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**Three new cases of COVID-19 reported in three Alaska communities; one new nonresident case**

June 15, 2020 ANCHORAGE — The Alaska Department of Health and Social Services (DHSS) today announced three new cases of COVID-19 in residents of three communities: Anchorage (1), Soldotna (1) and Wasilla (1). This brings the total number of Alaska cases to 664.

One new nonresident case was also identified yesterday in a seafood industry worker in the Aleutians East Census Area. This brings the total number of [nonresident cases](#) to 76.

Of the new Alaska cases, one is male and two are female. One is aged 30-39; one is aged 40-49 and one is aged 70-79. There have been a total of 53 hospitalizations and 12 deaths with one new hospitalization and no new deaths reported yesterday. Recovered cases now total 417, with six new recovered cases recorded yesterday. A total of 74,437 tests have been conducted. The average percentage of daily positive tests for the previous three days is 0.62%.

This report reflects data from 12:00 a.m. until 11:59 p.m. on June 14 that posted at noon today on the [Alaska Coronavirus Response Hub](#). Please note that upon further investigation and interviews, data points for cases – such as the date and residence – may on occasion change on the data dashboard after they are announced.

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**Questions about COVID-19?**

- For general questions and assistance, please call 2-1-1.
- For the general public, questions regarding DHSS COVID response, including mandates and alerts, can be sent to [covidquestions@alaska.gov](mailto:covidquestions@alaska.gov).
- For data questions, contact [data.coronavirus@alaska.gov](mailto:data.coronavirus@alaska.gov).
- For DHSS media inquiries, please contact [clinton.bennett@alaska.gov](mailto:clinton.bennett@alaska.gov).

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