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Second COVID-19 Positive Test in Gustavus

0 Gustavus Resident Cases	2 Gustavus Non-Resident Cases	0 Total Hospitalizations	1 Total Recovered Cases
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Gustavus, July 20, 2020 – Today the Gustavus Emergency Operations Center received information on a positive test result for COVID-19. This is the second positive case in Gustavus.

This is a non-resident male, age 50-59, and is currently asymptomatic. **The traveler arrived in Gustavus on July 18th. He had taken a COVID-19 test prior to traveling into Alaska and was waiting for his results. He was quarantined during this time.**

The Department of Health and Social Services Public Health Office has investigated and completed their contact tracing. Any persons who many have been in contact with the individual have been notified.

The City of Gustavus urges people to adhere to all state mandates and City resolutions. Remain diligent and practice the health measures we've all learned in recent months: wash your hands often, avoid close contact with others and keep your social circle small, stay home if you feel ill, wear a face covering when around others, and clean and disinfect objects and surfaces on a regular basis.

Covid-19 symptoms are similar to the flu: fever, aches, cough, shortness of breath, and sometimes decreased sense of taste and smell. If you think you have contacted COVID-19 contact the SEARHC Clinic at 907-697-3008. Do not go to the clinic, call and make an appointment first.