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Anchorage Office of Emergency Management

Alert Details

Severity:

Severe - Significant threat to life or property

Urgency:

Immediate - Responsive action SHOULD be taken immediately

Certainty:

Observed - Determined to have occurred or to be ongoing

Category:

Medical and public health

Event Description:

Virus or Contagious Disease Outbreak

Alert: High-risk COVID-19 situations occurring in bars, restaurants and other locations in Anchorage

Dear Don Bush,

From June 20 to June 29, 2020, numerous COVID-19-positive individuals entered local businesses during their infectious period.

In these cases, face coverings were not worn, and physical distancing was not always adhered to. Each of these businesses have received notice of exposure and have been asked to communicate with staff and patrons. Cases include:

- 15 cases associated with 13 locations including bars, a strip club, and restaurants
- 7 cases associated with employees of a hotel
- 5 cases associated with employees of a tourism and travel company

EVERYONE must take action to stop the spread of COVID-19 and save lives:

- Keep at least six feet away from people outside your household.
- Wear a face covering over your nose and mouth in indoor settings outside your home and in outdoor settings where you cannot stay six feet from other people at all times.
- Avoid crowds and gatherings.
- Wash hands often for 20 seconds. Avoid touching your face with unwashed hands.

People with certain health conditions are at greater risk for serious illness from COVID-19 and should stay at home as much as possible and call their providers immediately if they develop symptoms, no matter how mild.

LEAD BY EXAMPLE – Our actions not only protect ourselves, they protect our loved ones and those at greatest risk of serious illness from COVID-19.

For more information, call 2-1-1 or visit www.muni.org/COVID-19.

This is a message from the Anchorage Health Department.

Instructions:

Take steps proven to reduce the spread of COVID-19: 1. Keep a safe distance – at least 6 feet – away from other people outside your family. 2. Wear a face covering over your nose and mouth in indoor settings outside the home and in outdoor settings where it is difficult to maintain at least 6 feet of physical distance from others. 3. Avoid crowds and gatherings. 4. Wash hands often for 20 seconds. Avoid touching your face with unwashed hands.



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