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DATE: August 11, 2020
 TO: CBJ Assembly
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 RE: **Situational Update –Level 2 Moderate** - Operational Period 19 (8/6/2020 - 8/20/2020)

Overall Community Risk	Disease Situation	Hospital Capacity	Public Health Capacity
Level 2 Moderate	Outbreaks are ongoing but controlled. Community spread based cases are occurring at low rates.	Hospital capacity is good and the general situation at the hospital is stable.	The testing environment is stabilizing. Contact tracing is constrained statewide, but local investigations are being conducted in a timely manner.

Situation Assessment: The community continues to experience a steady uptick in cases which maintains our moderate risk assessment. Over the last 14 day cycle (7/27 – 8/10), disease was acquired primarily through secondary transmission, mostly stemming from family type gatherings. Travel remained a critical risk factor. Low level community spread was consistently present. The EOC continues to monitor the situation closely to determine if cases will escalate.

Positive cases identified today were primarily from the new outbreak at the mine and follow up testing at AGS. Both situations have solid mitigation plans in place and risk to the community is minimal.

COVID-19 In Juneau				
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative
Resident	22	89	1	112
Non Resident	11	70	0	81
Total	33	159	1	193

Note: CBJ EOC data may be leading the data reported on the State of Alaska dashboard due to lags in data entry on the state level.

Issues of Note:

There is a newly identified small outbreak at the Kensington mine camp. 3 employees have tested positive and 12 close contacts were identified during the intimal round of contact tracing. All 15 (3 positive + close contact) have been quarantined off site. Kensington contracted with Juneau Urgent Care to provide testing for the remainder of the approximately 200 staff on site. Those employees will be held at camp until they

receive negative test results. This outbreak could result in a number of positive cases, but the overall risk to the community outside of the mine site is minimal.

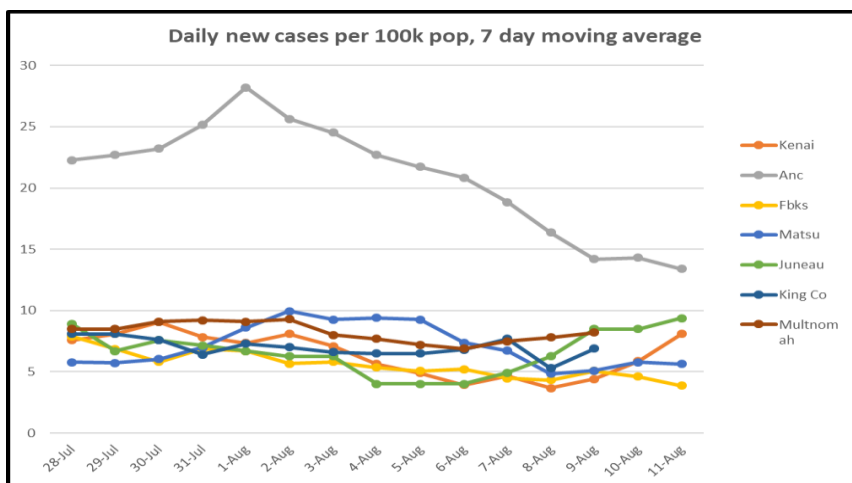
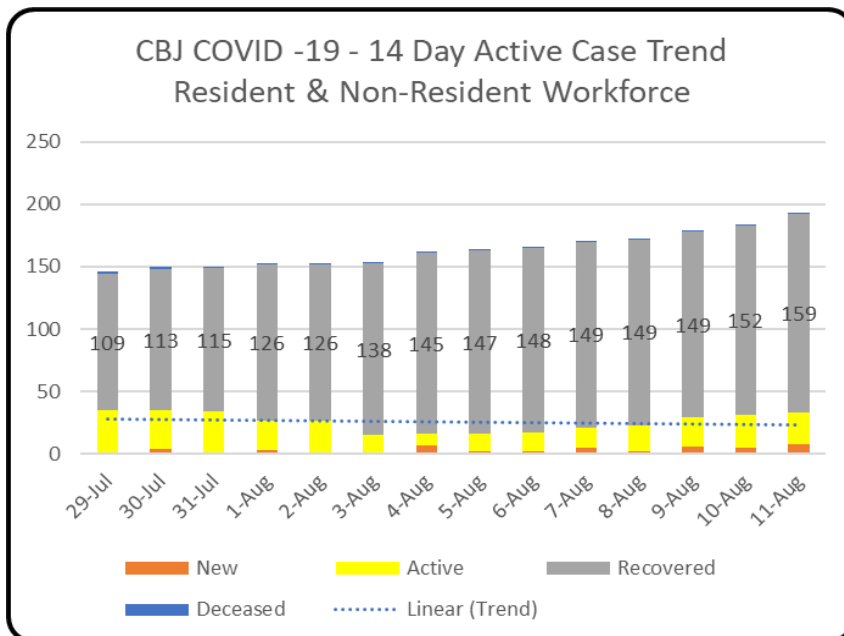
Disease Transmission/Contact Tracing:

1 resident and 7 nonresident cases reported for Juneau today. The new nonresident cases are associated with the mine and follow up testing from AGS. DPH is reporting 101 PUIs associated with the active cases.

The State of Alaska is reporting 50 new cases today (resident and nonresident combined) bringing the statewide cumulative case count to 4,589.

Testing:

86 tests were returned yesterday from tests take on August 5th and 6th which is a 4 – 5 day turn around. 82 of the tests were from August 6th.



This chart tracks the number of new cases in the past 7 days, controlled for population. King County (Seattle) and Multnomah County (Portland) are included for context and due to travel frequency. The source data for Alaska is from the SOA dashboard. Out of state data is from the Harvard Global Health Institute (<https://globalepidemics.org/key-metrics-for-covid-suppression/>) and is generally lags a day behind most of our other reporting. Policy recommendations at varying levels (<1, <10, <25, 25+) can be found on their website

