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NEWS RELEASE

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Coronavirus COVID-19

LOCAL RISK FACTOR: **Medium**

CITY OF UNALASKA COVID-19 CASE COUNT: There are 0 confirmed cases in Unalaska.

Patients tested in Unalaska	75
Confirmed Negative Tests	75
Confirmed Positive Tests	0

STATE OF ALASKA COVID-19 CASE COUNT: There are 388 confirmed cases in the state, with 343 people recovered.

LOCAL MANDATE: The Unalaska City Council adopted a COVID-19 protective order, effective May 13 to May 27, which includes mandatory 14-day quarantine for anyone arriving Unalaska. Travelers must go directly to their quarantine location and stay there, leaving only for medical care; monitor for symptoms; not visit any public places; and not allow visitors.

There are two exceptions to the quarantine requirement: (1) Patients or travelers coming through town whose final destination is not Unalaska must self-quarantine during their layover in Unalaska; and (2) People working in a critical infrastructure business. These businesses must submit protective plans to the State and City; their employee's must follow the protective plan; and quarantine during non-work hours, not visiting stores or restaurants.

Everyone in town must wear a covering over their nose and mouth when visiting businesses; and are encouraged to:

- Limit the number of contacts with people outside your household.
- Continue staying at least 6 feet from non-household members.
- Practice good hygiene: Avoid touching your face, wash your hands frequently, and regularly sanitize frequently-touched surfaces.
- If you're feeling even mildly ill with new symptoms like fatigue, cough, fever or a decreased sense of taste or smell, contact the IFHS clinic for COVID-19 screening, 581-1202. Testing is available in the Drive-Thru Testing Center if appropriate. Increased testing will help keep the lid on COVID-19 by making sure any cases are detected quickly.
- If you're an older adult or someone with an underlying medical condition, please continue to stay home as much as possible.

Next Scheduled Update is Monday, May 18, 2020

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