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TO: CBJ Assembly

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RE: Situational Update –Level 1 Minimal- Operational Period 30 (2/25/2021 – 3/25/21)

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

Situation Assessment: Our 14 day and 7 day case rate indicators are at the moderate alert level - primarily due to secondary transmission. 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 15th –February 28th.

Over the last rolling 14 day period, 38 people tested positive for COVID-19 in the community.

Highlights:

24% of the cases were associated with a cluster at a small business. There is heightened case activity passing through larger families.

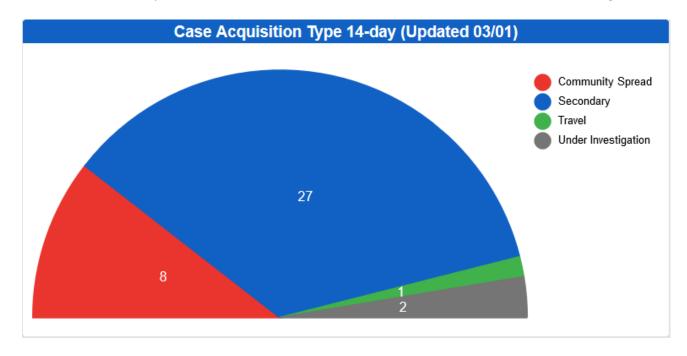
21% of the cases were designated as Community spread, 71% of the cases were designated as Secondary Infection, 2.5% of the cases were associated with Travel, and the remaining 5.5% of the cases remain under investigation.

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

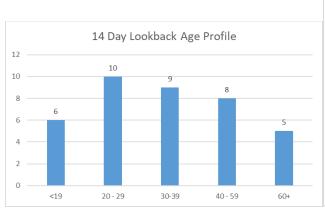
Disease spread is across all age groups, most racial groupings, and is slightly more prevalent in males than females (69%/31%).

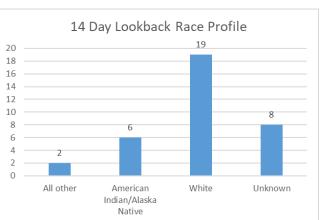
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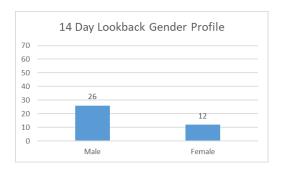
Of the 38 positive cases during the last 14 day period, 8 were identified as community spread, 27 were identified as secondary transmission, 1 was identified as travel related, and 2 remain under investigation.



Demographics:







Issues of Note:

30.2% of the Juneau population age 16 and above have been vaccinated with 20.6% of the population having received their 2^{nd} dose. The State is reporting that 78.7% of the population in Juneau age 65+ have received at least the first dose of vaccine.

Registration for POD 3a (Friday March 12, noon to 7pm and Saturday March 13, 9am to 4pm) is open. 746 appointment remain. Registration will remain open until slots are filled. POD 3b (second dose clinic) will be April 2 and 3.

Four of the new cases today are associated with a cluster at a small Juneau business. The cluster is currently at nine individuals, including two recovered. Public Health is in the process of notifying all close contacts.

Additionally, please note: The resident count includes Juneau residents in Juneau, Juneau residents outside of Juneau, and Alaska residents currently located in Juneau, like individuals association with the Alaska Legislature. This differs from how the Alaska Department of Health and Social Services counts cases. DHSS bases the location of the case on the resident's permanent address. When CBJ's resident count includes Juneau residents outside of Juneau, it is noted within the case count update. The nonresident count is made up entirely of non-Alaska residents who are in Juneau.

Daily Numbers Report:

We are reporting 7 new cases today.

COVID-19 In Juneau						
	Active	Recovered	Deceased	Cumulative		
Resident	14	1,133	5	1,152		
Nonresident	1	141	0	142		
Total	15	1,274	5	1,294		

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

Disease Transmission/Contact Tracing:

We are reporting 7 new resident cases and no new nonresident cases today. 5 cases are secondary transmission, 1 community spread, and 1 is under investigation.

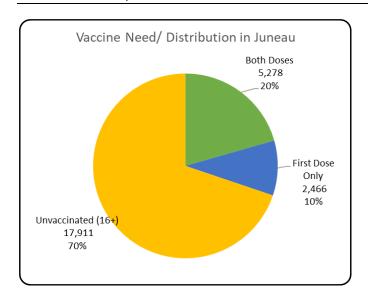
The State is reporting 73 new cases today bringing the statewide cumulative total to 58,681 cases. There have been a total of 388 cases, including the 73 reported today, since our last update on Friday.

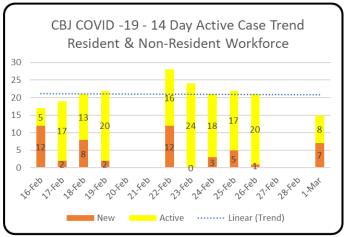
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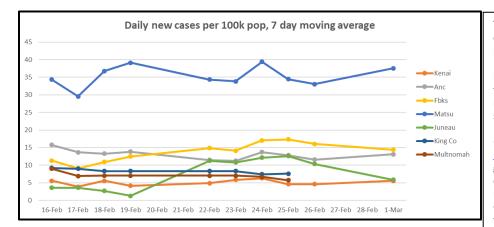
2/26/21: 25 test results were received from the Fulgent Lab with collection dates between 02/23/2021 - 02/24/2021 - 24 tests returned in 2 days and 1 test returned in 3 days.

2/27/21: 19 test results were received from the Fulgent Lab with a collection date of 02/25/2021 – all tests returned in 2 days.

2/28/21: 19 test results were received from the Fulgent Lab with a collection date of 02/26/2021 – 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/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