



**KODIAK, ALASKA, FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: April 12, 2021**

The Kodiak Emergency Operations Center has received new COVID-19 case information for the Kodiak Island Borough.

**Four (4) new cases have been reported for the Kodiak Island Borough.**

- **One (1) case was tested on 4/7/21**
  - **This case is travel related**
- **Two (2) cases were tested on 4/8/21**
  - **These two cases are close contacts of previously reported cases**
- **One (1) case was tested on 4/9/21**
  - **This case is classified as community spread**

This brings the current case count associated with the Kodiak Island Borough to one thousand, one hundred and one (1101); nine (9) cases are classified as active locally.

To date, there have been a total number of forty-five (45) local hospitalizations and five (5) deaths associated with COVID-19; there is one case currently hospitalized in Kodiak.

**The COVID-19 virus is highly contagious and is still present in our community; please continue to take appropriate precautions to keep yourself and our community healthy.**

- **Wear a mask when in public; masks are strongly recommended.**
- **Stay home and away from others if you are not feeling well!**
- **When planning travel, plan for a few days off at home and testing before returning to normal activities in case you have carried the virus with you.**
- **Limit social gatherings and maintain six feet of distance between yourself and others who are not in your household.**

**Keep Kodiak safe! Together, we can avoid another COVID-19 surge.**

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