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DATE: February 22, 2021  
 TO: CBJ Assembly  
 FROM: Mila Cosgrove, Incident Commander  
 RE: **Situational Update –Level 1 Minimal-** Operational Period 29 (1/28/2021 – 2/25/2021)

| Overall Community Risk   | Disease Situation   | Hospital Capacity                 | Public Health Capacity     |
|--------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Level 1 - Minimal</b> | Overall cases have dropped. Some community spread is present. | The hospital case load is stable. | Contact tracing is stable. |

The Complete CBJ COVID-19 Dashboard can be found [here](#) or by going to [Juneau.org/ COVID-19](http://Juneau.org/COVID-19)

**Situation Assessment:** Our 14 day case rate indicator is at the moderate alert level and our 7 day case rate indicator has climbed to the high alert level - primarily due to secondary transmission among large family groups. The community continues to see COVID transmit via community spread, secondary infection, and travel. The more aggressive strain of COVID-19 has been identified in Alaska. We caution the public to strictly adhere to all travel related rules and to continue strict adherence to masking and social distancing when outside your immediate home.

**Weekly Summary – 14 day lookback for positive tests collected February 8<sup>th</sup> –February 21<sup>st</sup>.**

Over the last rolling 14 day period, 39 people tested positive for COVID-19 in the community.

Highlights:

There were no cases associated with a cluster. There is heightened case activity passing through larger families.

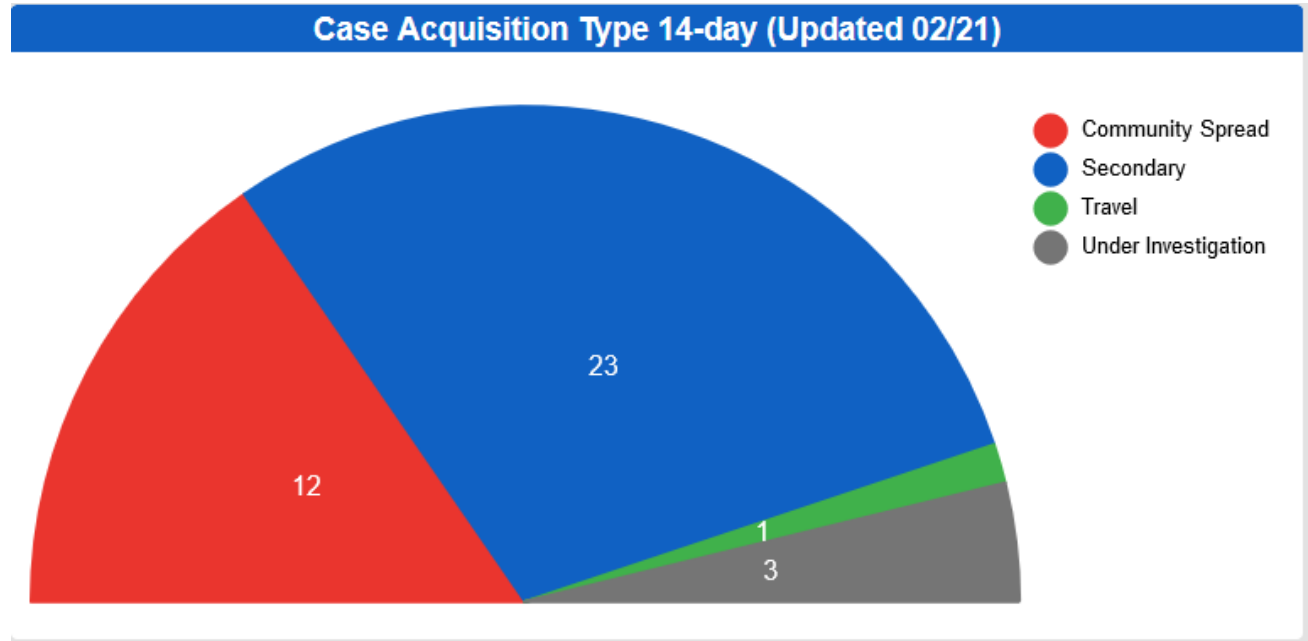
31% of the cases were designated as community spread, 59% of the cases were designated as Secondary Infection, 2.5% of the cases were associated with Travel, and the remaining 7.5% of the cases remain under investigation.

Contact tracing is improving with 100% of individuals being contacted within 24 hours of a positive test being returned.

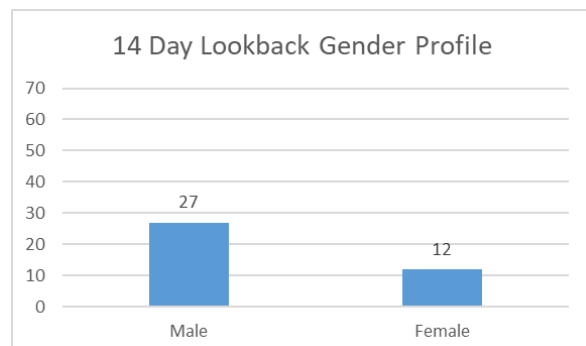
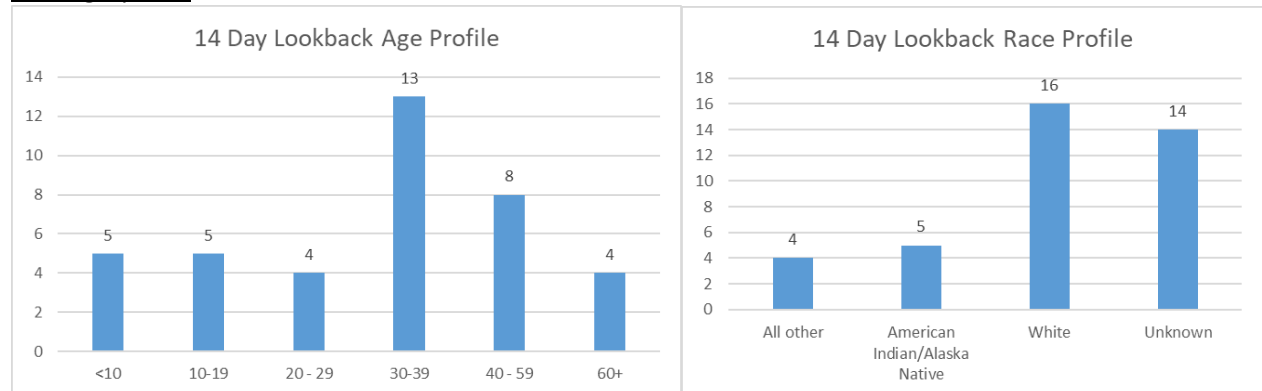
Disease spread is across all age groups, most racial groupings, and is slightly more prevalent in males than females (69%/31%).

Disease Acquisition:

Of the 39 positive cases during the last 14 day period, 12 were identified as community spread, 23 were identified as secondary transmission, 1 was identified as travel related, and 3 remain under investigation.



Demographics:



**Issues of Note:**

Vaccine updates: 28.3% of the Juneau population age 16 and above have been vaccinated with 18.4% of the population having received their 2<sup>nd</sup> dose. The State is reporting that 77.63% of the population in Juneau age 65+ have received at least the first dose of vaccine.

POD 2b will happen on March 4 and 5. This is the second dose clinic for those individuals who received their first dose on February 11 and 12.

POD 3a will be on Friday March 12, noon to 7pm and Saturday March 13, 9am to 4pm. Appointments will open on Thursday, February 25, at noon. Clinic registration will be open for anyone 65 years of age or older on Wednesday from 8:00am to 5:00pm through the call center only. The Clinic is open to anyone who is 65+ years of age as well as health care workers, those 50+ with a chronic health condition, those 50+ and an essential frontline worker, those living and working in congregate settings. Detailed information about vaccine eligibility can be found [here](#).

We anticipate the March community vaccine allocation should be between 3500 – 4000 doses.

**Daily Numbers Report:**

We are reporting 12 new cases today.

| COVID-19 In Juneau |           |              |          |              |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------|----------|--------------|
|                    | Active    | Recovered    | Deceased | Cumulative   |
| Resident           | 27        | 1,105        | 5        | 1,137        |
| Nonresident        | 1         | 140          | 0        | 141          |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>28</b> | <b>1,245</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>1,278</b> |

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

Disease Transmission/Contact Tracing:

We are reporting 11 new resident cases and 1 new nonresident case today. Of the 11 resident cases, 3 are community spread and 8 are secondary infection. The nonresident case is associated with an industry other than mining/seafood. That case is under investigation.

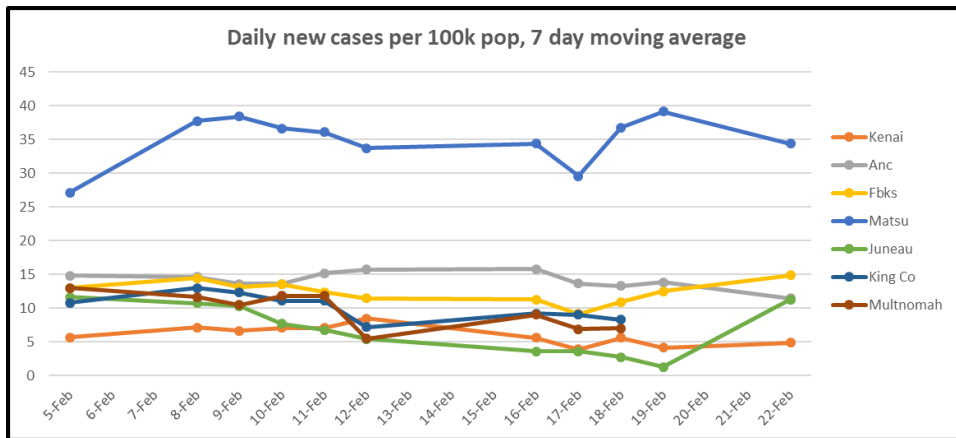
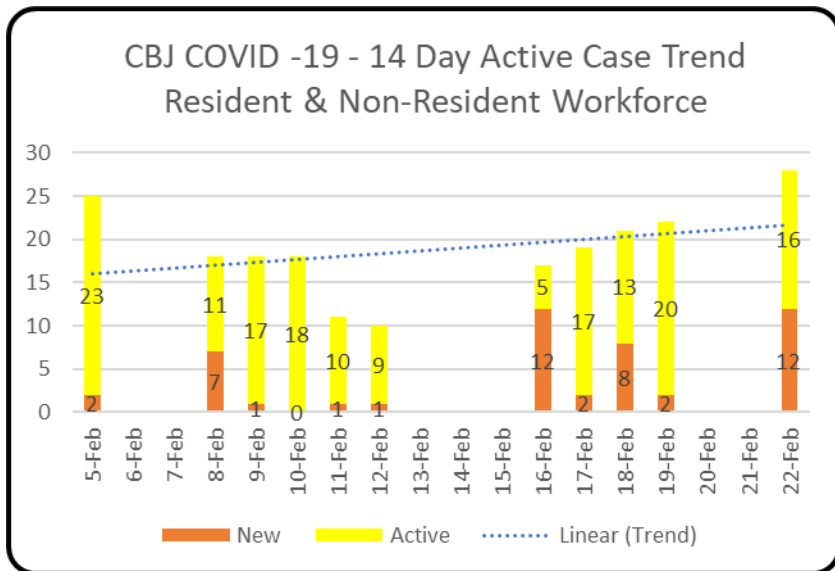
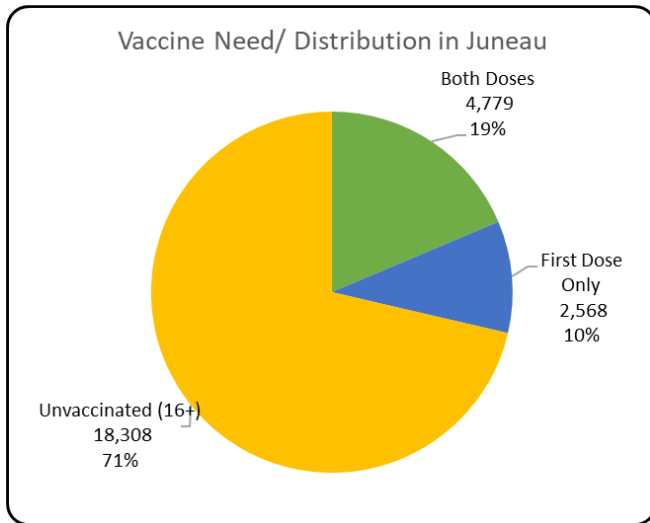
The State is reporting 64 new cases today bringing the statewide cumulative total to 57,753 cases. Including the 64 cases today, the total number of cases increased by 348 positives since Friday.

Testing: Please note: We are in the process of determining how to report out airport testing with the conversion of operations to Capstone.

2/19/21: – 19 test results were received from the Fulgent Lab with collection dates between 02/16/2021 – 02/17/2021 – 18 tests returned in 2 days and 1 test returned in 3 days.

2/20/21: 49 test results were received from the Fulgent Lab with collection dates between 02/18/2021 – 02/19/2021 – 7 tests returned in 1 day and 42 tests returned in 2 days.

2/21/21: 14 test results were received from the Fulgent Lab with a collection date of 02/19/2021 – all tests returned in 2 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/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