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TO: CBJ Assembly

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RE: Situational Update –Level 2 Moderate- Operational Period 29 (1/28/2021 – 2/25/2021)

Overall Community Risk	Disease Situation	Hospital Capacity	Public Health Capacity	The Complete CBJ COVID-19
Level 2 - Moderate	Overall cases have dropped but community spread based cases continue to occur.	The hospital case load is stable.	Contact tracing is constrained due to difficulty in reaching close contacts.	Dashboard can be found here or by going to Juneau.org/ COVID-19

Situation Assessment: Our 14 day and 7 day case rate indicators have elevated back to the High Alert level. The disease continues to move across all disease acquisition types: community spread, secondary transmission, and travel. A more aggressive strain of COVID-19 has been identified in Alaska. We caution the public to strictly adhere to all health orders related to travel and to continue strict adherence to masking and social distancing when outside your immediate home.

Issues of Note:

There was one additional positive today with the Wildflower Court cluster putting total COVID positives at 10. One person has recovered. All individuals are asymptomatic and doing well. The individuals involved are a mix of unvaccinated, received the first dose but not the second, and received both doses. DPH is monitoring the situation to see how it progresses.

Another of the resident cases is an individual at Riverbend Elementary School. Contact tracing has been completed and individuals who may have been exposed have already been contacted. Twelve close contacts are quarantining and will test for COVID-19. Exposure occurred at Riverbend but was not related to inperson classroom instruction, so in-person classroom instruction is not impacted. For more school district information on COVID-19, go to juneauschools.org.

Planning for the second mass vaccine POD continues. Registration for POD2 begins Monday, February 1st at noon.

To date, approximately 19.1% of the community population age 16 and over has received the first dose of COVID vaccine. 5.3% have received their second dose.

Planning continues for the demobilization of the Airport screening and testing operation and the subsequent handoff to Capstone. The planned transition will occur on February 1st.

BRH is making progress on resolving software issues associated with the go live of the ROCHE testing machine. The go live date will be assessed next week, right now the new tentative date is mid February.

Daily Numbers Report:

We are reporting 5 new cases today.

COVID-19 In Juneau						
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative		
Resident	31	1,033	5	1,069		
Nonresident	3	134	0	137		
Total	34	1,167	5	1,206		

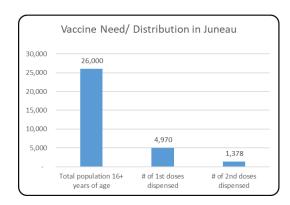
Note: CBJ EOC data may differ from the data reported on the State of Alaska dashboard.

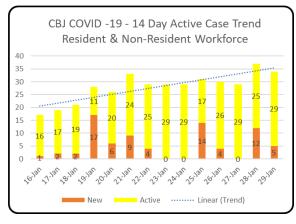
Disease Transmission/Contact Tracing:

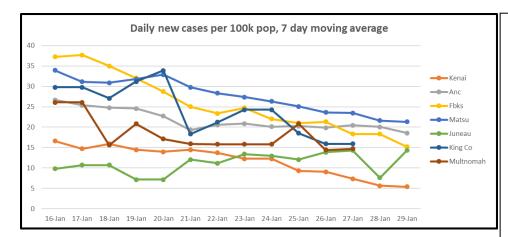
The EOC is reporting 4 new resident cases and 1 new nonresident case. 1 of the new cases is associated with the Wildflower Court cluster. Of the resident cases, 3 are secondary and 1 is travel related. The nonresident case is associated with the mining industry and is under investigation.

The State is reporting 184 new cases today bringing the statewide cumulative total to 54,062 cases.

<u>Testing</u>: 01/28/21: 33 test results were received from the Fulgent Lab with collection dates between 01/25/2021 - 01/26/2021 - 23 tests returned in 2 days, and 10 tests returned in 3 days.







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/keymetrics-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