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

Level 3 - High	Community spread based cases continue to occur. The containment situation is improving but remains uncertain.	The hospital case load is stable.	Contact tracing efforts are constrained due to the nature and volume of cases.	The Complete CBJ COVID-19 Dashboard can be found here or by going to Juneau.org/COVID-19
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Situation Assessment: 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:

The Governor issues an emergency declaration today. The requests articulated in the declaration mirror those that are currently in effect in our community. In accordance with the Governor's request, we will maintain our High Alert level through the end of November and reevaluate at that time.

Cases are climbing around the state. Anchorage hospitals are near capacity and we are tracking that closely to understand the impact on local ability to medevac.

We has a full unified command EOC meeting today.

BRH: No COVID positive patients at BRH as of this morning. We are on track with delivery of the Roche 6800 for December. Installation and validation of the machine will follow. Likely, it will be February before it is available for mass testing. Discussions are beginning regarding vaccine storage and distribution. BRH is also looking at internal processes to accommodate newly emerging treatments for COVID.

JSD: Due to the Governor's alert today, JSD will be announcing that increased in person class room instruction will be delayed until January 11th. The district plans to continue its current in person classes.

UAS has reported two COVID positive cases on campus. They are identifying isolation and quarantine protocols as well as close contacts. Our Mobile Integrated Health team tested 41 people on site yesterday.

Persons Experiencing Homelessness (PEH) cluster appears to be winding down. We have 93 cases overall with 88 recovered. We have 2 individuals who are COVID positive at Centennial Hall but they are expected to recover in the next day or two. An additional round of testing will occur tomorrow.

The Mendenhall Auto cluster is up to 48 individuals with 26 recovered.

Daily Numbers Report:

We are reporting 12 new cases today.

COVID-19 In Juneau				
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative
Resident	78	545	4	627
Non Resident	2	106	0	108
Total	80	651	4	735

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 10 new resident cases and 2 new nonresident cases today. Of these cases, 1 is secondary transmission, 2 are community spread, 2 are travel and the remaining 7 are under investigation. The 2 nonresident cases are associated with the mining industry and were identified as positive as part of their travel protocols.

The State of Alaska is reporting 478 new cases today bringing the statewide cumulative case count to 21,812. Case counts in Anchorage, Kenai Peninsula Borough, and Mat-Su Borough continue to climb driving overall numbers up.

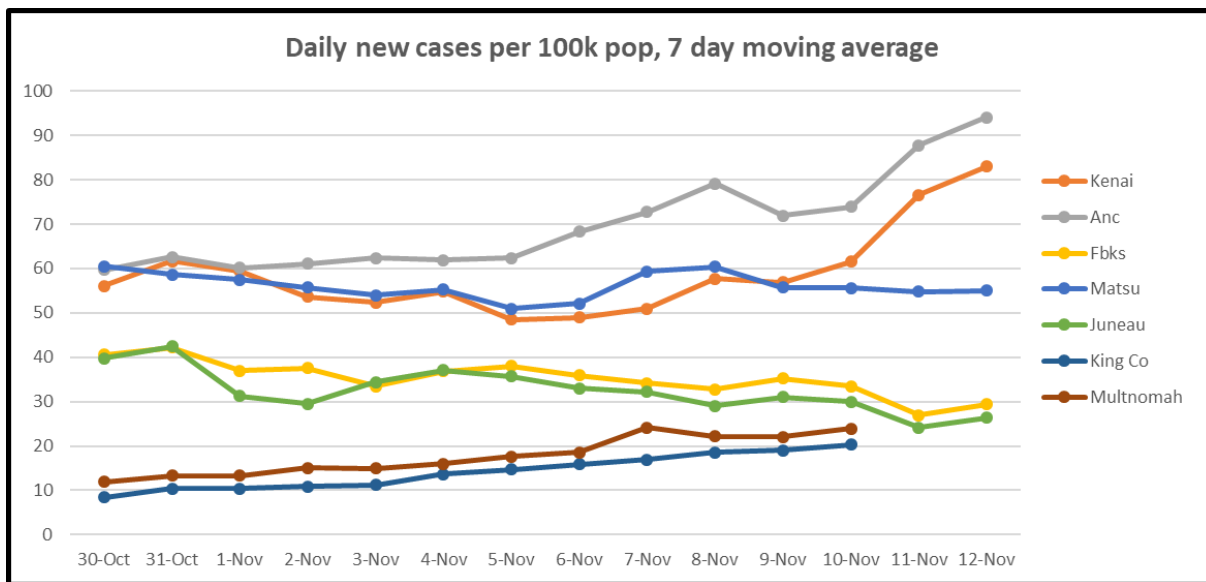
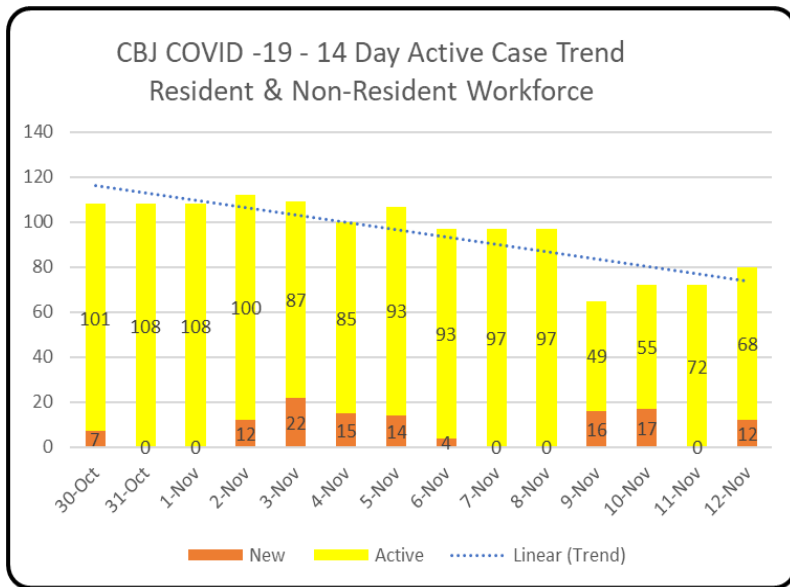
Testing:

11/10: In total 210 test results were received with collection dates of 11/2/2020 – 11/9/2020, returning results to individuals 1-8 days after collection.

- 32 test results were received from the Alaska State Lab with a collection dates of 11/2/2020 – 11/5/2020 returning results to individuals 5-8 days after collection.
- 178 test results were received from the Fulgent Lab with collection dates of 11/6/2020 – 11/9/2020, returning results to individuals 1-4 days after collection.

11/11: In total 138 test results were received with collection dates of 11/5/2020 – 11/9/2020, returning results to individuals 2-6 days after collection.

- 28 test results were received from the Alaska State Lab with a collection dates of 11/5/2020 – 11/6/2020 returning results to individuals 5-6 days after collection.
- 110 test results were received from the Fulgent Lab with collection dates of 11/8/2020 – 11/9/2020, 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