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DATE: August 14, 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
<b>Level 2 Moderate</b>	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](http://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. Family-gathering type events continue to be a major source of transmission in the community. We anticipate additional cases from Kensington in the coming days; however, appropriate isolation protocols are in place and all indications are that community risk associated with those cases is minimal. Additionally, travel continues to be a significant risk factor.

COVID-19 In Juneau				
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative
Resident	46	93	1	140
Non Resident	18	71	0	89
<b>Total</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>229</b>

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.

Airport screening and testing operations continue to work through process related obstacles. We have an operational update scheduled for Monday.

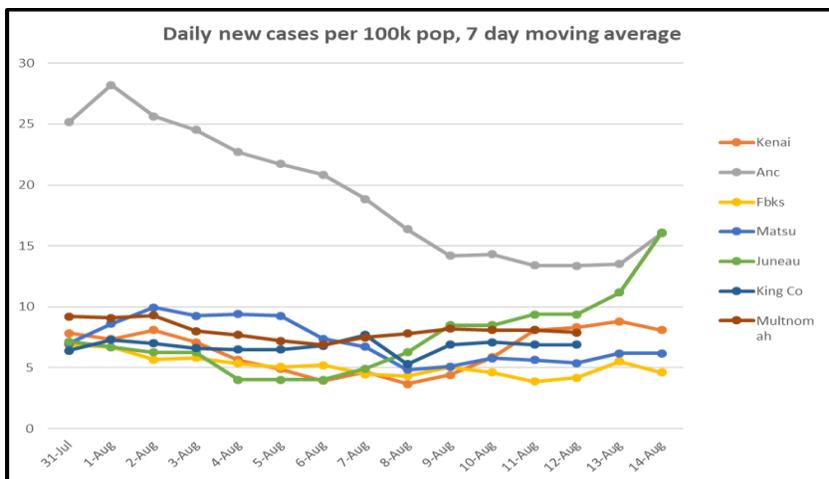
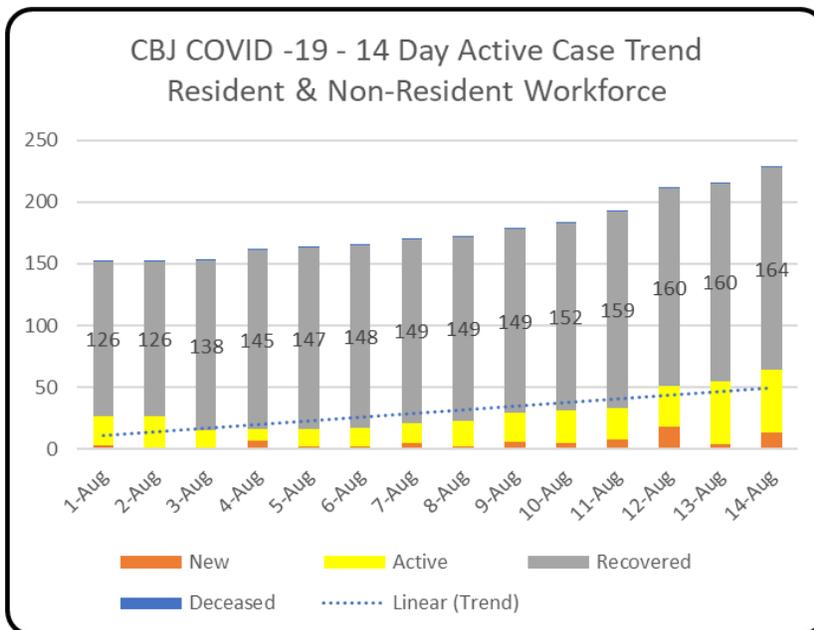
Disease Transmission/Contact Tracing:

13 new cases overall were reported for Juneau. Disease acquisition for the new cases are 1 community spread, 1 travel, and 11 secondary transmission. Outside of Critical Industry cases, disease transmission stemming from family gatherings continues to be our most significant risk factor, followed by travel.

The State of Alaska is reporting 107 new cases today bringing the statewide cumulative case count to 4,832.

Testing:

231 tests were returned yesterday from tests taken between August 8<sup>th</sup> and August 10<sup>th</sup>. Tests returning between 3 to 5 days. 187 results returned from August 10<sup>th</sup> and 41 were returned from August 9<sup>th</sup>.



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.