

Intrastate Travel Guidance

COVID-19 Outbreak Health Order No. 8 provides clear guidance and requirements for travel between communities located off the Road System or the Alaska Marine Highway System (AMHS).

Beginning November 16, 2020 at 12:01am:

- Local communities are permitted to enact travel restrictions to minimize the spread of the COVID-19 virus.

Beginning November 21, 2020 at 12:01am:

- Travelers in a community on the Road System or the AMHS for less than 72 hours are recommended to test for COVID-19 5 days after arrival at final destination and follow strict social distancing until negative results are received, or follow strict social distancing for 14 days at final destination if no test was taken.
- If a traveler is in a community on the Road System of the AMHS for greater than 72 hours, they should get a molecular COVID-19 test within 72 hours prior to travel to a community off the Road System or the AMHS and should not commence travel until a negative test is received. If return travel cannot be delayed until the test result is available, the traveler must follow strict social distancing until they receive a negative result.
- Anyone who is currently infected with COVID-19 must not travel to a community off the Road System or AMHS until they are cleared from isolation by a medical professional.
- Asymptomatic people who have recovered from a documented COVID-19 infection within the past 90 days are exempt from travel testing.

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Per [Alaska Health Order No. 6](#), **starting November 16**, travelers do one of the following:

- Obtain a molecular-based test 72 hours before departure and upload the negative result into the [Alaska Travel Portal](#).
- If tested 72 hours before departure and awaiting results, travelers will need to upload proof of test taken into the Alaska Travel Portal and quarantine at personal expense while waiting.
- If a non-resident arrives without a pre-test, testing is available for \$250 per test. The traveler will be required to quarantine at personal expense while waiting on results. **Please remind your incoming holiday guests about this.**

- A second test taken between 5 and 14 days after arrival is recommended, but not required.

For much more information please go to:

<http://dhss.alaska.gov/dph/Epi/id/Pages/COVID-19/travel.aspx#:~:text=Traveling%20within%20Alaska,-Outbreak%20Health%20Order&text=21%2C%20and%20will%20require%20that,of%20COVID%2D19%20between%20communities.>