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DATE: January 12, 2021

TO: CBJ Assembly

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RE: **Situational Update –Level 2 Moderate-** Operational Period 28 (12/31/2020 – 1/28/2021)

Overall Community Risk	Disease Situation	Hospital Capacity	Public Health Capacity
Level 2 - Moderate	Overall cases have dropped but community spread based cases continue to occur.	The hospital case load is stable.	Contact tracing is constrained due to difficulty in reaching close contacts.

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

Situation Assessment: Our 14 day and 7 day case rates are at the Moderate alert level. The disease continues to move across all disease acquisition types: community spread, secondary transmission, and travel. We caution the public to strictly adhere to all health orders related to travel and to continue strict adherence to masking and social distancing when outside your immediate home.

Issues of Note:

Testing:

The Asymptomatic testing event concluded on January 10th. During the 12 day run, 9 tests returned positive. DPH reported that all the individuals who tested positive stated that they had been symptomatic prior to testing, meaning we did not identify positive asymptomatic individuals through the event.

Vaccines:

Planning and logistics continue for the first mass Point of Dispensing (POD) event scheduled for January 15 – 17 at Centennial Hall. At this time, all appointments are filled. The planning team is developing a process for a short standby list in case there are no shows. Another clinic will be set up as soon as we have confirmation of more vaccine.

To put vaccine distribution in perspective based on demographic data from the AK Department of Labor:

Population	% of Vaccine eligible Population	Age Group	Comments
31,773		All	Total Population of Juneau
26,063	100%	15+	All age groups eligible to be vaccinated (those under 16 years of age are not recommended for the vaccine).
4,573	17.5%	65+	Phase 1b, Tier 1 - Currently eligible for vaccine

Juneau has received 2,820 vaccine doses to date (1100 of those are expected to arrive tomorrow), enough to vaccinate 10.8% of citizens age 16 and above. The actual percentage of doses is somewhat higher than that given the distribution to SEAHRC, the Veteran’s Administration, and the Coast Guard. We are working with community partners to refine total doses in Juneau and hope to have complete information available soon.

The State of Alaska Dashboard is now reporting vaccinations given by “behavioral region.” We believe the Juneau Behavioral Region to be the Juneau Borough. The state’s dashboard is updated on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Today they reported 1,729 people had received their initial vaccination, with 504 people having also received the second dose.

Daily Numbers Report:

We are reporting 1 new case today.

COVID-19 In Juneau				
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative
Resident	10	968	5	983
Non Resident	0	125	0	125
Total	10	1093	5	1108

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

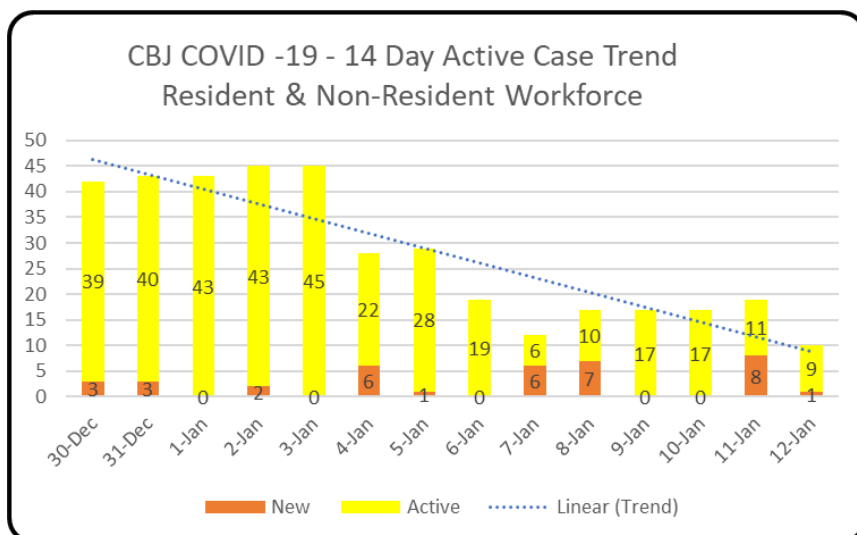
Disease Transmission/Contact Tracing:

We are reporting 1 new resident case and no new nonresident cases today. Today’s case is associated with Travel.

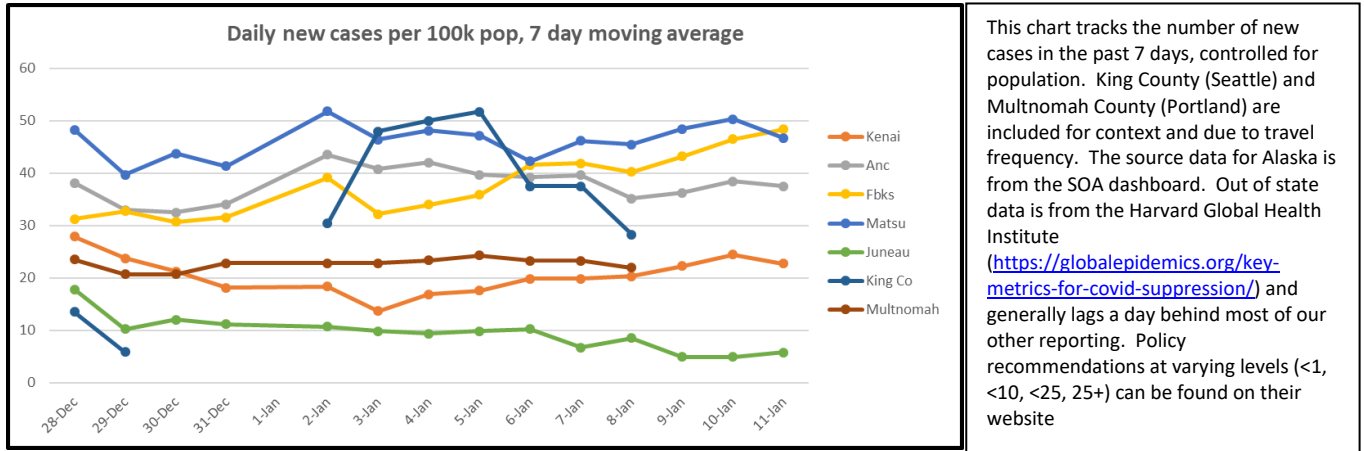
The State dashboard had technical difficulties today. Statewide case counts will be reported tomorrow.

Testing:

01/11: 146 test results were received from the Fulgent Lab with collection dates between 01/08/2021 – 01/10/2021 – 2 tests returned in 1 day, 88 tests returned at 2 days, and 56 tests returned at 3 days.



This table was not refreshed due to lack of data on the state dashboard.



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 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