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THREE ADDITIONAL POSITIVE COVID-19 CASES

Skagway, Alaska, July 31, 2021 – Three additional positive COVID-19 cases have been identified in Skagway. Two tested positive at DMC today and the third tested positive outside town but had recently been in Skagway. This brings the total to 6 active cases. **The new cases are close contacts of a recent positive.** DMC and Public Health are contact tracing the new cases but there appears to be minimal community spread at this time.

Individuals should contact the Clinic at 907-983-2255 during regular business hours or the on-duty provider after hours at 907-983-2025 if they develop shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, or chest pressure or tightness.

All community members, including those who are vaccinated, are reminded to wash your hands, social distance, wear a mask in public settings where other social distancing measures are difficult to maintain, and get tested if you are sick.