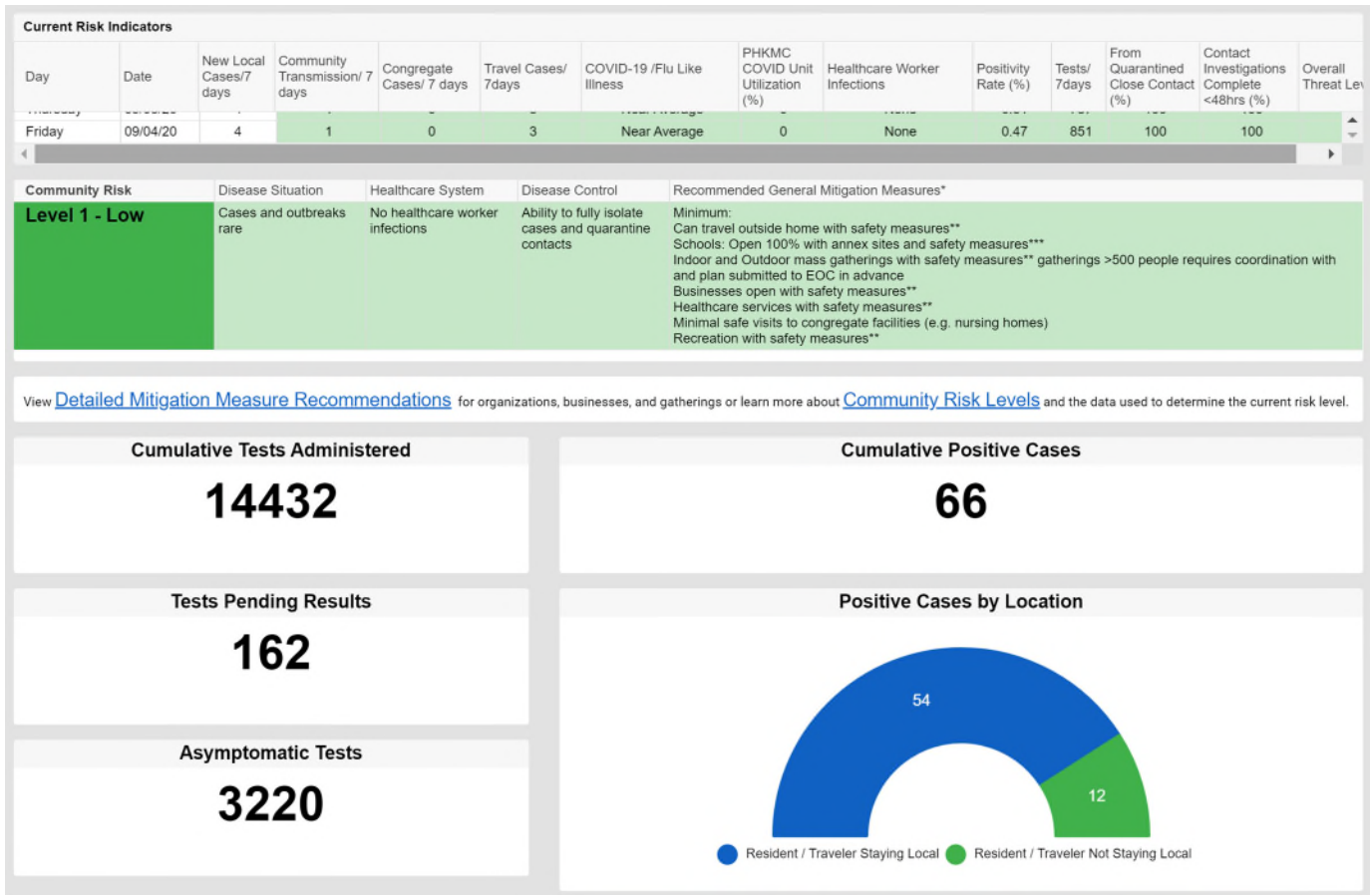


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SEOC Preparedness Level Level 3 – for COVID-19 Response	Maritime Security (MARSEC) Level 1 - Minimum Appropriate Security Measures	National Terrorism Advisory System Latest NTAS Bulletin
Ketchikan EOC Activation Level Steady State Operation – Fully Staffed Ketchikan COVID-19 Response EOC Direct: 907-228-2366	Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19): CDC Updates CDC Situation Report WHO Updates WHO Situation Report	Alaska Military Installation Force Protection Level: FPCON Bravo

(Significant changes from previous situation reports are in red)



COVID-19 Alaska Specific Information: [Alaska COVID-19 Dashboard](#)

COVID-19 Unified Command Objectives:

- Safeguard health & safety of personnel and the public
- Prevent, Contain, and Stop the spread of COVID-19
- Expand local COVID-19 testing capacity
- Support care for the sick
- Provide public information
- Develop both Open and Closed Point of Dispensing (POD) Plans
- Determine future funding sources or constraints as emergency declarations and Federal funding options sunset.

COVID-19 Ketchikan EOC Actions:

- **New IAP approved for the Operational Period beginning today.**
- Community Risk Indicators - Risk Levels – Mitigation Measures information is now included on the dashboard located at <https://kgbak.us/covid19> and included in daily test and case count updates.
- A new saliva based test has been approved by the FDA – Staff continues to research feasibility of use in KTN
- Working with Public Health to hold open Point of Dispensing (POD) for regular Flu vaccine planned for October 17.
- **The Operations Section has a new Chief- Morgan Barry.**

Operations

- The testing hotline number 907-247-TEST (8378) is available M-F 8am – 6pm, Sat 10am – 4pm, and closed on Sunday to screen and refer symptomatic individuals for testing. **Calls received: 1,605 (+79) Testing referrals: 348 (+38)**
- Continued wastewater testing and hand sanitizer distribution programs. **The wastewater testing operation has been terminated due to the length of time between the collection of samples and the return of test results.**
- **15,351** travelers have been screened resulting in **20** positive cases being identified since the start of the traveler testing op.
- Drive up hours have been expanded to 9:30 to 11:30 am and 2:30 to 4:30 pm Tuesday through Saturday weekly at Berth 3.
 - **Samples collected; 103 drive-up and 0 AMHS.** Travel voucher testing is also available at the drive-up site.
- Relocated traveler testing site to the airport and revised drive-up testing hours to accommodate voucher testing.
- Finalizing design of a more weather resistant facility for drive-up testing during the winter months.
- Working toward Traveler Testing Portal for testing documentation, and making other refinements to testing operations.
- Completed and distributed inventory of health care resources available locally.

Logistics

- 11 testing machines on Island: Peace Health 4 Abbot ID Now, 1 QIAGEN & 1 Cepheid, KIC 2 Abbot ID Now & 1 Luminex ; Power of Wellness 1 Abbot ID Now, Creekside 1 BioFire, 2 outside testing companies.
- **Received 16 Boxes of Abbot ID now supplies.**
- **Reported that the State EOC is running low on testing supplies for required long term care facility testing.**
- Testing supplies:

Test kits	Complete ¹	Reagent	Tubes	Swabs	Cepheid ²
In stock	3,350 (+375)	705	2,248	0	1560
On order	0	1,020	0	1335	

¹This is the total number of test kits available both as complete kits, and as a combination of components.

²These kits can only be used in the Cepheid testing machine and are not included in the Complete kit count.

Finance

- Developed and **finalized** MOU between KIC clinic and COK for operation of the Luminex testing equipment.
- **Evaluating the possibility of reimbursement for flu vaccines.**
- **Reported that end to current Health Emergency extensions last 30 days and the current one will expire on October 25.**

PIO

- Social media posts on Borough and City Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter: **Alaska 211; Testing information; FAQ series; Mandate 10 information; Mask Drive for Ketchikan students; Celebrate Labor Day Alaska Style.**
- Drafted Weekend Display ad in KDN: **What to do if you think you have been exposed to Covid -19.**
- **Developed poster for Covid-19 Travler Declaration with QR Code and delivered to airport.**
- **Press releases for two new cases**
- **Continued four radio PSAs: Mayor Sivertsen Thank You; CloseContact; OpennotOver; and Drive Up Testing**
- **Prepared Labor Day Weekend messaging Celebrate Alaska Style with social distancing and safe practices; Stay safe and healthy.**

Liaison

- Developed boilerplate plan template to assist event organizers in writing a Covid-19 safety plan.
- Reviewed changes to Health Mandate 10 as it relates to surveillance testing of seafood processing workers.
- **Reviewed plans for Totem to Totem event and K-Hi Peace event.**
- **Reported that Raining Man event required Covid-19 plan as part of their AMCO license.**