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DATE: December 4, 2020
 TO: CBJ Assembly
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 RE: **Situational Update –Level 3 High-** Operational Period 27 (12/3/2020 – 12/31/2020)

Current EOC Assessment			
Overall Community Risk	Disease Situation	Hospital Capacity	Public Health Capacity
Level 3 - High	Community spread based cases continue to occur. The containment situation 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](https://juneau.org/COVID-19) or by going to juneau.org/COVID-19

Situation Assessment: Our 14 day case rate indicator is at the Very High alert level and our 7 day case rate moved down to the High alert level. The disease is moving across all disease acquisition types: secondary infection, travel and community. Contact tracing is improving slightly, but remains constrained due to caseloads statewide and the nature of contacts required. Residents must take appropriate cautions, including limiting social bubbles to immediate family members.

Issues of Note:

The rolling 7 day average for cases in Anchorage continues to drop. Cases in the Kenai Peninsula Borough and Mat-Su Borough remain quite high. Mat Su's case positivity is still being influenced by the lag in reporting from the private lab that was reported on late last week. Overall positivity remains high statewide with 756 new cases and 12 deaths (3 new, 9 older) reported today.

The hospital system in Alaska continues to be overburdened. Seattle hospitals are tight for space as well. BRH monitors this status on a daily basis and reports they are presently able to medevac if needed.

Asymptomatic testing began on Thursday and will run through Sunday, December 13th (the event may end earlier if demand diminishes). So far we have had about 250 people register for the event so we are opening up the testing event a bit more broadly to just say Asymptomatic testing. Individuals wishing to test can sign up on the CBJ website: juneau.org/COVID-19.

The state has extended the airport testing RFP response by another week. As a result, they notified us today that they will seek a one month extension of the current contract with CBJ.

Daily Numbers Report:

We are reporting 3 new resident cases today.

COVID-19 In Juneau				
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative
Resident	72	758	5	835
Non Resident	0	112	0	112
Total	72	870	5	947

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.

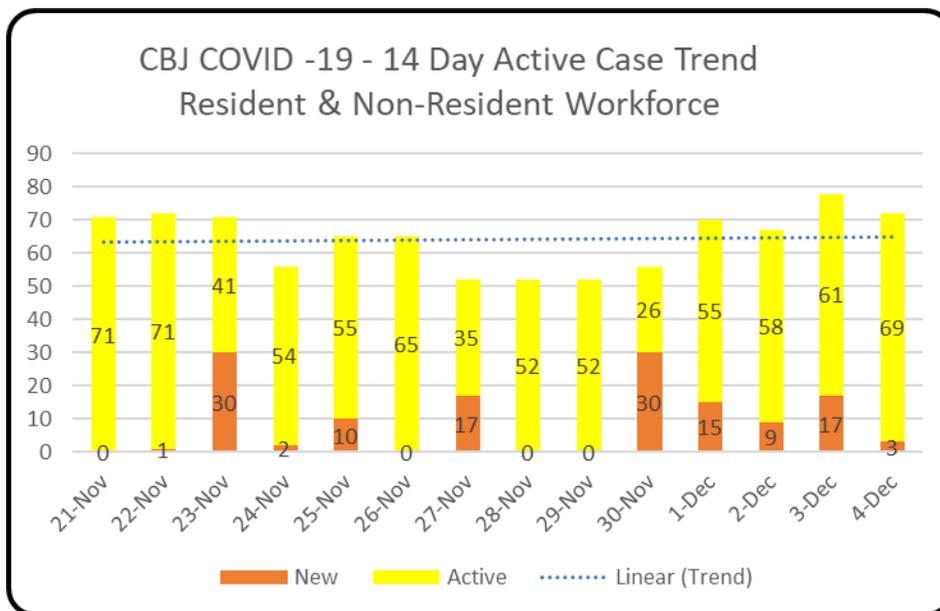
Disease Transmission/Contact Tracing:

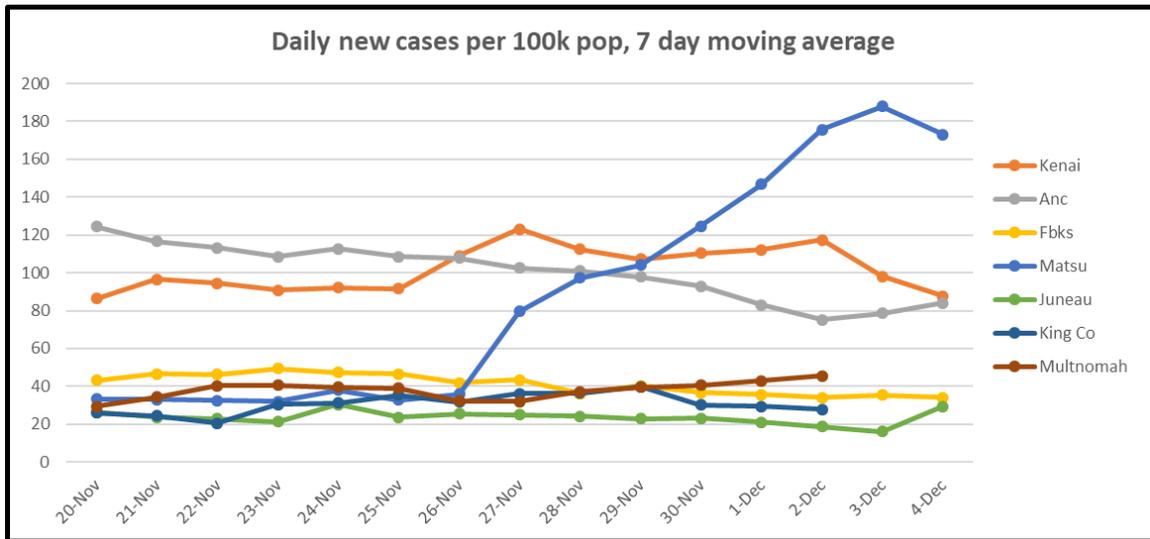
We are reporting 3 new resident cases today and no new nonresident cases. One case is designated as community spread, the remaining two cases are under investigation.

The State of Alaska is reporting 756 new cases today bringing the statewide cumulative case count to 35,325.

Testing:

12/03: 219 test results were received from the Fulgent Lab with collection dates between 11/29/2020 – 12/01/2020, returning results to individuals 2-4 days after collection. No test results were received from the Alaska State Lab.





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