



## Kodiak Area Emergency Services Organization



### **KODIAK, ALASKA, FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: December 3, 2020**

The Kodiak Emergency Operations Center has been notified of new positive COVID-19 test results within the Kodiak Island Borough.

**Thirty-six (36) new cases have been reported for the Kodiak Island Borough.**

- **Four (4) new cases not previously reported were tested on 11/30/20**
  - **Three (3) cases are close contacts of previously reported cases**
  - **One (1) case is an individual whose transmission is unknown**
  
- **Nine (9) new cases not previously reported were tested on 12/1/20**
  - **Eight (8) cases are close contacts of previously reported cases**
  - **One (1) case is an individual whose transmission is unknown**
  
- **Twenty-three (23) cases were individuals tested on 12/2/20**
  - **Eleven (11) cases are close contacts of previously reported cases**
  - **Five (5) cases are considered community transmission**
  - **Seven (7) cases are individuals whose transmission is unknown**

This brings the case count associated with the Kodiak Island Borough to four hundred and eleven (411); one hundred and fifty-seven (157) cases are classified as active locally. Fourteen individuals have completed their isolation period and been removed from the active list.

**The total number of local COVID-19 hospitalizations to date is twelve (12); two (2) patients are currently hospitalized locally. One individual required a higher level of care and was transported off-island.**

**DHSS is urging anyone who receives a positive test result to notify their own close contacts as soon as possible so individuals can quarantine without delay.**

**The COVID-19 virus is spreading quickly in our community, please take appropriate precautions to keep yourself and our community healthy.**

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