



Situation Report • October 16, 2020

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)

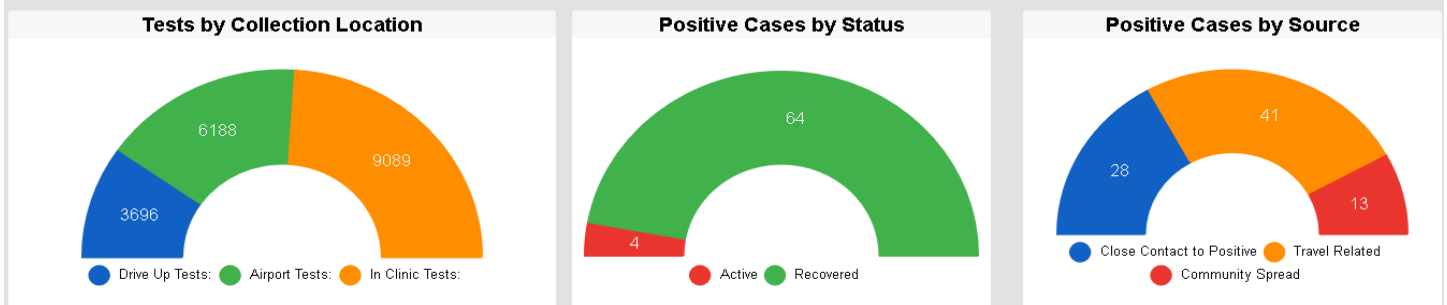
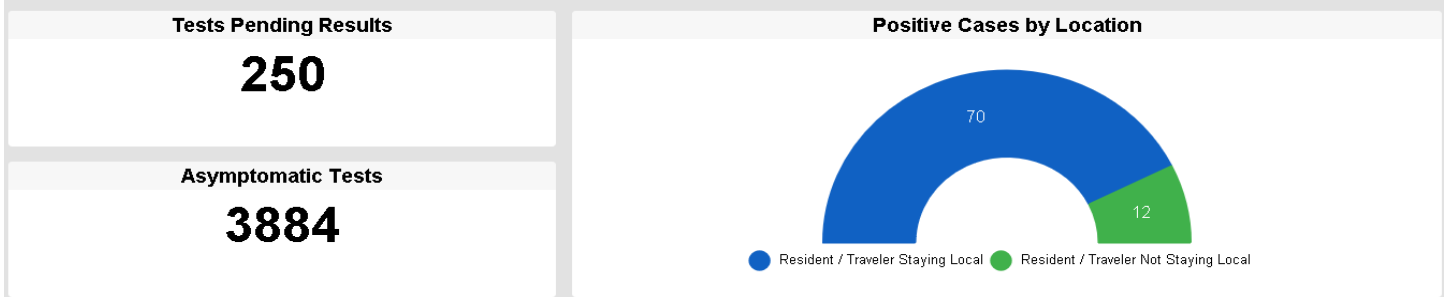
COVID-19 Alaska Specific Information: [Alaska COVID-19 Dashboard](#)

COVID-19 Unified Command Objectives:

- Safeguard health & safety of personnel and the public
- Prevent, Contain, and Stop the spread of COVID-19
- Provide public information
- Determine future funding sources or constraints as

Community Risk	Disease Situation	Healthcare System	Disease Control	Recommended General Mitigation Measures*
Level 2 - Moderate	Low burden Decreasing spread Outbreaks rare	Full capacity to safely care for cases Rare healthcare worker infections	More ability to isolate cases and quarantine contacts	Moderate: Can travel outside home with safety measures Schools: Open 100% with annex sites and safety measures*** Indoor mid-size gatherings <50 with safety measures** Outdoor mid-size gatherings <100 with safety measures** Businesses limited openings with safety measures** Healthcare services with safety measures (e.g. elective procedures)** No non-essential visits to congregate facilities (e.g. nursing homes) Recreation with safety measures**

Cumulative Tests Administered	Current Active Cases	New Positives (Today)	New Positives (Past 7-Days)	Positivity Rate (Past 7-Days)
18973	6	1	4	0.48



- Support care for the sick

emergency declarations and Federal funding options sunset.

- Develop both Open and Closed Point of Dispensing (POD) Plans

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.
- Public Health to hold open Point of Dispensing for regular flu vaccine on October 17 at K-Hi. 400 doses available.
- A plan is being developed for the distribution of a Covid-19 vaccine which is anticipated in late October at the earliest.
- Continuing planning for Halloween festivity safety.
- Volunteer survey for POD volunteers has been completed.
- **Increased risk level from Low to Moderate due to number of positive cases.**
- **Health mandate 10 has been modified again regarding testing for the traveling public.**

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: 1,837 (+69)** Testing referrals: 464
- Continued hand sanitizer and cloth mask distribution programs.
- **19,129** travelers have been screened resulting in **23** 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; 265 drive-up, and 25 AMHS.** Travel voucher testing is also available at the drive-up site.
- **Reviewed plans for the Free Flu Clinic this weekend.**
- **Demobilized command trailer and generator from airport testing site, and delivered chairs for indoor office space**

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.
- Continues to deliver masks to various agencies and testing supplies to Power of Wellness and long term care.
- Relocating warehouse operation from City of Saxman to former Borough fire station, resulting in cost savings.
- **Ordering larger volumes of testing supplies due to increased demand.**
- Testing supplies:

Test kits	Complete ¹	Reagent	Tubes	Swabs	Cepheid ²
In stock	5,075 (+1083)	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

- **Finance section continues to work with DHSS on amendment to MOU.**
- **Attended a FEMA webinar on recent policy updates to COVID-19 Public Assistance program, especially as regards PPE, testing and disinfection and eligibility for reimbursement.**
- **Invitation for Bid for COVID-19 Testing closed. Four bids received; responsiveness not yet determined.**

PIO

- **Media releases for new cases.**
- Social media posts on Borough and City Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter: **Berth 3 Drive-Up Testing hours and information; Flu Shots, Flu Clinic Volunteers needed, Free Flu Clinic, CARES Business Grants, and Micro**
- Saturday Display ad in KDN: **Changes to Health Mandate 10**
- **Produced Flu Clinic posters/flyers, directional signs for 10/17 Flu Clinic**
- **Wrote an executive summary of the October 14 White House briefing.**

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.

