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NEWS RELEASE – COVID UPDATE

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COVID UPDATE

The Wrangell Emergency Operations Center (EOC) was notified today, August 19, 2021, of four (4) new positive COVID cases. The information on these cases is stated below:

- One individual is a Wrangell Resident, is asymptomatic, and is a close contact to a recently identified case. This individual is in isolation. No additional information is known at this time.
- One individual is a Wrangell Resident, is mildly symptomatic, and is a close contact to a recently identified case. This individual is in isolation. No additional information is known at this time.
- Two individuals are Wrangell Residents, are symptomatic, and had recently returned from Traveling out of state. The individuals are in isolation. No additional information is known at this time.

The current number of active cases in Wrangell is nineteen (19).

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:
 - 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.
 - Take advantage of free, asymptomatic testing and test regularly.
- Wash your hands often and disinfect commonly touched surfaces and objects.
- If you are vaccinated:
 - Consider wearing a mask in indoors when outside your home.
 - Take advantage of free, asymptomatic testing and test regularly.

Stay safe and well Wrangell.

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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
99	81	11	7	19	80