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DATE: November 5, 2020  
 TO: CBJ Assembly  
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 RE: **Situational Update –Level 3 High-** Operational Period 25 (10/29/2020- 11/12/2020)

Overall Community Risk	Disease Situation	Hospital Capacity	Public Health Capacity	The Complete CBJ COVID-19 Dashboard can be found <a href="#">here</a> or by going to <a href="#">Juneau.org/COVID-19</a>
<b>Level 3 - High</b>	Community spread based cases continue to occur at an increasing rate and containment is uncertain.	The hospital case load is stable.	Contact tracing efforts are constrained due to the nature and volume of cases.	

**Situation Assessment:** Our overall number of positive cases continue to climb. Our 7 and 14 day case rate indicators are in the very high alert level range. The disease is traveling within two distinct clusters as well as family groupings. Contact tracing is impaired due to caseload statewide and the nature of contacts required. Residents must take appropriate cautions, including limiting social bubbles to immediate family members.

**Issues of Note:**

We are working on a plan to convert our symptomatic testing operations to Fulgent Labs, which should improve turnaround times and simplify reporting. Currently, Fulgent Labs is returning tests within 2 – 3 days. The State Lab is returning tests in 3 – 5 days.

The Persons Experiencing Homelessness (PEH) cluster is now at 93 cases with 86 people recovered. 5 people are at Centennial Hall in isolation. Another round of testing will occur tomorrow.

The Mendenhall Auto cluster is up to 40 cases with 5 individuals recovered.

**Daily Numbers Report:**

We are reporting 14 new cases today.

COVID-19 In Juneau				
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative
Resident	106	472	3	581
Non Resident	1	104	0	105
<b>Total</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>686</b>

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:

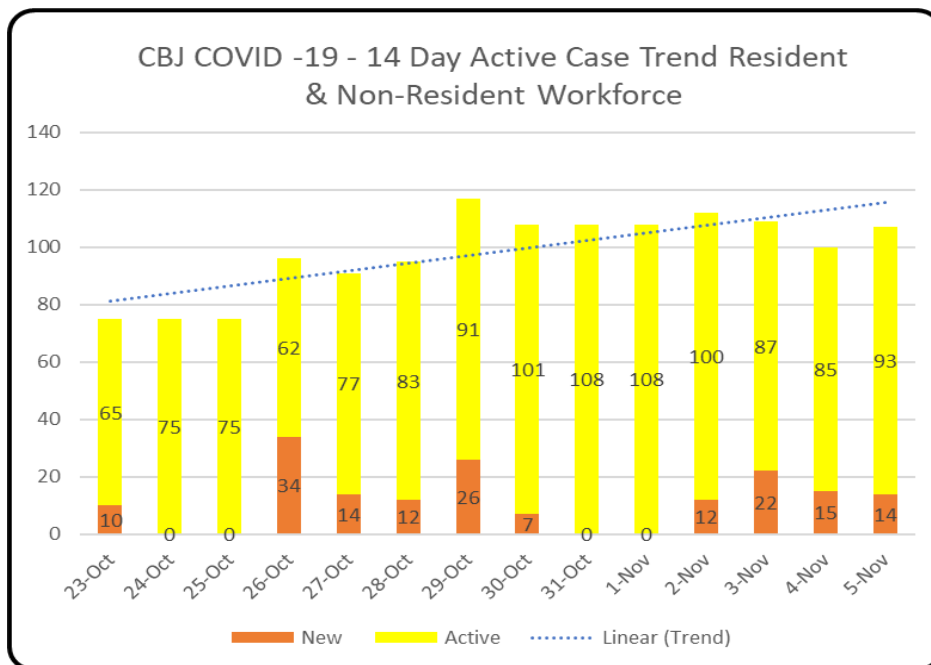
We are reporting 14 new resident and 0 new nonresident cases today. 8 of the new cases are secondary transmission, and the remaining 6 are under investigation. Of the 15 cases reported yesterday, 14 were secondary transmission.

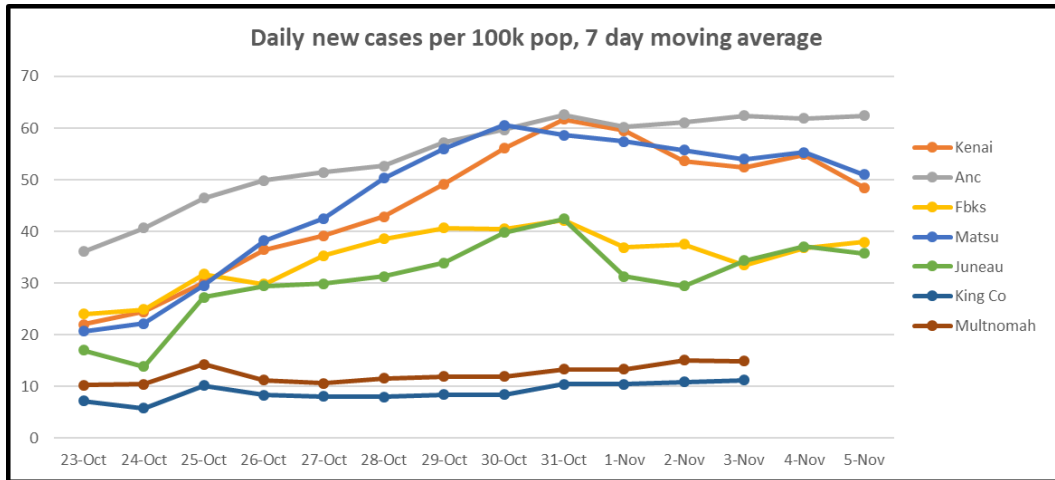
The State of Alaska is reporting 296 new cases today bringing the statewide cumulative case count to 18,174.

Testing:

In total 227 test results were received with collection dates of 10/30/2020 – 11/2/2020, returning results to individuals 2-5 days after collection.

- 125 test results were received from the Alaska State Lab with a collection dates of 10/30/2020 – 11/1/2020, returning results to individuals 3-5 days after collection.
- 102 test results were received from the Fulgent lab with collections dates of 11/1/2020 – 11/2/2020, returning results to individuals 2-3 days after collection.





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