submitted: 53

- Delivery of Pre-Paid Items: 7
- Delivery of Donated Food: 10
- Cloth masks: 7
- Questions About Current Mandates: 4
- Questions about how to get screened for COVID: 3
- Questions about rent/utility assistance: 7
- Small business support: 2
- Organizations requesting support: 6
- Other: 10

### Weekly Highlights

Weekly we refer more volunteers to assist with delivering Salvation Army food boxes as more and more people are signing up for these boxes.

When letting a Senior Citizen who is a wheel chair user know that Capital AKcess would pick up his groceries curbside and deliver them to him, his response was “Well, that is just great news! I’m going to put them on my Christmas card list!”

We met with CCS this week to learn about a new program they are standing up to support seniors with higher in home needs than only delivered meals. We expect to refer volunteers who meet their criteria, to this program as it comes on line.

We are also working with business partners to develop a plan for distribution of hand sanitizer to the public until in store supplies are back up to full pace.