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Dear Mr. Crum and Members of the Juneau Airport Board,

Juneau Urgent and Family Care is the only urgent care in the City and Borough of Juneau. We are located less than 1 mile away from the Juneau International Airport. We have been providing services to Southeast Alaska seven days a week, 350 days a year for the last 20 years. We are interested in providing COVID-19 testing to travelers at the Juneau International Airport to assist with implementing the new State of Alaska guidelines. Here are some highlights of our operations.

1. **To this day we have performed over 2800 COVID-19 tests.** With the capacity to bill under the CARE Act for uninsured AK residents and insurance for non-residents, *this will result in defraying some of the cost to the state and the city.*

2. We currently have relationships with 3 laboratories in the state of Washington with **turn around times of less than 48-72 hrs.** We have been able to adjust with the fluctuations in lab capacity to ensure reasonable turnaround times for results.

3. If so required by the contract we could create a **24 hour** medically supervised self test hour covid testing kiosk. This service can also be offered to incoming AK visitors/essential workers.

4. We are the only clinic in Juneau that has been visiting essential workers in their hotels for COVID-19 testing and full medical evaluations on-site should the need arise.

5. Our telemedicine capabilities include home visits with an assistant who is the virtual eyes and ears of the medical provider. These types of visits for COVID-19 positive patients will result in allowing most of them to remain in quarantine and not have to leave the premises to visit a medical office. These home visits will result in less exposure and spread of COVID-19 to the community at large.

We feel we are positioned to consistently provide the level of service the DHHS would expect for Alaskans and visitors alike. Providing medical services in Southeast Alaska has many innate peculiarities. Our clinic has experienced all of them, and we have learned over the years the best ways to overcome them. We look forward to continuing this conversation and aiding Alaska open our economy and returning to our new normal.

Sincerely,

Norvin Perez, MD