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DATE: August 16, 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.

Complete CBJ COVID-19 Dashboard and be found [here](#) or by going to Juneau.org/COVID-19

Situation Assessment: We continue to experience a steady uptick in cases and while our new 7 and 14 day case rate indicators have elevated into the high category, we maintain a moderate risk assessment due to the contained nature of the outbreaks.

There are 5-6 distinct groupings of cases. Kensington and AGS are among those groups but there are also several large family groupings that are contributing to the strong upward trend. Family-gathering type events continue to be a major source of transmission in the community and the community is urged to be cautious about keeping their social bubble small. Cases associated with travel and community spread continue as well but at lower numbers.

DPH does not update information over the weekend.

COVID-19 In Juneau				
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative
Resident	51	93	1	145
Non Resident	18	71	0	89
Total	69	164	1	229

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:

Kensington: Kensington has 22 confirmed positives among their workforce. 13 tests are still pending. Covid positive individuals and close contacts are isolating in a secure location. This outbreak could result in a high number of positive cases, but the overall risk to the community outside of the mine site is minimal.

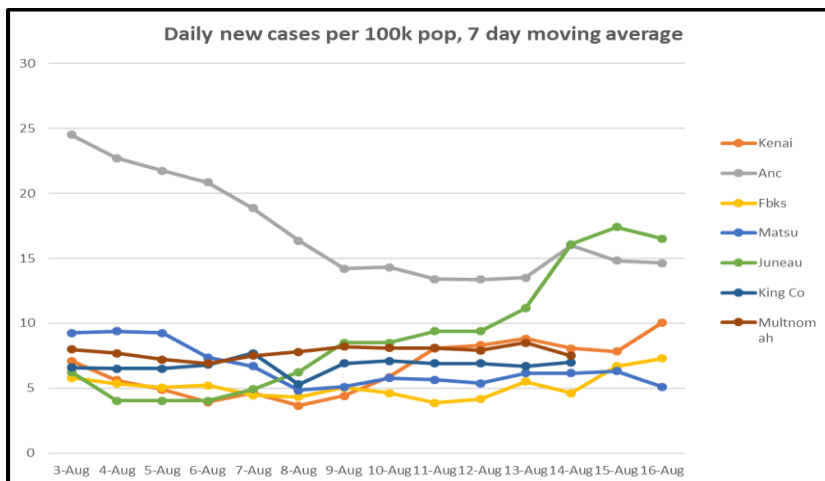
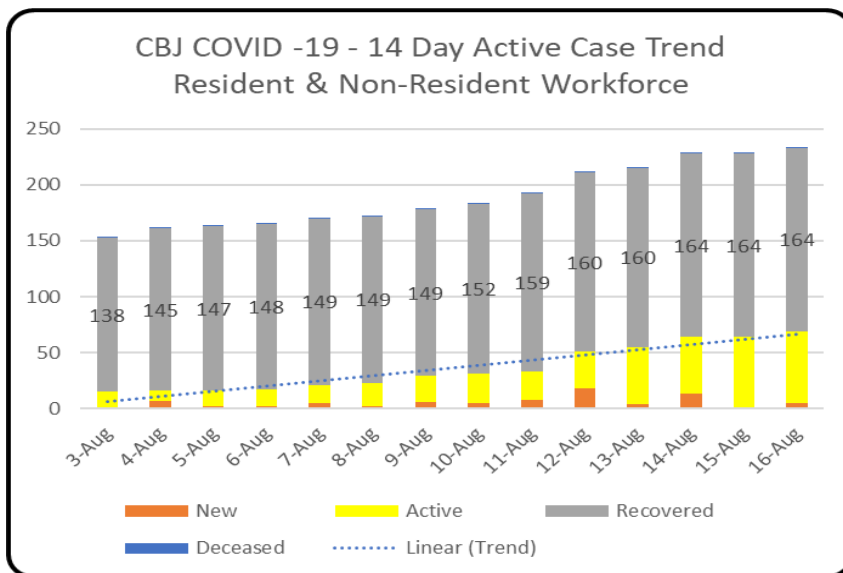
Disease Transmission/Contact Tracing:

5 new resident cases were reported for Juneau today. We do not get updated numbers from DPH over the weekend.

The State of Alaska is reporting 106 new cases today bringing the statewide cumulative case count to 5,060.

Testing:

196 Total tests were received yesterday, ranging in collection dates from the 8/10 – 8/12. (3 – 5 days after the samples were collected. 101 were 3 days out, 79 were 4 days out, and the remainder were 5 days out.



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

Alaskan information is for residents only. We are working on a chart that combines resident and nonresident case averages.