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DATE: January 9, 2021
 TO: CBJ Assembly
 FROM: Mila Cosgrove, Incident Commander
 RE: **Situational Update –Level 3 High-** Operational Period 28 (12/31/2020 – 1/28/2021)

Overall Community Risk	Disease Situation	Hospital Capacity	Public Health Capacity	The Complete CBJ COVID-19 Dashboard can be found here or by going to Juneau.org/COVID-19
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.	

Situation Assessment: Our 14 day case rate is at the Moderate alert level and our 7 day case rate has dropped to the minimal level. The disease is moving across all disease acquisition types: secondary infection, travel and community spread. Positive cases related to travel are leveling off, but we caution the public to strictly adhere to all health orders related to travel. If case counts continue to be low, the EOC will evaluate the community risk level on Monday, January 11th.

Issues of Note:

Overall our positive test numbers are lowering, public health capacity is increasing, and the reduction in overall statewide numbers has taken pressure off the statewide health system. Bartlett continues to do well. These are all positive signs and indicate that we should be moving toward decreasing the Community Risk Level. That said, if we are going to experience a spike in numbers that is related to holiday gatherings and travel, we should see them in this timeframe.

The delayed tests reached Fulgent lab and have largely been processed. We are seeing positive cases arise out of those tests but will wait for DPH to report out on Monday when they will also be able to report on any positive cases that have arisen through testing done through private providers.

Testing:

Asymptomatic testing is under way at the Fire Training Center. Total tested so far is 1138. 1030 tests have been processed, with 8 tests returning positive. The asymptomatic testing event will run through Jan. 10th. We've had a similar amount of positive tests come through the airport testing in the same timeframe.

Vaccines:

The EOC is planning for mass Point of Dispensing (POD) event for COVID vaccine scheduled for January 15 – 17 at Centennial Hall. The POD will be available to anyone in Phase 1a, Tiers 1-3 (Healthcare workers) as well as Phase 1b, Tier 1 (those who are 65+ years of age). The team is working on finalizing the registration system with the intent to have it go live on Monday, January 11th at noon.

Daily Numbers Report:

The EOC is not reporting any new cases today. DPH does not report over the weekend and the state dashboard is lagging Juneau numbers.

COVID-19 In Juneau				
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative
Resident	17	952	5	974
Non Resident	0	125	0	125
Total	17	1077	5	1099

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:

The State is reporting 378 new cases today statewide for a cumulative total of 49,958 cases.

Testing: Test results will be reported out on Monday, January 11th.

