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One new case of COVID-19 reported in Kenai

May 9, 2020 ANCHORAGE — The Alaska Department of Health and Social Services (DHSS) today announced one new case COVID-19 in Alaska, in the community of Kenai. This brings the total case count to 378.

This case reflects data from 12:00 a.m. until 11:59 p.m. on May 8 that posted at noon today on the [Alaska Coronavirus Response Hub](#).

The new case is a female aged 40-49. There have been a total of 38 hospitalizations and 10 deaths with no new hospitalizations or deaths reported yesterday. Recovered cases now total 318, including 13 new recovered cases recorded yesterday. A total of 26,449 tests have been conducted.

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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.
- For data questions, contact data.coronavirus@alaska.gov.
- For DHSS media inquiries, please contact clinton.bennett@alaska.gov.

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