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TO: CBJ Assembly

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RE: Situational Update –Level 2 Moderate - Operational Period 20 (8/20/2020 - 9/3/2020)

Overall Community	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 number of new cases. Although our 14 day case rate indicator remains in the high category, the 7 day indictor has dropped back to moderate as the cases associated with several of our outbreaks begin to fall outside of the designated time frames.

Family-gathering type events continue to be a source of transmission in the community and the community is urged to keep their social bubble small.

Juneau reported 1 new case today. This case, as well as the last two under investigation, has been tentatively identified as community spread.

COVID-19 In Juneau						
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative		
Resident	31	124	1	156		
Non Resident	13	81	0	94		
Total	44	205	1	250		

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.

Issues of Note:

The EOC continues to review and respond to gathering size exemption requests. Requests have mostly come in from church congregations. In addition to reviewing their paper plans, the EOC is also calling to discuss the plans and make sure there is a meeting of the minds regarding risk. Conversations are going well.

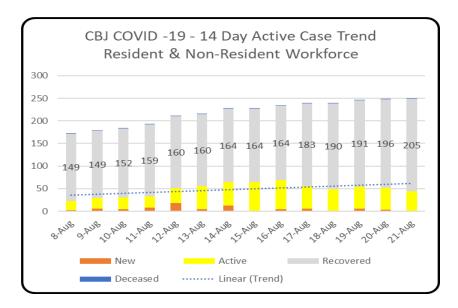
Disease Transmission/Contact Tracing:

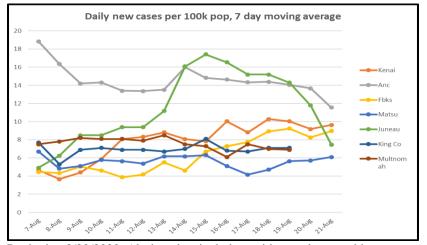
There is 1 new case reported for Juneau today. CBJ is still leading the state numbers in reported resident and non resident cases. In addition, our recovered numbers are also larger than what is being reported by the state due to more timely reporting.

The State of Alaska is reporting 73 new cases today bringing the statewide cumulative case count to 5,403.

Testing:

309 total tests were received yesterday, ranging in collection dates from the 8/11 - 8/18. (2 – 9 days after the samples were collected.) The majority of the tests (246) were returned within 2 – 3 days.





Beginning 8/20/2020, Alaskan data includes resident and non resident cases.

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