

## CITY AND BOROUGH OF WRANGELL

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## **COVID UPDATE**

The Wrangell Emergency Operations Center (EOC) was notified today, August 6, 2021, of four (4) new positive COVID cases. The information on these cases is stated below:

- Three of the four identified individuals are Wrangell Residents, are asymptomatic, are close contacts of a previously identified case. The individuals are in isolation. No additional information is known at this time.
- One of the four individuals is a Wrangell Resident who had recently traveled, is asymptomatic, and is in isolation. No additional information is known at this time.

## The current number of active cases in Wrangell is five (5).

Continue practicing basic mitigation measures to prevent the spread of COVID-19:

- Isolate yourself if you feel any cold-like symptoms and get tested for COVID-19 as soon as possible.
- If you are unvaccinated:
  - o Avoid crowded places and gatherings; keep social circles small.
  - Stay at least 6 feet away from people outside of your household.
  - Have a mask on when you are around people outside of your household even if you can maintain a 6-foot distance from others.
- Wash your hands often and disinfect commonly touched surfaces and objects.

Let us work together to keep Wrangell safe as we continue to transition out of the Pandemic.

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WRANGELL COVID-19 CASE INFORMATION AT A GLANCE					
Total Cases	Local	Non-Local	Resident Not in Town or Unknown	Active	Recovered
78	63	8	7	5	73