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TO: CBJ Assembly

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RE: Situational Update –Level 1 Minimal- Operational Period 31 (03/25/21 – 04/22/21)

Overall Community Risk	Disease Situation	Hospital Capacity	Public Health Capacity	The Complete CBJ
Level 1 - Minimal	Overall cases have dropped. Some community spread is present. Vaccine is available.	The hospital case load is stable.	Contact tracing is stable.	COVID-19 Dashboard can be found <u>here</u> or by going to Juneau.org/ COVID-19

**Situation Assessment:** Our 14 day and 7 day case rates are at the moderate alert level. The community continues to see COVID transmit via community spread, secondary infection, and travel. COVID vaccine distribution is on the rise which offers the community some level of protection. The more aggressive variants of COVID-19 have been identified in Alaska. Case rates are climbing statewide. We continue to 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 March 22<sup>nd</sup> -April 4<sup>th</sup>.

Over the last rolling 14 day period, 22 people tested positive for COVID-19 in the community.

### **Highlights:**

None of the cases were associated with a cluster

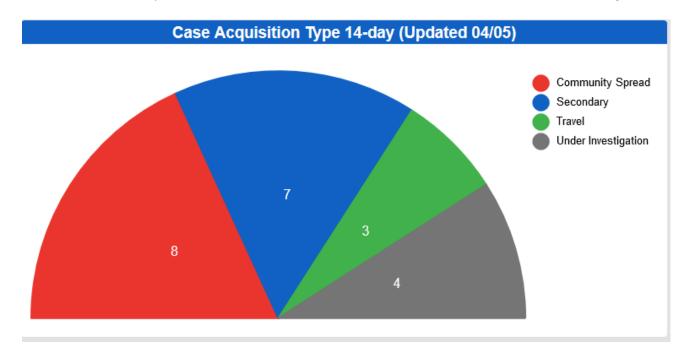
36% of the cases were designated as community spread, 32% of the cases were designated as Secondary Infection, 14% of the cases were associated with Travel, and the remaining 18% of the cases remain under investigation.

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

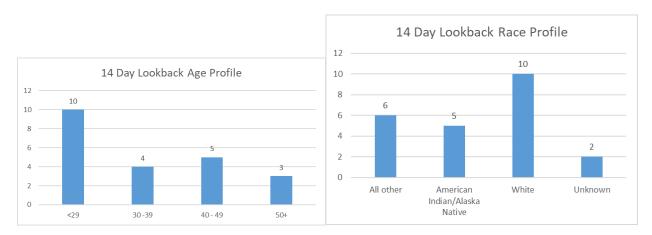
Disease spread is across all age groups, most racial groupings, and is more prevalent in males than females (60%/40%).

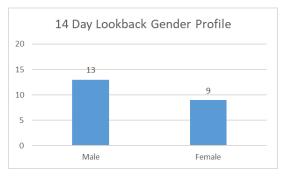
# **Disease Acquisition:**

Of the 22 positive cases during the last 14 day period, 8 were identified as community spread, 7 were identified as secondary transmission, 3 were identified as travel related, and 4 remain under investigation.



# Demographics:





### **Issues of Note:**

Cases are increasing statewide. Residents are cautioned to test upon return to the community even from intrastate travel.

The CDC has offered new guidance on traveling after an individual is fully vaccinated. The EOC is reviewing the guidance and will incorporate any suggested changes into the risk mitigation strategy discussion at the April 12, 2020 Committee of the Whole meeting.

The Juneau Emergency Medical Association is sponsoring monetary prizes for the upcoming PODs at Centennial Hall. There will be two cash awards given on each day, one for \$500 and one for \$250. JEMA is also sponsoring a monetary incentive of the same size for everyone who participates in the upcoming vaccine clinics at Fred Meyers and Ron's Apothecary Shoppe.

### **POD Information:**

A new POD (8) has been scheduled for Saturday, April 17<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm at Centennial Hall. Anyone age 16 and up is eligible to participate. The second dose clinic (8b) will be held on May 8<sup>th</sup>. Registration is currently open, there are currently 500 appointments available.

POD 4b concluded over the weekend. It was a second dose clinic.

POD 5b begins today and runs through Saturday, April 10. This is a second dose clinic.

POD 6A begins today and runs through Thursday, April 8. Clinic hours are from 10:00 - 2:00. Registration for this clinic is open. Approximately 500 slots remain open. POD 6B (Second dose clinic) is scheduled for April 26 - 29.

POD 7A: Will be held on April 9. This is a closed POD for age eligible High School students. POD 7A (Second dose clinic) will be held on April 30. Registration for these clinics will conducted through the School District. Details will be forthcoming next week through the School District.

Planning for smaller, more targeted PODs is underway.

**Daily Numbers Report:** We are reportin 8 new cases today (Fri 1:00 pm to Monday 1:00 pm).

COVID-19 In Juneau						
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative		
Resident	17	1,186	5	1208		
Nonresident	1	146	0	147		
Total	18	1,332	5	1,355		

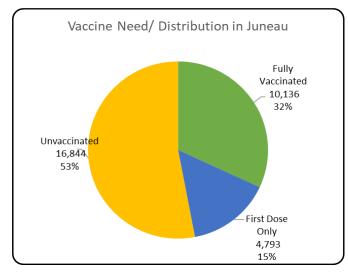
Note: CBJ EOC data may differ from the data reported on the State of Alaska dashboard.

### Disease Transmission/Contact Tracing:

We are reporting 8 new resident cases and no new nonresident cases. 4 cases are community spread, 2 are secondary infection, and 2 remain under investigation.

That State is reporting 122 new cases today brining the statewide total to 64,001 cases. This is a total of 500 new cases since the last EOC report.

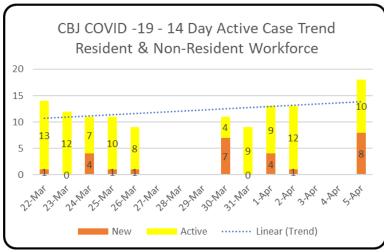
Testing: 173 tests were processed at BRH last week (3/29 – 4/4). All tests processed within 24 hours.

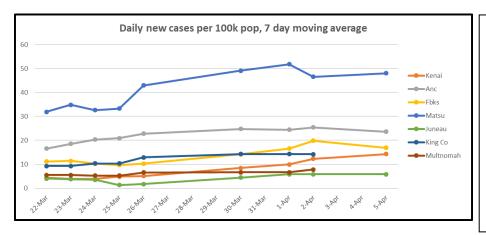


47.0% of the of the total population of Juneau has received at least 1 dose of vaccine and 31.9% are fully vaccinated.

58.2% of the Juneau population age 16 and above have received at least 1 dose of vaccine and 39.5% of the age eligible population is fully vaccinated.

The State is reporting that 79.42% of the population in Juneau age 65+ is fully vaccinated.





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