



## Kodiak Area Emergency Services Organization



### **KODIAK, ALASKA, FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: April 13, 2021**

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

**Five (5) new cases have been reported for the Kodiak Island Borough.**

- **Two (2) cases were tested on 4/6/21**
  - **Both cases are non-residents who are close contacts of a previously reported case**
- **Three (3) cases were tested on 4/9/21**
  - **Two (2) cases are close contacts of a previously reported case**
  - **One (1) case is considered community transmission**

This brings the current case count associated with the Kodiak Island Borough to one thousand, one hundred and six (1106); twelve (12) 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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